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CITY OF NEW BERLIN COVID-19 UPDATE
SUSPENSION OF BUILDING INSPECTIONS

New Berlin WI – The City of New Berlin has been diligently following guidelines set forth by the Center for Disease Control, the Wisconsin Department of Health and the Waukesha County Department of Health and Human Services. In response to those recommendations, the City is taking precautionary measures to protect the safety and health of our residents and staff.

Therefore, the New Berlin Building Inspection Department will be suspending all non-essential building, electric, plumbing, and HVAC inspections effective 3/18/2020 until further notice. At this time we will continue to perform inspections of new construction for both residential and commercial projects in addition to residential and commercial additions and alterations. However, please be aware that as a precautionary measure the Inspection Department will be asking screening questions; if anyone at that location is suffering from respiratory symptoms suggesting a possible COVID-19 infection, the inspection will not occur.

The Inspection counter will remain open to accept all categories of applications. Please contact the Inspection Department for questions or concerns 262-797-2445

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