JOINT PRESS RELEASE: COVID-19 Update

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From the mayors and city managers of Gatlinburg, Pigeon Forge, Pittman Center, Sevier County and Sevierville:

Thank you to everyone who has complied with local governments' requests to keep our county and cities as safe as possible. The COVID-19 situation is continually evolving, and we receive new information constantly.

Even though Sevier County has few confirmed positive COVID-19 tests, it is important for our residents to continue to follow all of the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines, including hygiene, social distancing and more, at www.cdc.gov . In addition, we are asking you to avoid unnecessary activities and stay at home as much as possible. We feel these are the best next steps to combat the COVID-19 outbreak.