

STAFF UPDATE FROM PRESIDENT PAUL CARLSEN – May 14, 2020

Team LTC,

Yesterday afternoon the Wisconsin Supreme Court struck down the extension of the Safer at Home order, which means the order is no longer in effect. Please note the Supreme Court's ruling was grounded in procedure, and does not mean the pandemic is over – Wisconsin had 291 newly reported cases of COVID-19 yesterday.

Many of the actions we took to protect our students, our team members, and our community were made *prior* to the original Safer at Home Order. **We will continue to operate under recommended CDC guidelines, and our instructional plans for the remainder of this term and the summer term will not change. We will continue to follow our plan for re-opening, [which I communicated on May 1st](#).**

There will likely be conflicting messages in the coming days as various public and private entities offer plans to reopen the economy. Please remember all directives regarding college operations will come from college leadership.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks, Paul