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Dear Membership & Supporters—

We come to you during this unprecedented time in our country to let you know that due to the Governors ban on all gatherings of 10 or more and the order for all bars and restaurants to close due COVID-19, we have cancelled all of the events that were previously scheduled through the end of April, 2020.

So, instead of the newsletter, we are sending you this letter to reassure you, that due to all of your support and the Legion Family's hard work over the last few years we are financially strong enough to weather this storm for quite some time. The Building Committee has enough money in our account that we will be able to make our loan payment for quite some time. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to ask us.

Just a reminder, we are here for you just as you have been here for us over the years. If any of you are experiencing food insecurity or need our assistance, please let us know. We have people that are standing at the ready to assist in any way we can. If you need some freezer meals prepared, groceries or are just feeling disconnected, or if you know of someone that needs help, please let us know right away. Rest assured any requests for assistance or conversations will be kept confidential. **You are not alone!** It is in times like these that our commitment to each other will carry us through.

We will continue to monitor this situation and keep you informed as soon as we are able to reopen and see you all again. There is no better time to make sure that we have your current contact information, please feel free to email us at amlgn0051@gmail.com or call and leave a message at the post (608-786-0051) with your current phone number and email address.

Please support our local businesses during this tough time. They have always been very generous to us with our events and fundraisers. We need to help them weather this storm. Remember to be kind and look out for each other, we will all get through this together!

Sincerely,

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