



# LATEST ACTIONS TO FIGHT COVID-19

December 2, 2020

## ADDITIONAL DOLLARS FOR HOSPITALS

- \$60 million to provide additional staffing at Arizona hospitals, for a total of \$85 million.

## VACCINE DISTRIBUTION

- Arizona is expected to receive an initial shipment of COVID-19 vaccine doses in mid to late December, pending FDA approval.
- The distribution plan prioritizes health care workers, educators, residents of long term care facilities, and vulnerable populations.
- Executive Order ensuring Arizonans can receive the vaccine without financial barriers.

## SUPPORT FOR RESTAURANTS

- Executive Order making it easier for restaurants to expand outdoor dining space.
- \$100,000 for the Arizona Lodging and Tourism Association to help restaurants and hotels strengthen sanitation and mitigation practices, further protecting patrons and staff.
- \$1 million for the *Safest Outside Restaurant Assistance Program* to help restaurants and other dining establishments expand outdoor dining options.
- \$100,000 for the Arizona Restaurant Association to help restaurants and other dining establishments safely and effectively expand outdoor dining options for patrons.

## MITIGATION REQUIREMENTS FOR EVENTS

- Executive Order enhancing health and safety requirements for large public events approved by local cities, towns and counties.