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UPDATED STATEMENT FROM
THE VORTEX – 04/20/2020**

THE VORTEX TO REOPEN LITTLE 5 POINTS LOCATION ON ANNIVERSARY

Beginning Monday, April 20th, The Vortex will begin offering limited take-out service at their Little 5 Points location.

ATLANTA (April 20, 2020) – Atlanta’s most famous burger restaurant, The Vortex Bar & Grill, temporarily closed both of its locations (Midtown & L5P) on April 1st, to help “flatten the curve” of the Corona virus pandemic. Since that time the company has been receiving a steady stream of inquiries from their loyal fans as to when they will be reopening, as well as from employees who are eager to return to work.

Since April 20th is the (28th) Anniversary of this iconic business, The Vortex has decided to re-open its Little 5 Points location for take-out service. Vortex Co-owner, Michael Benoit, said, “While we can’t logistically offer our entire menu at this time, we have created a limited take-out menu of some of our most popular items, which we have posted on our website.”

Benoit further explained, “We will not be opening the Midtown location at this time, as we believe the L5P location will be more conducive to the government requirements still in place. Ample free parking is available, making the transactions easier, and allowing plenty of room to maintain proper social distancing. We’re just hoping that enough folks will support us by ordering take-out, so we can continue to help assist our team members through this difficult time. That would be awesome.”

He went on to say, “Everything we do at The Vortex is about keeping our loyal fans happy, so In addition to our temporary food menu, we are also offering our entire beer selection at a **50% discount**, and we have a pretty big selection.” Their current beer selection, which is listed inside their “BOOZE MENU,” can also be accessed on their website.

Until further notice, The Vortex-L5P will be open from **1:00 pm until 8:00 pm**, seven days a week. Take-out orders can be placed via telephone by calling (404) 688-1828 (Extension 1), and may also be placed in-person. The Vortex-L5P is located at **438 Moreland Avenue NE**, behind the giant laughing skull, in the heart of Little 5 Points. Their web address is TheVortexATL.com.

About The Vortex

Serving burgers and booze since 1992, The Vortex has earned its reputation as “the Godfather of Atlanta burger joints.” It has been honored with innumerable “best burger” awards from local and national publications, as well as accolades for “best beer selection,” “best neighborhood bar” and “best bar food.” Its extensive selection of beer and spirits, along with a

lively, non-conformist attitude, and ridiculously indulgent bar food are key reasons The Vortex is a perennial “reader poll,” and all-around Atlanta favorite.

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