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OMA on DeWine Administration's Extended Stay-at-Home Order to Slow Spread of Coronavirus

COLUMBUS, Ohio – The Ohio Manufacturers' Association today commented on the extended stay-at-home order issued by Ohio Department of Health Director Dr. Amy Acton to slow the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19).

OMA President Eric Burkland said:

"Ohio manufacturers stand with the DeWine administration in this fight against COVID-19 and understand why this action is being taken to overcome an unseen enemy.

Our thanks to Governor DeWine, Lt. Governor Husted, and Director Acton for their ongoing leadership. Ohio's manufacturers will continue to contribute the products and components necessary to win this war and ensure that Ohio is prepared to lead the economic recovery that is sure to follow."

The OMA encourages its members and the rest of the Ohio business community to frequently check and always adhere to the advice of the <u>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention</u>, as well as the <u>Ohio Department of Health</u>. As an additional source of information, visit the <u>OMA's COVID-19 Resources Page</u>.

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