

From The Demeris Family

We are all together in this new, uncharted territory and want everyone to know we are continuing to monitor the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) pandemic, working with local officials and the CDC to ensure the health and safety of our communities. The safety of our employees and guests is of the utmost importance. We will continue to monitor the situation closely and adjust our operations as recommended.

As we have always done, we will remain diligent in our strict food-handling procedures and continue to clean and disinfect our kitchen, common areas, restrooms, and back of the house multiple times a day. We actively review and coach our staff on food safety procedures, as well as measures we can take to limit our interaction with the food we prepare.

A few changes that will be seen in our restaurants:

- Handheld menus have been removed. Only the digital displays will be used for menus.
- The communal condiment station has been removed until 'normalcy' returns. Condiments will still be available to anyone who wants them.
- Bottled ketchup and hot sauce will be placed on each table, and will be wiped down after each guest's departure, along with our additional cleaning of the tables and chairs.
- Utensils will be provided to each customer along with their order, not left in a common area.
- Tables have been spaced to create social distancing.

We understand that dining out may not be at the top of everyone's mind during these trying times, so we suggest these alternatives:

 ONLINE ORDERING is encouraged for both Demeris BarB-Q locations. Call on arrival and we will bring your order to your car.

SHEPHERD LOCATION http://www.toasttab.com/demeris-shepherd

WEST LOOP LOCATION http://www.toasttab.com/demeris-bar-b-q-west-loop-1702-west-loop-n-suite-a

 Our CATERING MENU is another great option. Minimum order for catering is 10 people and can be delivered. Meals will be packaged in separate to-go containers. Catering Menu http://catering.demeris.com/menu/entrees/

• Don't forget that our West Loop location has a CONVENIENT DRIVE THROUGH.

We have been serving the Houston community since 1964, and have never, until now, experienced such a widespread health threat ... to our city, to our state, to our nation. This, too, will pass ... eventually. But, in the meantime, we intend to be responsible stewards, to ensure that we help to limit the risks to our neighbors. And we hope, with our efforts, to help minimize the spread of the virus and to serve our neighbors during a time when they need it most.

Stay safe. Stay calm. Be kind to your neighbors. And wash your hands! We'll see you soon! The Demeris Family