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**Peoria City/County
Health Department**
Health Protection Division
Environmental Health

Memorandum

Date: March 17, 2020

To: Private Sewage Disposal and Water Well Installation Contractors

From: Carey A. Panier, Director of Environmental Health

Renee Afdahl, Environmental Health Coordinator

Re: Environmental Health Services

In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Peoria City/County Health Department has made the determination to close to the public at this point in time.

Until further notice, we are only accepting paperwork i.e. permit applications, variances, FOIA requests, etc. submitted by e-mail, fax, USPS, or another carrier service.

To submit information:

Fax: 309-679-6174

Email: EH@peoriacounty.org

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In addition, this memo is to advise you and your employees that there will be a temporary disruption in our normal services until further notice and that we appreciate your patience.

As of now, field staff will only be performing offsite activities for well and septic installations, replacements, repairs or modifications that are deemed an emergency.

Permits for these emergency activities are still required.

The Peoria City/County Health Department expects this temporary alteration in services to be short lived and hopes that all operations will return to normal as quickly as possible.

Until such time, please take the precautionary measures to stay well and wash your hands.