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Dear Owners and Agents of Casco Township Short Term Rental properties:

We have begun fielding inquiries from residents concerned over nonresidents and out-of-state visitors coming to Casco Township to vacation, which is a clear violation of Governor Whitmer's Stay Home, Stay Safe executive order except as "necessary to sustain or protect life." The law is clear when it comes to what is, and what is not, considered critical infrastructure operations or uses. Short-term vacation rentals do not qualify as essential businesses and shall not accept vacation guests until after the Stay at Home order is lifted. This is not a suggestion; it's state law.

Information around the COVID-19 outbreak is changing rapidly. The latest information is available at Michigan.gov/coronavirus and CDC.gov/coronavirus. Please refer to the state website for the most up to date information regarding Executive Order No. 2020-21.

We recognize the short-term financial difficulties this is causing for you — and for so many others in our community. We are asking you to follow the law and do the right thing for Casco Township. By doing so, we can get through this crisis as quickly as possible and welcome guests once again, to our beautiful community.

Sincerely,

Casco Township Board