Pueblo de San Ildefonso
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

UPDATED ORDER REGARDING STAY-AT-HOME REQUIREMENTS, CLOSURE OF PUEBLO AND CURFEW

This UPDATED ORDER REGARDING STAY-AT-HOME REQUIREMENTS, CLOSURE OF PUEBLO AND CURFEW is issued pursuant to Section 2.2.1 AUTHORIZING EMERGENCY POWERS TO GOVERNOR and Executive Order 2021-01. This Order will be effective immediately and will remain in effect until further notice. This Order may be adjusted as needed to meet the Pueblo’s public health and safety needs.

STAY-AT-HOME REQUIREMENTS

1. All Pueblo residents (tribal members and non-member residents) living on Pueblo lands should remain in their home and yard area except for the most essential travel activities necessary for their health, safety or welfare.
2. Pueblo residents who travel outside of the Pueblo for any reason are expected to practice social distancing and follow good health safety practices such as hand-washing or using hand sanitizer, wearing a face covering or mask, and sanitizing high touch areas such as cell phones, keys, steering wheels, etc. Be mindful that every time you leave the Pueblo, you put yourself, your family and your community at risk of contracting COVID-19.
3. Pueblo residents may check on or assist seniors/family/community members in need of assistance but individuals should not be visiting or gathering unnecessarily.
4. No indoor social or mass gatherings of more than 10 individuals unless there are 10 or more individuals that live in the home. These limits are subject to change based on COVID-19 conditions in the community.
5. Outdoor activities are encouraged to help with the physical and mental wellbeing of Pueblo residents provided that time outdoors is limited to what is necessary for those activities, you practice social distancing by maintaining at least 6 feet apart from other people, and follow safety practices (hand washing, wear a mask or face covering.) Outdoor social or mass gatherings are limited to no more than 10 individuals, except in the case of funerals which is limited to no more than 30 individuals, provided they follow 6 feet social distancing requirements and wear masks and comply with the Pueblo’s Funeral Procedures.
6. Tribal residents are allowed to work on their fields or tend to their livestock provided that social distancing and safety practices are followed.
7. In-person public community events or gatherings may be allowed to proceed with Governor’s prior approval based on specific determinations for social distancing and capacity requirements;
8. The facility closures and limitations continue but may be changed as deemed necessary and appropriate in accordance with Paragraph 7 above.
9. The Tribal Administration is open to provide services but subject to those measures deemed necessary to protect employees and Pueblo residents. Walk-in visits are discouraged and staff are available by phone. Masks are required for visitors and employees within the Tribal Administration Building unless an employee is alone in a private office.
   a. The Facilities Department is on-call and will respond in-person to water and sewer emergencies.
   b. The Transfer Station remains open and regular trash pickup schedule will continue.
   c. The Governor’s Office remains open to address day-to-day business; but walk-in visits are discouraged in order to protect our staff and community members. Call (505) 455-2273 with questions or if assistance is needed.
10. The Pueblo’s convenience stores and gas station operations are considered as essential businesses and will remain open subject to those measures necessary to protect employees and customers.

**CLOSURE OF PUEBLO AND CURFEW**

1. There is a curfew from the hours of 10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. No Pueblo resident is allowed to be outside of their home or traveling within the Pueblo during the curfew hours.
2. Exceptions to the curfew are for emergency medical situations or for employees traveling to or from work.
3. The Pueblo will be closed to all outside visitors, tourists and non-residents, and this includes non-tribal member family from other Pueblos or Tribes.
4. **Exceptions** to the Pueblo closure are:
   a. San Ildefonso tribal members, regardless of where they reside.
   b. Employees of the Pueblo or its businesses.
   c. Non-resident essential vendors, contractors, or commercial delivery drivers. This includes essential vendors, contractors and delivery drivers providing services to tribal residents at their homes.
   d. Non-resident customers accessing the Pueblo’s convenience stores and gas stations.
   e. Non-residents traveling through the Pueblo’s lands on State Roads, BIA Public Roads and County Maintained Roads within the El Rancho area, provided they remain in the vehicles.
   f. Individuals outside of the above categories needing to come into the Pueblo to help a Pueblo resident with things like child care, health care or other assistance. In those types of situations, the Pueblo resident must contact the Governor’s Office to get prior authorization for that person to be allowed entrance to the Pueblo. The Pueblo resident requesting access authorization will be responsible for the actions of that person while on the Pueblo.
5. No arts & crafts or food vendors are permitted to sell. This includes bake sales and fundraisers.
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COMPLIANCE WITH TRIBAL ORDERS AND ENFORCEMENT

All individuals, as responsible Pueblo members and residents, are expected to support and comply with the Pueblo’s Orders, directives and protocols, including the Pueblo’s UPDATED COVID-19 REPORTING AND SELF-QUARANTINE ORDER, for everyone’s safety and well-being. However, it is in the best interest of the community to make sure that the Pueblo orders, directives and protocols are followed and complied with.

As a result, the following procedures, fines and penalties are established for failure to follow an order, directive or protocol issued by the Pueblo related to COVID-19 emergency response during this continuing State of Emergency:

A. FINES AND PENALTIES FOR FAILURE TO FOLLOW PUEBLO COVID-19 ORDER, DIRECTIVE, OR PROTOCOL RELATING TO COVID-19 EMERGENCY RESPONSE

1. First Offense: Written warning.
2. Second Offense: $100 Fine
3. Third Offense: $200 Fine
4. Fourth Offense: Temporary Exclusion from the Pueblo for a period to be determined by the Governor, not to exceed 90 days.
5. Flagrant Violation or Aggravating Circumstances: In event of a flagrant violation or if aggravating circumstances exist, penalties and fines do not need to be issued in sequential order and may include immediate temporary exclusion from the Pueblo for a period to be determined by Governor, not to exceed 90 days.

B. AUTHORITY TO ISSUE CITATION FOR ENFORCEMENT OF COVID-19 ORDERS OR DIRECTIVES

The Governor may request the assistance of BIA Law Enforcement or Pojoaque Pueblo Police Department as necessary to enforce the Pueblo’s COVID-19 Orders or Directives.

C. PAYMENT OF FINES

Payment of fines shall be made to the Pueblo Finance Department within thirty (30) days of issuance of a citation.

D. In addition to the above fines and penalties for failing to follow a COVID-19 related order, directive or protocol, all of the criminal sanctions under the Pueblo’s laws remain in effect.

The Pueblo leadership does not take these actions lightly or without great concern for the health and well-being of our community members. We ask for your continued support, patience, and understanding to do your part to help the Pueblo de San Ildefonso community to remain strong and healthy through this COVID-19 pandemic.

Governor Christopher A. Moquino

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