



CITY OF  
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**MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2020**

Tarrant County Public Health reported an additional 97 new cases overnight with 2 additional deaths. This brings the County total positive cases to 1,430 and 44 deaths. Bedford is reporting 31 positive cases, 4 recoveries and 0 deaths, Hurst has 29 positive cases and 1 death, and Euless has 59 positive cases with 0 deaths.

Colleyville Mayor Richard Newton issued an Order clarifying their First Amended Declaration of Disaster. In this Order, Colleyville no longer prohibits religious services in-house, allows elective medical procedures, allows the gathering of groups of ten people or less, opens retail establishments that are not deemed “essential services” by appointment, opens gyms, massage parlors, salons and other “hands-on” businesses to open to the general public on a one-on-one basis by appointment only, and allows customers to consume food at restaurants with outdoor patio areas. Governor Abbott will be elaborating on his “Retail-to-go plan” later this week. The City of Bedford will reevaluate its Executive Order at the next virtual City Council meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 28, 2020.

As a reminder, please support your local Bedford restaurants. Several restaurants have re-opened or amended their hours. For an updated list of these restaurants go to [www.bedfordtx.gov/599/Bedford-Dining-Options](http://www.bedfordtx.gov/599/Bedford-Dining-Options).