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The following information is to keep you informed of the impact of COVID-19 on the state of Pennsylvania's economy and to provide you with resources.

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COVID-19 Alert and Information from our National Office. (Pdf Document)

BUSINESS

U.S Small Business Administration shares updates on COVID-19 impact on businesses and applications for assistance. https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/disaster-assistance

COMMERCE

PA Chamber of Commerce takes action...
https://www.pachamber.org/
A Need help paying bills.
Try 211 for assistance
http://pa211sw.org/

CENSUS

Census moves forward in the face of COVID-19. Find our more
https://my2020census.gov/

UNEMPLOYMENT UPDATES

https://www.uc.pa.gov/Pages/default.aspx

As unemployment faces a rise as businesses brace for COVID-19, the above link provides some updates on how Pennsylvania Labor and Industry responds to unemployment requests.

SOCIAL SECURITY & COVID-19

According to AARP, Social Security, "Social Security is the only source of income for three in ten Pennsylvanians age 65+. Social Security makes up 50 percent or more of the income for 66 percent of Pennsylvanians age 65 and older. Three in ten older Pennsylvanians rely on Social Security as their only source of income." Click here for more information.

TRANSPORTATION

https://www.penndot.gov/Pages/AlertDetails.aspx

Amtrak takes measures to provide safety for travelers...read more

In response to COVID-19, PennDOT has implemented a variety of operational changes. Details about those changes can be found below, along with frequently asked questions on each change.

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> *"God never intended for one group of people to live in superfluous inordinate wealth, while others live in abject deadening poverty."*
> *Dr. King, "Strength to Love", 1963*

United Way provides support to individuals and families during the pandemic. For more information click here.