



Wisconsin Gov. Tony Evers issued a [“Safer at Home”](#) order on 3/24/2020 related to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Statement from South Milwaukee Mayor Erik Brooks

I stand behind the decision of the governor, with the support of our health administrator. Decisions we make will be, and need to be, guided by our health officers. This order -- as with other rules, guidance and recommendations issued during the pandemic -- are being put in place to slow the spread of the virus and improve public health. We need compliance from the community for this to make a difference. Please read the order, and act accordingly. Let's be safer at home.

Statement from South Milwaukee Police Chief William Jessup

We are going to work in concert with our Health Department to ensure orders are followed. We believe the vast majority of the community is concerned for themselves, their families and their neighbors, and fully intend to voluntarily comply with this order. If violations arise, law enforcement will take note and educate and inform those individuals. Enforcement will be a last step.