- EO 2020-70 (Rescission of EO 2020-59)—Better known as the "Stay Home, Stay Safe" order, this order is in effect until May 15. Under the order, Michiganders must not leave their homes except to run critical errands, engage in safe outdoor activities, or go to specified jobs. EO 2020-70 allows the May 7 resumption of some types of work that present a very low risk of infection, including construction, real-estate activities, and work primarily performed outdoors. Businesses must adopt measures to protect their workers against the spread of COVID-19, which are outlined in the order.
- <u>EO 2020-69</u> (Rescission of EO 2020-43)—This order, in effect until May 28, temporarily closes certain "places of public accommodation"—including libraries, recreation centers and museums, as well as theaters, bars, casinos, and more. Under the order, restaurants are limited to carry-out and delivery orders.
- EO 2020-68—This order declares a state of emergency and state of disaster across the state under the Emergency Management Act of 1976, and is effective through May 28. Declaring states of emergency and/or disaster allows the governor to activate applicable relief forces, and promulgate executive orders, rules and regulations deemed necessary to protect life and property or to bring the emergency situation under control. Please note the state of emergency declaration, effective to May 28, does NOT change the "stay home, stay safe" order, currently in effect until May 15.
- EO 2020-48 (Rescission of EO 2020-15)—In effect through May 13, the order temporarily changes the Open Meetings Act (OMA) to allow public bodies to conduct their meetings electronically, while also facilitating public participation. Township boards and commissions subject to OMA can use conference call or video conferencing to continue meeting and conducting business during the coronavirus crisis. (Note: With its expiration next week, MTA has been in frequent contact with the governor's office on this order, which is being reviewed by the Executive Office.)
- <u>EO 2020-38</u>—This order, in effect through June 4, relaxes requirements for responding to Freedom of Information Act requests made by mail or fax during the COVID-19 emergency. The order allows townships to defer portions of requests that would require workers to report to work in-person.