

*As of 7/20/20*

City of San Diego's Supplemental Guidelines for temporary Alcohol Management Plans to facilitate outdoor dining and retail must comply with County Public Health Orders, California Department of Public Health guidelines, Centers for Disease Control guidelines applicable regulatory agencies and City of San Diego Alcohol Management protocol. *It is the responsibility of the applicant to be aware of additional guidelines as they are issued.*

Please refer to the [Special Events Planning Guide](#) for requirements of special event street closure permits. However, due to the current public health guidance, County Public Health Orders will necessitate additional requirements and modifications. Due to the economic impacts from COVID 19, the City supports modifications to help established businesses operate in outdoor settings adjacent to their businesses. The goal of temporary modifications to the Alcohol Management Plan is to support state and local guidelines help dining to expand operations outdoors so they can cost-effectively implement safety, health and distancing protocols.

*The modifications to the City of San Diego's current Alcohol Management Plan outlined in the Special Events Planning Guide are temporary and in effect until social distancing requirements are lifted by San Diego County Public Health Orders or through December 31, 2020, whichever comes first.* These modifications are solely to facilitate the expanded dining options only and not to create an official policy of all ages drinking in areas outside of dining establishment's footprint. Modifications do not apply to bar space. Modifications are subject to our continuing adoption of public health guidance to ensure measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19 are followed. Deviations from proposed plans, perceived risk to public health and to our public safety resources will result in suspension of permits.

The authorized organizer agrees to implement the below guidelines.

**Guidelines:**

The City of San Diego prohibits the consumption of alcohol in the special event permitted area outside of a controlled space. As a result of the expanded dining and retail footprint due to social distancing requirements, the controlled space will be temporarily modified to be within the confines of the dining establishment. If alcohol is served with meals, alcohol must be consumed within the expanded dining establishment.



**Outdoor Dining  
Temporary Supplemental  
Guidelines for  
Alcohol Management Plan**

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As a result, these modifications will temporarily allow alcohol consumption to be served in a mixed ages environment as long as the consumption is done within the existing restaurant's footprint and in the expanded dining footprint. A copy of your ABC 218 CV19 form (COVID-19 Temporary Catering Authorization) and accompanying ABC 253 form (Supplemental Diagram) relating to the expanded footprint must be approved by ABC, a copy must be on the premises and available if requested by local authorities.

Violations will result in suspension of Permits.

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Signature

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David Nisleit  
City of San Diego, Chief of Police

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Host Organization