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MEMO to Mountain Brook Retailers

Just about everything concerning COVID19 is fast moving and changing. While the City of Mtn. Brook has been under the Directive issued by the Jefferson County Department of Health, as of 5:00 p.m. today, all municipalities must follow the Directive of the Alabama Health Department (in conjunction with Governor Kay Ivey).

The great news is that this new directive does allow retailers to provide curbside deliveries as long as they comply with the social distancing guidelines (six feet of separation). See the attached Alabama Health Department FAQs. Please understand this does not allow sidewalk displays, etc. and allows only store-to-customer curbside delivery. I will further presume that store-to-home drop off service is also permitted (aka 'Amazon style' deliveries).

Excerpt from Alabama Health Department website (FAQs):

3. May retail stores ordered to close offer delivery or curbside services?

Yes. The order requires certain categories of retail "stores" to be "closed to non-employees." This language requires the closure of the store building to customers but would not preclude delivery or curbside services if the store complies with the order's other provisions, such as the social- distancing rules.

<http://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/infectiousdiseases/assets/cov-safer-at-home-faq.pdf>

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