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Restaurant & Catering

- **Pass The Sauced** (Woman of color-owned) (Oakland and San Francisco). Hand-crafted salsas available online and as part of a Community Food Box program via La Cocina.
- **Yaqueline y Su Sabor Cubano** (Woman of color-owned) (Oakland) Cuban food available for pre-order and delivery.
- **A Lunch in a Box** (Woman-owned) (San Rafael) Open for pickup or delivery.
- **Con sabor a mexico** (POC-owned) (San Jose) Mexican food available for takeout. Social Media: _consaboramexico_
- **Tortas Ahogadas Tradición Tapatía** (Woman-owned) (San Jose) Tortas available for take out, Monday - Friday 10am - 5pm Sat - Sun 9am - 6pm.
• **Azalina’s** (Woman of color-owned) (San Francisco) Malaysian food available for takeout and delivery. Instagram: @azalinas_

• **The Sarap Shop** (Woman of color co-owned) (San Francisco) Filipino food meal kits for sale. Instagram: @thesarapshop

• **The American Grilled Cheese Kitchen** (Woman co-owned) (San Francisco - South Park) Gourmet grilled cheese sandwiches available for takeout, delivery, curbside pickup.

• **Emmy’s Spaghetti Shack** (Woman-owned) (San Francisco - Mission and Valencia) Curbside pick up/take out and gift cards available.

• **Frisco Fried - soul food** (POC-owned) (San Francisco - Bayview) San Francisco-style soul food available by doordash delivery available.

• **Hobee’s Restaurant** Breakfast and lunch available by curbside pickup/takeout. Clients can also purchase gift cards.

• **Creative Ideas Catering** (Woman of color-owned) (San Francisco) Global fusion with Latin flavors delivery available online. Gift cards also available.

• **Radio Africa Kitchen** (POC-owned) (San Francisco) Ethiopian food takeout and delivery available. Reopening on April 6th

• **Yo Soy Ceviche** (Woman of color-owned) (San Francisco) Ceviche and Peruvian tapas available for delivery.

• **Avanti Pizza** Pizza, Italian dishes available for delivery and pick-up.

• **El Pipila** (Woman of color-owned) Guanajuatan cuisine, gift cards available [here](#).

• **La Laguna Taqueria** (POC-owned) (San Francisco) Mexican food available online

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**Wines and Bottle Shops**

• **Free Range Flower Winery** (Woman of color-owned) Online sales, local delivery of wines available.
Gratta Wines (San Francisco) Wine and market items available for delivery or pick-up.

Bakeries and Desserts

The Cake & Sugar Company (Woman-owned) (San Jose) Sweets and soul food available by catering, meal prep, single orders. Take out & limited deliveries available. Instagram: @itscakeandsugarco.

The Malawah Bar (Woman-owned) (Santa Clara) Handcrafted Yemenite bread available by delivery and take out.

The Xocolate Bar (Women-owned) (Berkeley) Organic and fair trade chocolate available online and curbside pickup. Clients can also purchase gift cards. Instagram: @xocolatebar

Yvonne’s Southern Sweets (Woman of color-owned) (San Francisco) Delicious specialty desserts

The Cake Shop (Woman-owned) (San Mateo) Bakery open for takeout on Tuesday - Saturday, 11 am - 5 pm.

1000 Layer Bakery (Woman of color-owned) (Sunnyvale) Bakery open for online orders.

Three Babes Bakeshop (Woman and minority-owned) (San Francisco) Pies available for pick-up or delivery.
Entertainment and Online Learning

- **Avital Tours** (Woman-owned) Remote culinary experiences available. Article.
- **Erin Parsley Dance** (woman-owned) (SoMa) Virtual dance classes!
- **Tiny House Theatre** (Santa Cruz) Webinars or online videos of nature-inspired puppetry and storytelling, craft kits for children available.
- **Jenny Lemons** (Woman-owned) (San Francisco) Virtual sewing workshops. Instagram: @jennylemons
- **Azalina’s** (Woman of color-owned) (San Francisco) Cooking classes available! Instagram: @azalinas_
- **The Malawah Bar** (Woman-owned) (Santa Clara) Virtual cooking classes available!
- **Sharon Z Jewelry** (Woman-owned) (SoMa) Online jewelry-making classes available.
- **Dragonfly Designs** (woman-owned) (SoMa) Online sales of DIY jewelry kits for children.

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Art

- **Ase Arts** (Woman of color-owned) Art available online.
- **Kieren Dutcher Illustration** (women-owned) Folk art prints available online.

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Fashion and Beauty

- **North and East Leather** (POC-owned) (Richmond) Handcrafted, small-batch leather goods available online for shipping.
- **Jenny Lemons** (Woman-owned) (San Francisco) Small-batch clothing available online. Instagram: jennylemons
- **Sharon Z Jewelry** (Woman-owned) (SoMa) Jewelry available online.
- **Kopolo California** (Woman of color-owned) (SoMa) Women’s fashion online.
- **S for Sparkle** (Woman-owned) Online retail jewelry.
- **Bella Medical Skincare** (Woman-owned) (SoMa) High-quality for sale online from a licensed esthetician
- **Jane Consignment** (Woman-owned) Online sales of consignment clothing, gift cards available.
- **Kenyan Safari Designs Online** (Woman of color-owned) (East Bay) African jewelry, accessories, and clothing sold online.
- **BENDY by Ashbury Skies** (Woman-owned) Stylish, comfortable women’s shoes available online.

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Retail

- **McVicker Pickles** (Woman-owned) (SoMa) Fermented goods, bloody mary mix, and fermenting book available online. Instagram: @mcvickerpickles
• **Kalm Korner** (Woman-owned) (SoMa) Natural skincare products available online.

• **Rue Atelier** (Woman-owned) (SoMa) Women’s clothing boutique, products and gift cards available online.

• **Free Flow Botanicals** (Woman of color-owned) (SoMa) Plant-based skin care and gift cards available online, webinars.

• **The Animal House** Pet supplies available by curbside pickup, gift cards available.


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**Health**

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• **East Bay Ayurveda** (Woman of color-owned) (East Bay) Online health consultations available.

• **NLP Repatterning** (Woman-owned) (SoMa) Mental health webinars available.

• **Bridget McKenna, Ph.D** (SoMa) (Woman-owned) Mental health services by webinar or online video.

• **Tree of Life Health Advocates** (Woman-owned) Health services available remotely and by telephone.

• **Stephanie’s Ginger Snap Shots** (Women-owned) Online sales of natural fruit and vegetable shots.

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**Professional Services**

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• **Green Time Cleaning Service** (POC-owned) (Rodeo - Contra Costa County) Open for business and considered an “essential service”
• **Your All Day Everyday Janitorial Service** (POC-owned) (San Francisco) Commercial and industrial cleaning available.

• **Harris Hoisting** (POC and Woman-owned) Open for construction.

• **Master Painting & Decorating** (POC-owned) Open for commercial painting.

• **Southeast Electrical Contractors** (POC-owned) Electrical, laborers, and site clean-up services available.

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