

Coronavirus – Business Closures, Waivers, and Submission Deadline

AP: Deadline looms for Pennsylvania virus-shutdown waivers

<https://apnews.com/be68a81130f18ab5989104afbfe70a7>

Capitolwire: PA businesses hoping to get a waiver from Wolf's 'non-essential' shutdown order have until 5 p.m. today.

<https://www.capitolwire.com/default.asp?iRegionId=1&URL=/shared/cwArticle.asp&ArticleId=2561686>

KDKA: Friday Is Deadline For Business Exemptions

<https://pittsburgh.cbslocal.com/video/4502221-friday-is-deadline-for-business-exemptions/>

LebTown: [Letter] Rep. Diamond to Gov. Wolf: No public waiver list leaves room for fraud

<https://lebtown.com/2020/04/03/letter-rep-diamond-to-gov-wolf-no-public-waiver-list-leaves-room-for-fraud/>

LebTown: Lebanon's Downtown Lounge one of many county businesses feeling pinch

<https://lebtown.com/2020/04/03/lebanons-downtown-lounge-one-of-many-county-businesses-feeling-pinch/>

Olean Times Herald: Local PA golf courses shuttered amid COVID-19 outbreak

http://www.oleantimesherald.com/olean/local-pa-golf-courses-shuttered-amid-covid-19-outbreak/article_217ff99c-6f1c-58af-b979-c9ade02de4ba.html

Williamsport Sun-Gazette: What it means here: No tax office hours in Lewis, Washington townships; liquor now sold online; more

<https://www.sungazette.com/news/top-news/2020/04/what-it-means-here-no-tax-office-hours-in-lewis-washington-townships-liquor-now-sold-online-more/>

WTAE: Shell cracker plant in Beaver County seeks waiver to continue operating amid Wolf's shutdown order

<https://www.wtae.com/article/shell-cracker-plant-beaver-county-applies-for-shutdown-waiver/32024752#>

Coronavirus – Construction

PLS: As lawmakers seek to exempt construction from governor's shutdown order, Wolf doubles down

<https://plsreporter.com/as-lawmakers-seek-to-exempt-construction-from-governors-shutdown-order-wolf-doubles-down/>

Coronavirus – Federal Stimulus Package

PLS: Funds from the \$2 trillion stimulus package are starting to be doled out. Here's your guide to what that means for Pennsylvania

<https://plsreporter.com/funds-from-the-2-trillion-stimulus-package-are-starting-to-be-doled-out-heres-your-guide-to-what-that-means-for-pennsylvania/>

Coronavirus – Firearm Permits

Saucon Source: Wolf Approves Extension for License to Carry Firearms Permits

<https://sauconsource.com/2020/04/02/wolf-approves-extension-for-license-to-carry-firearms-permits/>

The Progress: Wolf Administration grants extension to license to carry firearm permits

http://www.theprogressnews.com/coronavirus/wolf-administration-grants-extension-to-license-to-carry-firearm-permits/article_68f83776-aec3-5861-ab40-459c70cc78b2.html

Coronavirus – Hospitals

Inquirer: As coronavirus spreads, some Philly hospitals are forcing nonmedical staffers to come to the office

<https://www.inquirer.com/health/coronavirus/hospitals-acadia-uhs-belmont-friends-psychiatric-mental-health-essential-worker-covid19-coronavirus-wolf-20200403.html>

Coronavirus – Juvenile Justice System

PennLive: Central Pa. legislators call for Wolf to stop transport of youths to juvenile justice center
<https://www.pennlive.com/news/2020/04/central-pa-legislators-call-for-wolf-to-stop-transport-of-youths-to-juvenile-justice-center.html>

Coronavirus – Lt. Governor

WFMZ: COVID-19 Q&A: Lieutenant Governor John Fetterman talks statewide stay-at-home order, more
https://www.wfmz.com/business/covid-19-q-a-lieutenant-governor-john-fetterman-on-gov-wolfs-decision-to-impose-stay/article_6e90cd64-754a-11ea-87c7-c328bdc5a5ac.html

Coronavirus – New Case Information

Capitolwire: PA's COVID-19 cases rise by more than 1,200 in a 24-hour period, pushing total above 7,000.

<https://www.capitolwire.com/default.asp?iRegionId=1&URL=/shared/cwArticle.asp&ArticleId=2561654>

Connect Radio: COVID-19 Update: 7,016 confirmed cases in PA, 90 deaths

<https://www.connectradio.fm/2020/04/03/covid-19-update-7016-confirmed-cases-in-pa-90-deaths/>

Coronavirus – PA Response in Comparison

Boston Globe: Since clueless governors won't act, Trump needs to issue a national stay-at-home order
<https://www.bostonglobe.com/2020/04/02/opinion/if-clueless-governors-wont-act-trump-needs-issue-national-stay-at-home-order/>

Reading Eagle: Letter: Wolf deserves thanks for leadership during crisis

https://www.readingeagle.com/opinion/letters-to-editor/letter-wolf-deserves-thanks-for-leadership-during-crisis/article_8602cf84-74f4-11ea-af4e-e712f3b1ab7e.html

Coronavirus – PEMA

WOLF: Wolf Administration outlines emergency management response to COVID-19

<https://fox56.com/news/local/wolf-administration-outlines-emergency-management-response-to-covid-19>

Coronavirus – Prisons and Jails

Citizens' Voice: Don't let jails be incubators

<https://www.citizensvoice.com/news/don-t-let-jails-be-incubators-1.2614152>

Coronavirus – Short-Term Rentals

WOLF: Short-term rentals outlawed in Pennsylvania

<https://fox56.com/news/local/short-term-rentals-outlawed-in-pennsylvania>

Coronavirus – Spanish Language Information

Pocono Record: State coronavirus briefings available in Spanish for Pocono residents

<https://www.poconorecord.com/news/20200402/state-coronavirus-briefings-available-in-spanish-for-pocono-residents>

Coronavirus – State Finances

Capitolwire: As PA waits to see how bad its fiscal position will get, and how much help will come from D.C., the state Treasury extends a \$2 billion lifeline.

<https://www.capitolwire.com/default.asp?iRegionId=1&URL=/shared/cwArticle.asp&ArticleId=2561665>

Coronavirus – State Police

PennLive: York County woman faces \$200 ticket from state police under Gov. Wolf's stay-at-home order

<https://www.pennlive.com/news/2020/04/york-county-woman-faces-200-ticket-from-state-police-under-gov-wolfs-stay-at-home-order.html>

WNEP: Police see decrease in crime due to COVID-19

<https://www.wnep.com/article/news/local/monroe-county/police-decrease-in-crime-covid-19-coronavirus-poconos/523-b3a840e8-ce5a-43bf-b7c5-2c44b5b08eff>

Coronavirus – Stay at Home Order

WPVI: Gov. Wolf extends stay-at-home order to all of Pennsylvania

<https://6abc.com/health/all-of-pa-under-stay-at-home-order-/6070667/>

GlobeSt.com: PA Governor Issues 'Stay at Home' Order for Entire State in Response to Coronavirus

<https://www.globest.com/2020/04/03/pa-governor-issues-stay-at-home-order-for-entire-state-in-response-to-coronavirus/?slreturn=20200303090033>

Daily Pennsylvanian: Pennsylvania under stay-at-home order until April 30 to stop spread of coronavirus

<https://www.thedp.com/article/2020/04/pennsylvania-stay-at-home-coronavirus>

Coronavirus – Ventilators

WITF: Pa. needs another 1,000 to 1,400 ventilators, governor says. Here's how the state is trying to find them.

<https://www.witf.org/2020/04/02/pa-needs-another-1000-to-1400-ventilators-governor-says-heres-how-the-state-is-trying-to-find-them/>

HB 1100

Times Leader: Your view: Wolf was wrong to veto HB 1100

<https://www.timesleader.com/opinion/letters/778674/your-view-wolf-was-wrong-to-veto-hb-1100>

Nominations

Capitolwire: Wolf nominates two to fill PA parole board vacancies.

<https://www.capitolwire.com/default.asp?iRegionId=1&URL=/shared/cwArticle.asp&ArticleId=2561666>