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Statement from Supervisor Cortese on Santa Clara County’s Move to Phase 2

Santa Clara County is able to move forward with Phase 2 because of the cooperation and sacrifices of our residents, business owners, teachers, students, community leaders and healthcare workers. The County is ready to support the businesses now allowed to provide curbside retail, manufacturing and childcare as they prepare to reopen with the required safety measures to protect workers and the public from COVID-19. At the same time, the Public Health Department will carefully monitor coronavirus cases and other data to ensure that we continue to make progress toward reducing the impact of the virus. Continuing to practice the measures that brought us to today’s action, combined with testing and contact tracing in order to move on to the next phase seems to be the best strategy we have.

For more information and an interview with Supervisor Cortese, please call his office at 408-299-5030 or Janice Rombeck at 408-803-2095.