



## SCW STATEMENT ON COVID-19

In light of recent developments with COVID-19, Sensible Concrete Works, LLC, wanted to express its gratitude for all members of our community who are providing hope and support during this time. It is important that we all work together to make sure that all persons in Sevier County and surrounding areas have all essential items and resources. We encourage members of our community to contact SCW should needs arise. We want to make sure that everyone has the food, water, and other essential items that they need.

Additionally, we wanted to state that we are taking careful precautions within our company to prevent further spreading of the COVID-19 virus. Administrators and office workers are permitted to work from home or to work remotely during this time. Moreover, all employees have received the following information:

Consistent with the recent Interim Guidance issued by the CDC, SCW is requiring that any employee who is having any symptoms of acute respiratory illness or flu-like symptoms to stay home and not come to work until they are free of fever (100.4° F or greater using an oral thermometer), signs of a fever and any other symptoms for at least 24 hours, without the use of fever-reducing or other symptom-altering medicines.

Additionally, in the event that you believe that you (1) have contracted the Coronavirus, (2) have within the past 14 days been experiencing any of the known COVID-19 symptoms (fever, cough, shortness of breath) or have been in close contact with someone with a confirmed case of COVID-19, (3) have been exposed to someone who has the Coronavirus or has been on a cruise or in a high-risk country as defined by the Center for disease control from time to time (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/after-travel-precautions.html>) within the past 21 days (which as of March 14, 2020, includes the following countries: China, Iran, South Korea, Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Monaco, San Marino, Vatican City), then please do not come to work or visit a jobsite, and please call your immediate supervisor.

Public health experts recommend the following personal preventative measures:

- Wash hands frequently. Wash hands thoroughly and often, either with soap and water for 20 seconds or with a 60% alcohol-based rub, to kill any viruses on your hands. Hand dryers alone are not effective at killing COVID-19.
- Avoid touching your face. Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth with unwashed hands, as any virus on

hands from a touched surface can enter the body through the eyes, nose or mouth, according to current information.

- Maintain social distance. Keep a distance of at least 3 feet between you and apparently healthy persons and stay 6 feet away if a person is coughing or sneezing.
- Limit contact. Avoid close contact with people who are sick. If you're sick with respiratory symptoms like a fever, runny nose and/or cough, stay home. Seek medical advice if your condition worsens with a high fever and/or difficulty breathing.
- Cough into an elbow or a tissue. Cover coughs with a tissue or cough into an elbow. Dispose of tissues immediately in a covered bin and wash hands with warm, soapy water. Wash clothing into which you cough. It is unknown how long the virus can live on hard and soft surfaces. According to the World Health Organization, coronaviruses may survive on surfaces for a few hours or up to several days. The best way to ensure that surfaces you touch are germ-free is to clean them with a disinfectant.

We are confident that with everyone working together we can continue operations in a safe and responsible manner, which will allow us to continue serving our community and customers.

Sincerely,

Jeremy and Amy Williams,  
Owners of Sensible Concrete Works, LLC