



Phase 3 REOPEN Wethersfield

Virtual Meeting
October 6, 2020
10:00 a.m.



Welcome and Introductions

Mark Trahan, Chair

Wethersfield Economic Development and Improvement Commission (EDIC)
and Redevelopment Agency

Today's Guests

- ▶ Mike Rell, Mayor
- ▶ Gary Evans, Town Manager
- ▶ Peter Gillespie, Planning and Economic Development
- ▶ Mike Mokrycki, Fire Inspector
- ▶ Steve Lattarulo, Building Official
- ▶ Barbara Gigliotti, Central CT Health District
- ▶ Deb Raymond, Chamber of Commerce

Connecticut's Reopening Plan

Phase 1 - May 20, 2020

Phase 2 - June 17, 2020

Phase 3 - Thursday, October 8, 2020

Phase 3 Rule Changes

- ▶ Eases COVID 19 Restrictions - Increases Capacity
- ▶ Continued Adherence to capacity limits, social distancing, masks, cleaning, signage, employee training and other safety requirements
- ▶ Indoor vs. Outdoor Venues
- ▶ Permits Theaters and Concert Halls To Reopen
- ▶ Private Indoor Gatherings In Commercial Venue (50%) Capacity Capped at 100

Phase 3 Rule Changes

- ▶ Private Residential Gatherings Capped at 25 people
- ▶ Increases Indoor Capacity of Restaurants (75%)
- ▶ Increases Indoor Capacity for Libraries, Hair Salons and Personal Services (75%)
- ▶ Increases Indoor Capacity for Performing Arts Venues (50%)

Phase 3 Rule Changes

- ▶ Increase Capacity for Indoor Graduations and Religious Services (50%) Capped at 200
- ▶ Increase Capacity for Outdoor Event Venues (50%) No Cap
- ▶ Private Outdoor Gathering in Commercial Venue Capped at 150
- ▶ Bars and Nightclubs still closed
- ▶ Walk up bars allowed at private events

Governor's Executive Order 9

September 16, 2020

- ▶ Authorization for the issuance of fines
- ▶ Failure to wear masks
- ▶ Hosting, organizing or sponsoring gatherings in excess of size restrictions
- ▶ Attendance at gatherings in excess of size restrictions

Central Connecticut Health District

- ▶ Barbara Gigliotti - Supervising Sanitarian
- ▶ bgigliotti@ccthd.org

Building/Fire/Codes

- ▶ Inspections Will Be Provided Upon Request to Assist Businesses
- ▶ Will Enforce All Executive Orders
- ▶ As cold weather approaches
- ▶ If Lighting Proposed Electrical Permits Still Required No Tripping Hazards
- ▶ Heating Rules Apply
- ▶ Handicapped Accessibility Provisions
- ▶ Tent Permits Required - Side wall rules apply
- ▶ Anthony.Dignoti@wethersfieldct.gov - Fire Marshal
- ▶ Michael.mokrycki@wethersfieldct.gov - Fire Inspector
- ▶ Steve.Lattarulo@wethersfieldct.gov - Building Official



- ▶ Deb Raymond Wethersfield@sbcglobal.net
- ▶ Here To Help
- ▶ As a chamber member:
- ▶ Announce that you are open to over 2000 contacts
- ▶ Help brainstorm on how to make your business stand out
- ▶ Networking with other businesses to establish a professional “loyalty”
- ▶ Will help organize a Business After Hours (BAH)
- ▶ Virtual meetings for networking

Available Resources and Information

- ▶ State of Connecticut <https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus>
- ▶ Individual Sector Rules For Businesses
<https://portal.ct.gov/DECD/Content/Coronavirus-Business-Recovery/Sector-Rules-and-Certification-for-Reopen>
- ▶ Town of Wethersfield
<https://wethersfieldct.gov/coronavirus>
- ▶ Central Connecticut Health District
<https://www.ccthd.org/>

Questions?



Thank You. Stay Safe.
Shop Local.

