

Pepper Construction

March 24, 2020

RE: Wisconsin Emergency Order #12 & Continuation of All Pepper Construction Project Operations in Wisconsin

On Tuesday, March 24, 2020, Wisconsin Governor Tony Evers issued the Department of Health Services Emergency Order #12 which mandates that certain businesses cease activities within the state.

Section 10 of the Emergency Order specifically characterizes construction as “Essential Infrastructure,” and therefore exempt from the business closure order. Additionally, **Sections 13 (n) and (r)** of the order specify that building and construction trades, along with all suppliers supporting those trades, are “Essential Businesses and Operations,” also exempt from mandatory closure restriction. The [Emergency Order can be found via this link](#).

In compliance with the Order, Pepper Construction Company projects in Wisconsin will remain open for business on March 24, 2020 and for the foreseeable future. Pepper will continue to conduct construction operations in accordance with [current CDC guidelines](#), putting first the health and well-being of our workforce.

Please make sure that you share this with all your subcontractors and suppliers.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact the Pepper Project Manager or Superintendent for your project or contact Shannan Ghera, Vice President of Communications, at info@pepperconstruction.com. Current information can also be found at www.pepperconstruction.com and we will keep this information updated as we move forward.

We continue to monitor the situation and will communicate any further information or guidance as circumstances may require.

Sincerely,

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President, Pepper Construction Company

Jeff Johnson
Senior Vice President, Pepper Construction Company