

RESOLUTION NO. R2020-01

**AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF LOCAL RESTAURANTS
AND OTHER BUSINESSES AND ADOPTING GUIDELINES DURING
THE COVID-19 RESPONSIBLE RESTART OHIO PERIOD**

WHEREAS, Ohio Governor Mike DeWine has established the Responsible Restart Ohio Program to provide guidelines for the re-opening of Ohio's businesses in the wake of the COVID-19 Pandemic shut-down; and

WHEREAS, this program allows Ohio's restaurants to begin limited outdoor, sit-down services to customers beginning on May 15, 2020, with limited indoor service to begin on May 21, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission wishes to support our local restaurants by adopting the *City of Gallipolis Restaurant Temporary Outdoor Seating Guidelines* during the Responsible Restart Ohio period from May 15 to May 21, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has recommended in writing the passage of this Resolution as an emergency measure as it is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and property and in order to provide for the usual operations of the municipal departments.

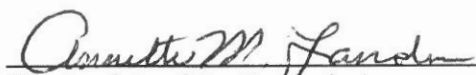
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Gallipolis, State of Ohio:

Section 1: That the *City of Gallipolis Restaurant Temporary Outdoor Seating Guidelines* be hereby adopted and attached to this Resolution as if fully written herein and that our residents be encouraged to support our local businesses as they re-open in compliance with all governmental guidelines.

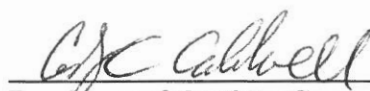
Section 2: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon passage as an emergency measure, retroactive to May 15, 2020.

PASSED: May 19, 2020

ATTEST:




Clerk of the City Commission
Annette M. Landers



President of the City Commission
Cody C. Caldwell

The foregoing Resolution is hereby approved as to form according to City Charter.



Gallipolis City Solicitor
Brynn S. Noe