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## MEDIA ALERT

### Financial Support for Pocono Hospitality & Restaurant Workers

*Press conference to be held tomorrow (12/15)*

- WHAT:** Learn about a newly established fund to financially help hospitality and restaurant employees across the four-county Pocono region who are out of work due to [Pennsylvania's extended COVID-19 restrictions](#), which went into effect December 12, 2020.
- WHEN:** [Tuesday, December 15, 2020 at 10:30 a.m.](#)
- WHERE:** Barley Creek Brewing Company  
1774 Sullivan Trail  
Tannersville, PA 18372 ([Google Maps](#))
- WHO:** Hear remarks from the following –  
Michael Tukeva, President/CEO, Pocono Mountains United Way  
Ciara Devlin, Server, Barley Creek Brewing Company  
Gianna Napoli, Server, Barley Creek Brewing Company  
Eric Noone, Owner, The Frogtown Chophouse  
Lyman Winner, Owner, The Frogtown Chophouse

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#### **About the Pocono Mountains**

With 2,400 square miles encompassing Pennsylvania's Wayne, Pike, Monroe, and Carbon counties, the Pocono Mountains region is home to rolling mountain terrain, breathtakingly beautiful waterfalls, thriving woodlands and 170 miles of winding rivers. Winters offer guests the opportunity to ski, snowboard, snow tube and even snowshoe their way through snowy wonderlands encompassing more than 163 ski trails, while summers also cater to the active traveler allowing exploration of 261 miles of hiking and biking trails, more than 30 golf courses, whitewater rafting, boating, fishing and open access to nine state and two national parks.

Pocono Mountains visitor information is available online at [PoconoMountains.com](http://PoconoMountains.com) or by phone at [\(570\) 421-5791](tel:(570)421-5791). Follow [@PoconoTourismPR](#) on Twitter to stay current with up-to-date information. Established in 1934, the Pocono Mountains Visitors Bureau is a private, non-profit membership organization. The PMVB is the official destination marketing organization for the four counties of Wayne, Pike, Monroe, and Carbon in Northeastern Pennsylvania