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PRESS RELEASE, FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: ALARMING RISE OF COVID-19 CASES IN PRESIDIO COUNTY

WITH CORONA VIRUS ON THE RISE, BIG GATHERINGS SHOULD BE AVOIDED. STATE CORONAVIRUS RULES LIMIT OUTDOOR GATHERINGS TO 100 PEOPLE AND MANDATE MASKS WHERE IT IS HARD TO MAINTAIN DISTANCE FROM OTHERS. THIS REITERATES THE NEED FOR PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY. YOU MUST PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS-AVOID LARGE GATHERINGS, WEAR A MASK, AND STAY AT LEAST 6 FEET APART FROM OTHER PEOPLE AND FREQUENTLY WASH YOUR HANDS.

On November 19th, 2020, The Texas Department of Health Region 9/10 of El Paso sent a PSAP (Public Service Answering Points) Report, which reported 54 new cases in our county, with 30 in Presidio, 21 in Marfa, 2 in Redford and 1 in Shafter. This information has since been revised by the Texas Department of Health. The corrected amount of new cases are 42 cases of which 29 in Presidio, 10 in Marfa, 2 in Redford and 1 in Shafter.

The Texas Department of Health has informed the County Judge's office of 41 new cases in Presidio County:

Case # 231 is a Female from Marfa in her seventies

Case # 232 is a Male from Marfa in his thirties

Case # 233 is a Female from Marfa aged ten-nineteen

Case # 234 is a Female from Marfa in her sixties

Case # 235 is a Male from Marfa in his seventies

Case # 236 is a Female from Marfa in her twenties

Case #237 is a Female from Marfa in her thirties

Case #238 is a Female from Marfa in her fifties

Case #239 is a Male from Marfa in his sixties

Case #240 is a Female from Marfa in her thirties

Case #241 is a Male from Presidio in his thirties

Case #242 is a Female from Presidio in his forties Case #243 is a Male from Presidio aged ten-nineteen Case #244 is a Female from Presidio in her thirties Case #245 is Male from Presidio in his sixties Case #246 is a Female from Presidio in her eighties Case #247 is a Male from Presidio in his forties Case #248 is a Male from Presidio in his twenties Case #249 is a Male from Presidio in his fifties Case #250 is a Female from Presidio in her forties Case #251 is a Male from Presidio in his seventies Case #252 is a Male from Presidio in their seventies Case #253 is a Female from Presidio aged ten-nineteen Case #254 is a Male from Presidio in his fifties Case #255 is a Female from Presidio his twenties Case #256 is a Male from Presidio his sixties Case #257 is a Female from Presidio her seventies Case #258 is a Male from Presidio in his fifties Case #259 is a Male from Presidio in his forties Case #260 is a Female from Presidio in her thirties Case #261 is a Male from Presidio in his twenties Case #262 is unknown gender from Presidio in their seventies Case #263 is a Female from Presidio in her seventies Case #264 is a Male from Presidio in his thirties Case #265 is a Female from Presidio aged ten-nineteen Case #266 is a Male from Presidio in her forties Case #267 is a Male from Redford in his seventies Case #268 is a Female from Redford in her eighties Case #269 is a Male from Marfa in his twenties Case #270 is a Female from Marfa in her thirties Case #271 is a Male from Marfa in his thirties Case #272 is a Female from Marfa in her thirties

In the meantime, please continue to be vigilant in practicing as much social distancing as possible, wash your hands frequently and ALWAYS WEAR A MASK.

TAKE ALL QUARANTINE MEASURES SERIOUSLY. IF YOU TEST POSITIVE OR YOU RESIDE WITH A FAMILY MEMBER WHO HAS TESTED POSITIVE, YOU MUST QUARANTINE IMMEDIATELY. IF YOU RESIDE WITH A FAMILY MEMBER WHO IS ISOLATED IN YOUR HOME, REGARDLESS, YOU MUST QUARANTINE. FAILURE TO DO SO IS CONSIDERED CRIMINAL BEHAVIOR, CLASS "A" MISDEMEANOR TO WIT:

DEADLY CONDUCT - TEXAS PENAL CODE 22.05 (a)(e)

Deadly Conduct is a crime defined in the Texas Penal Code under Chapter 22.05. This crime is committed when one recklessly engages in conduct that places another person in imminent danger of serious bodily injury.

PLEASE TAKE THIS VIRUS SERIOUSLY, PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS, WEAR A MASK, WASH YOUR HANDS AND KEEP 6FT DISTANCE

Thank You,

Cinderela Guevara, Presidio County Judge