Press Release May 8, 2020

On May 7, 2020 at 1:24 p.m. Judges and Mayors were asked by the Texas Division of Emergency Management if we would like to have additional testing done for the week of May 11th-17th in our city or county.

In our continued effort to safeguard our communities against the spread of COVID19 myself and Marfa City Mayor Baeza submitted a request to have additional **testing in Marfa on May 14th, Thursday**. The tests will be conducted from **9am to 5pm** at the same location as the previous location which is the Marfa Visitor Center. The same protocols outlined in the informational flyers must still be followed. You must contact the call center to make an appointment at **512-883-2400**. You will be asked a series of questions regarding symptoms and should you be Non-Symptomatic, you will still be given to the option to go ahead and get tested if that is your preference. Up to 96 tests, and possibly more, will be available.

COVID Test Sites in DDC08

May 11

City of Presidio: Presidio Fire Station, 100 E. FM 170, Presidio, Texas 79845

May 14

City of Marfa: Marfa Visitor Center 302 South Highland Avenue, Marfa, Texas 79843

Also at this time I will provide our communities with an update on Texas COVID19 Mobile Testing Results for testing that occurred on April 26, 2020:

Presidio County COVID-19 REPORT

Date	Positive	Negative	Results Pending	Not Tested
4.26.2020	О	105	0	4

***Not tested on your results usually means no show appointments and/or may also include people changing appointment to a test date at a different location.

Positive Cases

Texas Department of State Health Services, Public Health Region 9/10 will be notified when a positive case of COVID-19 is reported from one of the Mobile Testing sites. All positive COVID-19 cases require an epidemiological investigation prior to a formal notification. These COVID-19 investigations sometimes can be extensive based on number of contacts. Once initial investigation is completed, a notification to County Judge will be issued.

As Mother's Day approaches I ask that ALL continue to take precautions, practice social distancing and wear masks whenever possible.

In closing, I would like to extend my gratitude to the Presidio County EMC, Gary Mitchke, the County Commissioners, City of Presidio, and City of Marfa for the hard work and dedication in facing this challenge collaboratively with strength and committed service to our Presidio County residents.

Please call if you have any questions.

Respectfully, Cinderela Guevara Presidio County Judge