

# CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) COMMUNICATIONS



April 1, 2020

Austal family,

I cannot tell you how proud I am of your effort during this pandemic. Once again, your actions have set us apart as the Nation's premier shipyard.

We're going to continue doing things like enhanced cleaning teams, extra hand sanitizers, emphasis on washing hands, auditing our work density while still being the safest yard building the greatest ships. All of our steps meet or exceed all of the OSHA and CDC guidelines for COVID-19 protection. I want to reemphasize the importance of good personal hygiene, and practicing social distancing at work and at home.

We do have one positive case and thankfully that employee is reportedly doing well at home. As cases in our community and state continue to rise, we need to expect more. We will respond per Austal protocol and in accordance with CDC guidelines and will continue to notify you as other cases arise.

Stay at home orders issued today for Mississippi and Florida do not apply to Austal workers and everyone should come to work as scheduled, even if you live in those states. We have provided a travel letter for you to keep in your car and to show law enforcement if you are stopped. <https://bit.ly/TrvLtr2>

I ask you to check your cell phone number in Workday so we can make sure you are getting the important updates and information as details on COVID-19 change almost daily. We want to make sure our Austal family stays fully informed.

It is important that you contact your family doctor immediately if you or a family member are feeling sick, and please please please continue washing your hands, using hand sanitizer, practicing good social distancing, and continue to look out for one another.

We're in this together and will get through this together!

Craig

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be the name "Craig".