

S T A T E O F M I C H I G A N

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ALLEGAN

**PUBLIC HEALTH—EXTEND FOOD LICENSING & WELL, SEPTIC OR SOIL
EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL DEADLINES**

WHEREAS, in connection with the Covid-19 pandemic, Fixed Food Establishments (FFE), Special Transitory Food Units (STFU) and Mobile Units (MU) have either been unable to operate due to limited revenue and/or the Governor's Executive order 2020-43, which required all restaurants to close normal service and only offer drive through or curbside pick-up; and

WHEREAS, as of April 22, 2020 only 49% of FFE and 29% of STFU/MU renewals have been received; and

WHEREAS, due to the Governor's order, only essential businesses could conduct work, resulting in well, septic and soil erosion sedimentation control work not completed under existing permits prior to their expiration; and

BE IT RESOLVED the Board of Commissioners approves an extension on the April 30, 2020, food licensing renewal fee deadline to August 31, 2020; late fees will be assessed effective September 1, 2020; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that any well, septic or soil erosion and sedimentation control permits for which work was not able to be completed prior to their expiration between January 1, 2020, and June 30, 2020, are automatically granted a 6 month extension from the original date of expiration without penalty.



ALLEGAN COUNTY
REQUEST FOR ACTION FORM

Completed RFA form must be attached to a work order request through the Track-It System. If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact Administration @ ext. 2633.

RFA#: 191-017
Date: 4/17/20

Request Type Routine Items Select a Request Type to reveal and complete required form.
Department Requesting Health
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Description

We respectfully request the Board of Commissioners consider extending the deadline for Fixed Food Establishment (FFE) Licensing Renewal Fees from April 30, 2020, to August 31, 2020. This is to the Covid-19 pandemic. The FFEs have not been able to operate due to the Governor's Executive order 2020-43, which required all restaurants to close and could only offer drive through or curbside pick up. The late fees would not be assessed until after September 1, 2020.
We will request the FFEs submit their signed renewal applications by the April 30, 2020, deadline. This will allow us to know which businesses intend to stay open.
We also request that any well, septic or soil erosion and sedimentation control permit which would expire from January 1, 2020, through June 30, 2020, automatically be extended 6 months from the date of issuance without penalty. This is also due to the Governor's order of requiring all businesses not deemed essential could not work.