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## **CITY OF LA MESA ISSUES EXECUTIVE ORDER CAPPING FEES RESTAURANTS ARE CHARGED BY FOOD DELIVERY APPS**

La Mesa, CA...The City of La Mesa issued [Executive Order 6-2021](#) on January 28, 2021, which temporarily caps fees third-party delivery companies may charge restaurants. The emergency public health orders have at times limited restaurants to only takeout and delivery services. These restrictions have placed a sudden and severe financial strain on La Mesa restaurants. Executive Order 6-2021 caps the per-order fees to a total combined amount of 18% (15% for delivery and 3% for all other fees or charges). It is the City's intent to help ease the financial burden on struggling businesses in our community and provide relief to a struggling local industry while keeping food delivery options accessible to consumers. Executive Order 6-2021 shall expire 60 days after the public health orders are lifted or when restaurants are permitted to resume indoor dining at 100% capacity, whichever occurs first.

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