

Paseo Master Association
Presidents Report
July 2020

KW sent out an e-blast on July 15th informing members of a positive COVID-19 case for one of the staff. This person last worked at the Tiki on July 5th. When I was informed of this my first thought was shut down the Tiki for deep cleaning, inform health officials, and test all of the staff. And this is probably the same reaction that most members would have. So why didn't we do that?

After researching this I found this is not a requirement nor a recommendation. I read the CDC guidelines, the Governor's executive order, and restaurant association recommendations. There have been several restaurants in southwest Florida in this situation that have shut down for several days for cleaning, which is exactly what the Tiki did as we were down the following Monday and Tuesday. The employee has been off work and quarantined since the 5th and the rest of the staff has been informed.

We feel we have measures in place to keep our members and staff safe. We are asking all members to be courteous and respectful to the other members and staff and please follow all of the safety rules and guidelines. We have re-emphasized to our employees to enforce these safety measures we have in place and to practice frequent sanitizing practices including facemasks and gloves.