

March 18, 2020



Dear Tenants,

The Center for Disease Control (CDC) recommends that all congregate living such as Waters Edge limit interactions with each other and to stop communal dining. These actions reduce the possible virus transmission between neighbors. We will close the dining room beginning Thursday, March 18<sup>th</sup>. It is important to stay home during this time of heightened risk of the Coronavirus. Please postpone your outings and appointments unless they are essential.

Seniors are very vulnerable when they become ill. It is vitally important that you wash your hands often. Wash your hands before leaving your apartment and again when you return to your apartment. Launder your hand towels often. Report to the nurse if you are feeling ill. Our nursing staff will come to check on you.

Tomorrow morning, Friday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, we will begin to deliver breakfast to every apartment if you wish to have the delivery. At that time, we will provide to you the menu for the day and offer to bring a lunch or supper to your apartment. All delivery charges have been waived.

Great news! We were notified this morning that The Minnesota Department of Health is lifting the water restrictions. The water is safe to drink. We will continue to treat and test the water, and we will continue to do flushing. Maintenance staff will be coming around next week and installing original shower heads and aerators.

I understand that this is a difficult time for all of us. Thank you for supporting and protecting each other.

Sincerely,

Pat Frydenlund, RN

Housing and Home Care Manager

You'll find a *home* in our community.