



To our Valued Customers and Suppliers,

Today March 20, 2020 @ 3:00 pm, Illinois Governor Pritzker announced a Shelter In Place order to be put in effect Saturday March 21st at 5:00 pm. The order mandates among other things that all Illinois residents remain at home and all non-essential businesses remain closed until Tuesday April 7.

Harger Lightning & Grounding falls under the category of an essential business because we manufacture and design lightning protection and grounding systems for the electrical Industry. These systems and equipment are **critical** to ensure continuity of service for:

- Hospital life safety systems
- First Responder/911 Network and public wireless telecommunication networks
- Military communication systems
- Border Patrol functions
- Data centers for the financial industry
- FAA air traffic towers and related systems
- Water production and wastewater processing facilities
- Oil and gas production sites and pipelines
- Chicago Transportation Authority rail transit network
- Electrical utilities substation, power generation and distribution systems

In order to ensure continuity of service for all these mission critical systems, Harger will remain in operation so that all needs can be met during this Covid 19 pandemic.

Respectfully,

Mark S. Harger
Steward
Harger, Inc.