



State of Wisconsin
Department of Financial Institutions

Tony Evers, **Governor**

Kathy Blumenfeld, **Secretary**

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Dear Wisconsin Bank Executive,

Given the ongoing developments related to the [COVID-19](#) virus, the Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions (DFI) today announced the following steps to ensure the health and safety of its workforce and the continuity of its operations:

- All DFI bank examiners are now engaged in mandatory telework until further notice.
- All DFI bank examinations at financial institutions are continuing and will be conducted remotely, instead of onsite.
- DFI Division of Banking supervisory staff will be contacting all banks with upcoming exams to give further instruction.

DFI recognizes the impact of the COVID-19 virus on your customers and operations, and we will continue to work with affected financial institutions to provide appropriate regulatory assistance as needed.

Please inform your DFI Division of Banking supervisor, or call (608) 261-7578, if any changes are made to public access at your financial institution due to COVID-19 concerns. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Cheryll Olson-Collins

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