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[MetLife & U.S. Chamber of Commerce Release Latest Small Business Coronavirus Impact Poll](#)



Source: [U.S. Chamber of Commerce](#)

This week, the U.S. Chamber and MetLife released the monthly Small Business Coronavirus Impact Poll—which surveys how small businesses nationwide are adapting their operations in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic. As some businesses in Savannah remain closed due to social distancing requirements, many others are finding unique ways to transform their business operations.

[Click here](#) to see how your business stacks up against national trends.

[Georgia Chamber Hosts Call with U.S. Senator Kelly Loeffler Tomorrow at 11 a.m.](#)



Senator Loeffler will provide a COVID-19 update and share her USA RISE Plan. Moderated by Georgia Chamber President & CEO Chris Clark and in partnership with the Georgia Hispanic Chamber, these COVID-19 town halls are designed to provide relevant and timely updates, information and insights on statewide management of this global pandemic along with resources to assist Georgians in the road to recovery. Savannah Chamber members are encouraged to join in.

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

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[U.S. Chamber's Institute for Legal Reform \(ILR\) Releases Findings](#)



Source: [U.S. Chamber of Commerce](#)

The U.S. Chamber's Institute for Legal Reform (ILR) released the findings of its National COVID-19 Liability Survey which revealed that Americans across the political spectrum believe that employers must have protections from COVID-related lawsuits as they make decisions about how to safely and sustainably reopen their businesses. Among other key findings, the survey shows that more than six in ten Americans say that Congress should extend liability protections to employers from lawsuits related to the coronavirus. For the results of the ILR survey, [click here](#).

[AXIOS.com Reports Where the Virus is Spreading the Fastest](#)

Source: [AXIOS](#)



While Georgians keep a watchful eye on coronavirus cases nation-wide, the Center for Systems Science and Engineering at Johns Hopkins additionally reminds us it's important to watch how those trends are playing out over time at the state level. Rising, or falling, numbers of cases is one of the key metrics for determining where mitigation efforts are working and when the economy can begin to reopen.

For a graphic on Change in new COVID-19 cases in the past week, [click here](#).

[Visit Savannah and Visit Tybee Looking for Your Summertime Deals](#)



Current tourism research indicates that Americans are ready to travel this summer! And while recovery will be slow, our data shows that people are actively starting to search for Savannah and Tybee for travel deals. If you would like to reach those summertime visitors and help in tourism's economic recovery, please submit your summertime deals by May 22, 2020 to be featured on VisitSavannah.com and VisitTybee.com.

[Click here](#) to submit your deals.

List of Georgia PPE Suppliers Now Available



Source: [Georgia Department of Economic Development](#)

Many Georgia companies have joined the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic by providing critical health care supplies to those on the front lines of this fight: health care workers, first responders and law enforcement, food service industry employees, logistics workers, and reopening small businesses.

The Georgia Department of Economic Development is proud of these companies and is pleased to make this list accessible to the public. It's their hope that this list can be a resource to our state's logistics companies as you work to continue safely operating and keep Georgia's freight moving.

To view the latest version of the Georgia Suppliers List, [click here](#).

Benchmark Disney: How Theme Parks Strategies Can Help You Rebuild Client Confidence and Regain Business



Source: [Phoenicia Miracle, M.Ed](#)

Benchmark Disney is a thought-provoking guide to reopening your museum, small business, church, or nonprofit post COVID-19. Author Phoenicia Miracle is a well-respected nonprofit leader with more than 20 years' experience fundraising and defining customer-focused strategies. This guide is not a check list, although lists are included. It includes questions, suggestions, and ideas considered by theme parks, all researched to help you design a reopening plan for your clients and customers. Phoenicia includes strategies drawn from research into reflections, and responses related to Executive Chairman Robert Iger's interview on how to re-open Disney World Theme Parks.

[Click here](#) to download your copy of Benchmark Disney.

The Savannah Area Chamber is working hard to provide timely access to business resource information during the COVID-19 pandemic. The interpretation and recommendations of the information provided by the Chamber should not replace the consult of professional advisors familiar with your unique business situation. While it is believed that the content of external links is accurate and reliable, accuracy and completeness of information contained herein is not guaranteed. Users of this information accept all risks associated with the use of such information and agree that the Savannah Area Chamber has no liability to the user.



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