

JOBSITE SAFETY PRACTICES, GUIDANCE AND COUNTY ORDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY



The Town of Mammoth Lakes and County of Mono Building Official is providing jobsite safety practices and guidance for the construction industry during this pandemic in accordance with the current State and County “Stay-at-home” Orders. Construction workers and other supportive service providers are considered ‘Essential Critical Infrastructure Workers,’ pursuant to Governor Newsom’s Executive Order N-33-20.

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER ORDER: WORKERS SHALL STAY HOME WHEN ILL

All employers at businesses where employees report to work shall screen workers daily for illness and exclude sick workers from premises. Alternatively, employers may require workers to commit in writing to disclosing illness. Presence of any of the following shall be reasons to exclude workers: fever (temp +100.4°), cough, sore throat, body aches, or shortness of breath.

All employees who have physical proximity or contact with others in the course of performing their jobs, and who are experiencing symptoms of illness, shall inform their employers of illness. Employees with cough illness may return to work after a minimum of seven days from the beginning of illness, but only IF they have also had no fever for at least 72 hours without use of fever-reducing medications AND all symptoms are improving.

Effective April 13, 2020, a new Public Health Order requires all individuals working in essential sectors throughout Mono County and the Town of Mammoth Lakes to wear a face covering or mask to reduce the chance of spreading COVID-19.

Violation of a Public Health Order is a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of up to \$1,000 and/or imprisonment for up to 90 days. In addition, businesses whose employees report to work ill may be forcibly shut down and/or their employees who have been exposed will be ordered to remain isolated for a period of up to 14 days.

IF YOU ARE SICK, STAY HOME! IF YOU FEEL SICK, GO HOME! IF YOU SEE SOMEONE SICK, SEND THEM HOME!



1 STAY HOME



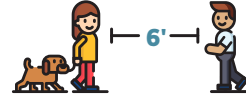
2 AVOID TOUCHING YOUR FACE



3 WASH YOUR HANDS



4 COVER MOUTH AND NOSE



5 DISTANCE SELF FROM OTHERS



6 CONSTANTLY CLEAN SURFACES

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

- All construction workers must wear a face covering or mask at all times on the job site.
- All construction workers should wear cut-resistant gloves or the equivalent.
- Use of eye protection (safety goggles/face shields) is strongly recommended.

CLEANING AND HYGIENE

- Frequently wash hands with soap for at least 20 seconds. If a handwashing station is not available on-site, an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% ethanol or 70% isopropanol should be used.
- All surfaces, common areas and meeting areas should be cleaned and disinfected at least once daily, including surfaces, door handles, laptops, etc.
- When entering a machine or vehicle which you are not sure you were the last person to enter, make sure that you wipe down the interior and door handles with disinfectant prior to entry.
- All restroom facilities/porta-potties should be cleaned daily.
- Cover coughing or sneezing with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash and wash hands, if no tissue is available then cough into your elbow.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose, and mouth with your hands.
- Each jobsite should develop cleaning and decontamination procedures that are posted and shared. These procedures should cover all areas including trailers, gates, equipment, vehicles, etc. and shall be posted at all entry points to the sites, and throughout the project site.

PHYSICAL AND SOCIAL DISTANCING

- Do not congregate on the jobsite. Individuals should implement social distancing by maintaining a minimum distance of 6-feet from other individuals at all times, when possible. In work conditions where social distancing is impossible to achieve, affected employees shall be supplied PPE including as appropriate a standard face mask, gloves, and eye protection.
- Multi person activities should be limited where feasible.
- All individual work crew meetings/tailgate talks should be held outside and maintain the minimum distance of 6-feet from others.
- Maintain 6-feet of separation during breaks and lunch.
- All employees should drive to the job site in a single occupant vehicles.

NEW BUILDING INSPECTION PROTOCOL FOR BOTH THE TOWN OF MAMMOTH LAKES AND MONO COUNTY

- Inspections in the Town of Mammoth Lakes will be conducted only on Tuesdays and Thursdays in order to limit exposure and spread of the virus. County inspections are conducted Monday through Friday.
- No workers can be on the job site on the day of an inspection for both the Town of Mammoth Lakes and Mono County.
- Town/County approved building plans (with the red stamp) and related documents, such as the job inspection card and previous correction and approval notices must be on the job site on the day of an inspection.
- Inspections will be cancelled if the job site has people on them or if the approved building plans and related documents are not on site on the day of inspection. The inspection will need to be re-scheduled by the requestor for another day.