

April 22, 2020  
4:00 PM  
Big Horn County  
COVID-19 Update/Response

As of 3:00 this afternoon we have **326** laboratory confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Wyoming, 121 probable case and 275 people who have fully recovered and are not quarantined or hospitalized anymore. Unfortunately we have 6 COVID-19 related deaths in our State. Big Horn County currently has **1** laboratory confirmed case and **1** probable case and we are fortunate to have zero COVID-19 related deaths in our county.

In recent discussions with State partners and representatives of the Governor's office we are beginning to hear talk of a transition to begin opening services back up. With that being said, we need to be very clear that we are still need to "Stay the Course" at this time. President Trump recently released his *Opening Up America Guidelines*, these guidelines have very clear phases for the process of opening our country and economy back up. At this time Big Horn County has not met the criteria for phase one which would allow us to begin the process and transition. As we receive further direction from Governor Gordon, and our public health officials we will being to create a transition plan for Big Horn County that allows the quickest economic recovery possible while continuing to be vigilant in protecting the health and safety of Big Horn County Citizens.

We are attaching the Presidents guidelines for your review. Please look these over and begin to think about how your business and family can accomplish the requirements of each phase of these guidelines. There will come a time these plans will be requested and will help guide the reopening of our County.

Your continued support adherence to the public health orders, social distancing and hygiene protocols is crucial in working through a transition as successfully and quickly as possible.

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