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City of Tombstone, 4/29/2020

## MESSAGE FROM MAYOR ESCAPULE

### RETAIL RE-OPENING UPDATE

The Governor contacted me this morning to clarify key provisions of yesterday's Executive Order 2020-33 -- Returning Stronger.

He is extending the "Stay Home, Stay Healthy Stay Connected Order" until May 15, 2020. But very soon, we'll be welcoming shoppers again. Because the revised Order specifies that our retailers may:

- Offer curbside, walk-up, and/or in-store service by appointment starting on Monday, May 4.
- Offer in-store sales after establishing and implementing protocols and best practices to address COVID-19 beginning Friday, May 8. We recommend that businesses refer to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to plan, prepare, and respond to COVID-19 (business guidance here): <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/organizations/businesses-employers.html>

In addition to retail locations, the Governor announced that guidance for dine-in restaurant reopening will be released next week.

The City Marketing Department will promote the retail re-opening on our DiscoverTombstone.com tourism website, our DiscoverTombstone Facebook and Instagram pages, our shared Arizona80.com website, and through our contacts in the tourism industry in Arizona, across the United States, and abroad. While we might not get too many visitors for a while yet, at least we can let them know we are here and are looking forward to helping them enjoy The Town Too Tough Too Die.

Thanks for your patience during this time. Finally, we can start getting back to business!

Dusty

Mayor Dustin L. Escapule, 4/30/2020