

Huntsville, Alabama	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Alabama Local	COVID-19: Huntsville-Area Update for August 5, 2020 These media briefings typically occur on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12 p.m. to provide the public with the most current information on our community's COVID-19 response. Closed Captioning provided.	https://www.facebook.com/56122181463_772111803366520
AZ Rep. Isela Blanc (D-AZ-026) Arizona House	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Arizona State Legislature	dougdacey @POTUS @WhiteHouse We would not be in this situation if you all managed this crisis properly!! Instead, growing #COVID19 cases, thousands of lives lost, small businesses closing, millions unemployed, many risk loosing their homes, and families who can't afford the medical costs if they get sick!	https://twitter.com/IselaBlancAZ/status/1291035919365988352
San Mateo County, California	August 5, 2020	Tweet	California Local	Board of Supes at 8/4 mtg approved an amendment to a temporary countywide moratorium on eviction for non-payment of rent by residential tenants impacted by #COVID19 thru 8/31 & extended time for delayed payments: https://t.co/4DV7b32Dfu More: @County_DOH	https://twitter.com/sanmateoco/status/1291057683311652865
Goleta, California	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	California Local	Goleta News Wrap-Up: Check out the August 2020 Edition of the Monarch Press August is typically a time of wrapping up summer vacations, back to school shopping and settling down for fall, but COVID-19 has changed all of that. None of us ever imagined that we would be in the place we are now. Fortunately, we live in a great community filled with #GoodLandGoodPeople who are looking out for one another and making the best of this ongoing pandemic. August is a busy month for the City of Goleta and we appreciate you taking time out to read this edition of the Monarch Press which is packed with important information about what is happening in your community. We remain committed to keeping you informed as information changes every day. Thanks for doing your part to help us #reCOVERgoleta and support our local businesses. Also, it's imperative that you fill out your Census if you have not already. It's easier than ever before and important for the future of Goleta. Let's #MakeGoletaCount! View the August issue at www.GoletaMonarchPress.com . Features to look for this time are: - Goleta City Council Encourages You to Protect. Respect. Wear a Mask. - Important Reminders to Help Us #reCOVERgoleta - Households and Gatherings: Staying Safe During COVID-19 - Face Covering Q & A - How to Help Your Kids Navigate the Impacts of COVID-19 - Goleta CERT Team Acts as Business Ambassadors During Pandemic - City of Goleta Partners to Provide Financial Assistance to Small Businesses - Fire Risk Reduced Along Highway 101 Corridor - Update on Goleta's Homelessness Strategic Plan - Construction of New Sidewalks Nears Finish Line in Old Town - New Website to Help Understand Your Property's Wildfire Risk - Census Countdown is Here - Less than Two Months Left to Make Goleta Count! - Lake Los Carneros Wooden Footbridge Closed Due to Public Safety Hazard - Emergency Tree Trimming Necessary for Public Safety - Train Depot Design Goes to Council August 5 - Coastal Cleanup Day--Every Saturday in September - Goleta's First Community Garden! - Splash Pad Coming to Goleta - City of Goleta Joins National Clean Energy Challenge - Residential Solar and Battery Storage 101 Webinar - Goleta Planning Commission Welcomes Two New Members - City of Goleta Looking for Two New Parks and Recreation Commissioners Including Student - New Website: 50 Great Public Lands Destinations - Santa Barbara and Beyond - Support Local Animal Organizations with the Library's Book to Action Donation Drive - Local Animal Rescue Experts Examine Human-Animal Bonds at August 13 Virtual Library Event - Library Summer Reading Program Concludes with over 8,200 Books Read - Storytimes, Crafts, Book Clubs and More Offered Virtually at the Library - Clear the Shelters Adopt and Donate Campaign - Local Hospitality Hero - Watch a Movie Under the Stars and Enjoy UCSB's FREE Summer Cinema Series - The GVAA Virtual Art Show is Now Open Keep current on COVID-19 news from the City at www.CityofGoleta.org/COVID19 . Sign up for COVID-19 email/text notifications at https://tinyurl.com/vcu7agk or text GOLETA COVID19 to 468311. Visit the Santa Barbara County Public Health Department portal at https://publichealthsb.org/ for the latest COVID-19 updates. You can also follow the City on our social media platforms: Facebook (@CityofGoleta), Twitter (@GoletaPIO), and Instagram (@CityofGoleta). Sign up for other news and information from the City at https://tinyurl.com/GoletaSubscriptions . #cityofgoleta #GoletaMonarchPress	https://www.facebook.com/208746589150172_3456675054357293
San Mateo County, California	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	California Local	NEWS: The Board of Supervisors at its Aug. 4 meeting approved an amendment to Emergency Regulation 2020-001, a temporary, countywide moratorium on eviction for non-payment of rent by residential tenants directly impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic through Aug. 31, 2020, and extended the time period in which delayed payments shall be made. The action places a temporary countywide moratorium on evictions from residential units for: (1) non-payment of rent by tenants directly impacted by the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic; and (2) certain no-fault causes unless the eviction is necessary for the health and safety of the tenant, other residents in the tenant's building, the landlord, or the landlord's family. (3) amends repayment period for delayed payments. Read the full staff report at https://bit.ly/3keb4YA See more tenant information at https://www.smcgov.org/covid-19-help-residential-and-commercial-renters	https://www.facebook.com/351521204963267_3166982453417114
Antioch, California	August 5, 2020	Tweet	California Local	As COVID-19 continues and the pandemic stretches into the fall, State and County Orders are very clear: community gatherings are prohibited in outdoor places, including recreational team sports, contact sports, and social parties. https://t.co/l8oOvmRvIr https://t.co/ElzhstewBg	https://twitter.com/AntiochCAGov/status/1291038397214015489
Glendale, California	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	California Local	#COVID19 does not care how young you are. You can get seriously sick or infect friends and family. Wear a mask, keep 6 feet apart, wash your hands and only gather with people you live with. #COVID19 no le importa lo joven que seas. Puede enfermarse gravemente o infectar a amigos y familiares. Use una mascara, mantengase a 6 pies de distancia, lavese las manos y solo reunase con las personas con las que vive. #COVID19- i karewor ch'e, t'e ork'an eritasard ek': Dowk' karogh ek' Irjoren hivandanal kam varakel dzer enkerinerin ow entanik'i andamnerin: Dimak hagek', 6 otnach'ap' herhavorowt' yown pahek', dzerhk'ere lvats'ek' ew havak'vek' miayn ayn mardkants` het, oronts` het aprowm ek':	https://www.facebook.com/139409529430217_887721371755579

<p>Supervisor Dave Cortese (Santa Clara County, CA) Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors, California</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>Tweet</p>	<p>California Local</p>	<p>RT @AmandaABC7: #TONIGHT "It really is not just a deadly disease in terms of what it does to people, it's deadly in terms of what it's doin... California's Great America (@CAGreatAmerica): We are disappointed to announce that California's Great America will remain closed for the rest of 2020 due to the uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic and related restrictions. Here's how we're taking care of Passholders and info on what's coming in 2021: https://t.co/2qJlgPF10C https://t.co/f88LGRGZqj</p>	<p>https://twitter.com/DaveCortese/status/1291021185447165952</p>
<p>San Gabriel, California</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>YouTube Video</p>	<p>California Local</p>	<p>tonight good evening everyone and welcome to the city council meeting today is tuesday august 4th I will call the meeting to order at 8:30 please or allegiance will be led by me tonight please stand place your right hand over your heart and face to where the flag is normally placed ready begin i pledge allegiance to the flag of the united states america and to the republic for which it stands okay clerk please call roll mayor manchaca here vice mayor liao here council member dean here council member harrington here council member pooh here we will start with some announcements from our chief city clerk tonight's meeting is live streamed on cable channel 3 and our online platforms please email all public comments to city clerk at sgch.org no later than the time the item is considered by the council tonight comments will be read for up to 3 minutes each comments received after the end of the public comment section will be forwarded to the city council after the meeting if you wish to be added to the distribution list to receive city council agendas please email your request to cityclerk@sgch.org okay and now an announcement from our city manager mark thank you mary minchaka i wanted to mention to the council very briefly that mayor manchak and i have been working over the last or talking to each other over the last couple of weeks about how we might be able to make our meetings a little bit more efficient and a little shorter and one of the things we noticed is that when we were in live meetings together we didn't go through and ask each council member uh individual by individual whether they had a comment before and after each item and actually uh is kind of coincidental because mayor manchaka was at a meeting over the weekend with some community members and they mentioned the same thing and so what we thought we would do tonight and we've changed the mayor's script to read that we will not be calling out each individual council member for clarifying questions and then also afterwards for deliberation i'm not trying to stifle any conversation if you all have any questions at all at any time please feel free to speak up you can raise your hand and the mayor will see you or you can you know say pardon me mayor just like we always do um but we felt like if we call on everybody individually sometimes it creates a need or a desire for everybody to feel like they have to say something when they can leave those comments till uh deliberation or what have you so we're open to any suggestions after this meeting if this doesn't work we can go back to whatever format works but what we just figured that that might make things a little more efficient so mayor if it's uh if it works for you then let's try that tonight and see how it goes great yeah i think what's happened is that we've been adjusting to covet and the new environment that we have we're not on the diet so we can't always see each other right away or it's a little harder sometimes to have those that dialogue and um so we're just going to try this new format and hoping that um it's much more efficient and everyone could participate without having to stay up so late especially our our audience our community members so let's proceed to the approval of the agenda are there any objections to the agenda order i hear none so the order is approved uh next item please presentation a brick chief your microphone is still muted i did it again thank you madam mayor mister vice mayor members of council members of the community good evening this is gene harris and the police chief for the city of san gabriel and tonight i just want to talk a little bit about um the tradition that we have here in san gabriel with national night out on the first tuesday of every august in this case unfortunately because of some of the events surrounding covid19 we're unable to have the our traditional national night out where we get all of our community members together with members from our city family and bring it together in the spirit of building a safer san gabriel national night out has been held on the first tuesday in august of every year since 1983 where neighborhoods are invited to join uh 38 million other americans across 16 000 communities from all 50 states in u.s territories military bases to get together and and really demonstrate community togetherness the city of san gabriel has been participating since 1994. national night is an annual community building campaign that promotes strong community and police partnerships</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cmT2A8hZbmc</p>

<p>Mayor Muriel Bowser (DC) DC Office of the Mayor</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>YouTube Video</p>	<p>Council of the District of Columbia</p>	<p>Good afternoon thank you so much for joining as my name is tomias calimante deputy chief of staff to mayor bowser and we thank you for being on our community leader call uh you're going to hear uh shortly from dr nesbitt our director of the dc department of health we also have with us today christopher rodriguez director of the homeland security and emergency management office uh dr smith uh director of our department of forensic sciences john falchichio our chief of staff and acting deputy mayor for planning economic development and deputy mayor paul kind who is our deputy mayor for education uh and you'll hear from all of them shortly and we'll be here to answer your questions as well and just a reminder if you are in front of a device if you could please or a laptop if you could please uh visit coronavirus.dc.gov we will be reviewing that tool we're also joined by our our acting city image or assistant city administrator jay melder our director of community affairs lamont aikens our director of the office of community relations julia irving our director of nightlife and culture sean townsend and our director of religious affairs thomas bowen and our director of talent and appointments uh steve walker so again thank you all for joining us we'll be here to answer your questions but to get us started i'm going to kick it over to our director of health dr nasbat good afternoon everyone and thank you for joining us today for this important update on the district's uh posture and response as it relates to covet 19. uh we thank you all for your time and your assistance with our responses in the district we have had a all community response to covet 19. to date we have 10 cases of covet 19 in the district of columbia two of the cases we have not been able to identify their exposure to the virus which is indicative of community transmission one of the other factors related to covet 19 in the district has been the fact that across the region some of the cases in maryland and virginia have had an identified exposure in the district as a result of that over the past week we have taken a number of steps that are related to community mitigation when you have evidence of community transmission that have required us to implement strategies related to social distancing our initial steps were related to the recommendation for mass gatherings that now has been implemented as a prohibition or ban on mass gatherings implemented as a regulation of rule making effective yesterday for the restriction of mass gatherings of 250 people or more and if an event is before individuals who are part of the at-risk population those gatherings should not have more than 10 people and should be cancelled we also have a number of social distancing measures that have been in place and there are other individuals on the call who can give you the details of those but those social distancing measures include telework for district government employees as well as social distancing and distance learning opportunities for our d.c students we have been very deliberative in how the social distancing policies are being implemented we have a commitment to continuing providing essential services uh while this is underway including the provision of meals to people in our community who rely on us for that such as our students and seniors as well as providing essential services in the government related to public safety public works and some of the other essential services in some of our district government agencies the purpose of our social distancing efforts are to be able to reduce the amount of person to person or interact social interactions that we have in our community that would allow for the transmission of the virus and so our employees will still be working while we implement our telework policies so being in contact with the constituencies that they serve and our students will still be learning while we are implementing these policies so they are not designed for people to not be in their work enviro physical work environments that they typically are in and our students do not be in the schools we do not want activities to occur in the community that are designed for them to congregate in other places so it is not the opportunity to host uh social cultural entertainment options throughout the community uh with the assumption that people need things to uh do the mayor mentioned uh yesterday that we are using all of the assets we have available such as our uh tv station et cetera to be able to provide other</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hO5cT7FTpb0</p>
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<p>Mayor Muriel Bowser (DC) DC Office of the Mayor</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>YouTube Video</p>	<p>Council of the District of Columbia</p>	<p>and I highly thank you and so much for joining my name is comes parliamente deputy chief of staff to mayor bowser we want to thank you for being on today's community leader call on the district's response to covet 19 and again we want to remind everyone for the most up-to-date information and resources please visit coronavirus.dc.gov again that's coronavirus.dc.gov for all of your most up-to-date information resources and other items we will now pass it over to mayor bowser to get the call started so mayor you are live good afternoon everybody i want to start by thanking you for your leadership during these unprecedented times we are certainly all reminded that we're all in this together and we will get through it together i want to make a another reminder it's national census today so please continue to urge residents your constituents the people in your networks to fill out their census forms or do it online or by phone and they can learn more by going to 2020census.gov as you know this week we dc maryland and virginia all issued stay-at-home orders and each day you've heard a consistent message for me and everyone in district government and that's to stay home and to be clear this has been our message for several weeks there's no real difference between the direction that we gave this week and what we have been telling you from closing down our schools to birds and restaurants and entertainment facilities to all essential businesses so let me make it plain the only reason people should be leaving their home is to obtain medical care food or other essential household goods perform an essential job or governmental function work at an essential job engage in essential travel or to exercise this morning we begin reporting our covet 19 data by age group gender and ward we reported 91 new confirmed cases in the district bringing our overall cases to 586 and sadly i also reported that 11 district residents succumb to covet 19 and have died uh regarding the war by war data uh my message to everyone is no matter which ward you live in you need to be staying at home uh we are all eager to be getting back to normal life and the way that we do that is to flatten the curve and keep each other safe and when we do get to the other side of this we will recover together we know that many of our residents are feeling anxiety about lost wages right now we and they should know that federal assistance and unemployment benefits are arriving soon additionally the district's economic recovery team is developing additional assistance programs as the emergency continues there is more information about these programs and other resources on coronavirus.dc.gov so um with that we are um we'll now hear a brief report from dr laquandra nesbitt who leads the district's health department dc health dr nesbit so thank you mayor bowser for your continued leadership during this time i want to continue to express my sympathy and condolences to the families and all of our residents who have been impacted today by the impacts of covet 19 in our community since our first reported positive case of covet 19 in the district we've had 586 residents test positive and 142 residents have been cleared from isolation and recovered this means that today we continue to report more aggregate data and we invite you to take a look at our coronavirus at dc.gov website to see the new ways that we are providing data to our community about 30 53 of the positive cases in the district have occurred in males and nearly 50 percent of positive cases have been in persons between the ages of 19 and 40. while 19 of positive cases have been in individuals over the age of 60. among the 586 positive covet 19 cases in the district we have confirmed that 80 were hospitalized which translates to a 14 hospitalization rate in the district of columbia you may recall that very early on when we were trying to understand what the impact or experience of covet 19 would be in the district and in the united states we knew that in china about 80 percent of individuals would have mild symptoms or had mild symptoms that did not require hospitalization about 15 percent of people required hospitalization in just an acute care setting and about five percent of individuals require icu care so what we know now in the district is about 14 percent of our cases have required some form of hospitalization we also know that the average age of hospitalized individuals has been 59 years of age so while the nearly half</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2n20elzWRSU</p>
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<p>Mayor Muriel Bowser (DC) DC Office of the Mayor</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>YouTube Video</p>	<p>Council of the District of Columbia</p>	<p>Good evening and thank you so much for joining us for this week's community leader town hall. We're going to get started here in just a moment but want to remind everyone as we let our fellow neighbors join the call that are for the most up-to-date information and resources related to the district's covid 19 response and recovery efforts you can visit coronavirus.dc.gov so again i want to remind you of that site coronavirus.desatbc.gov we want to also remind you as we are about to close out june and enter july uh july is going to be a big month focus for getting uh responses for the census and so if you've not completed your census we hope that you do so asap um so you can do that by going to 2020.census.gov and you can respond to your census so we hope that everyone will go to 2020census.gov complete your census because we want to make sure that all residents in the district of columbia are counted so again that website is 2020census.gov we'll get started here in just a moment thank you so much for being with us all right and thank you again for joining us for this week's community leader town teletown hall my name is tomas talamanta and i'm deputy chief of staff to mayor muriel bowser we want to thank you for joining us this week and we're going to have updates for you from dr laquandra nesbit from our director of the dc department of health also joining us for the question and answer portion will be uh director christopher rodriguez uh with our department of homeland security and emergency management um and then we'll also hear from the mayor uh to if you have any questions or would like to get entered into our question queue you can do that now by pressing zero following remarks from dr nesbitt we will go into the q a portion of the program so again if you have any questions for for the mayor dr nesbitt our director rodriguez you can press zero now to be entered into our question queue uh and so without further ado we're going to hear from uh dr lachland and ezra dr nesbitt hi tomas and thank you so much for the introduction i'm so excited again this week to be with all of our members of the community who have joined us again for uh another informative and uh town hall session where we look forward to uh taking questions um i you know continue to be enthusiastic about the leadership that mayor bowser has shown as we are still in a public health emergency and responding to the impacts of covet 19 here in the district of columbia uh this past monday on june 22nd uh we entered into the phase two of our phased reopening in the district of columbia which uh allows us to reactivate some activities uh in the district of columbia we do ask people to still be judicious in recognizing some of the populations in the district that do have an increased risk of vulnerability or increased risk of severe illness uh if they do have um the opportunity to be impacted unfortunately uh by uh sars cov2 the virus that causes covet 19. so while we have added more activities or opportunity for activity in the district of columbia um including non-essential retail businesses being able to have patrons inside or more personal care services like tanning tattoo waxing nail salons reopening indoor dining restaurants are now reopening up to 50 percent of their capacity gyms and fitness studios are reopening and even some of our playgrounds uh have reopened across the city and so uh those opportunities for increased activity are there uh we put guidance on our website at coronavirus.dc.gov phase two uh to help people who operate those types of businesses as well as members of our community who are going to be visiting those businesses understand all of the precautions that we like you to be able to take so that we can continue to respond appropriately and keep the number of new cases that we have in the district of columbia uh low um we do want to make sure that residents are reminded of opportunities for free testing that is widely available and that anyone who believes they need to get tested should go and get a test we have many opportunities on weekdays for testing throughout the district on these sites are open during the day and throughout the evening and they are also open on saturdays from 12 to 4. more information about the testing opportunities can also be found on coronavirus.dc.gov or by calling one eight five five three six three zero three three three um we also know that there was tremendous interest in antibody testing or free serology testing or</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B8anq4JJS9w</p>
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<p>Mayor Muriel Bowser (DC) DC Office of the Mayor</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>YouTube Video</p>	<p>Council of the District of Columbia</p>	<p>Good evening and thank you for joining us for this evening's community leader call on covid-19. My name is Thomas Simons and I'm the deputy chief of staff for Mayor Muriel Bowser. Uh, and we want to thank you all for joining us. Um, again, I want to remind everyone, uh, for the most up-to-date information and resources related to the response and recovery efforts on COVID-19 in the District of Columbia, please visit coronavirus.dc.gov. Without further ado, I'm going to pass it to Mayor Bowser. Mayor, thank you, Thomas, and thank you for everyone joining us. I want to give a quick update and then make time for your questions. I'm joined today by Director Chris Rodriguez from HEMA and Dr. LaQuandra Nesbitt from DOH along with Hamas, who is my deputy chief of staff. Earlier today, we reported 99 new cases in the District, bringing our total cases to just over 6,500, and sadly, we also had to report 14 deaths, bringing the number of Washingtonians who have succumbed to this virus to 350. We, of course, keep those families and our thoughts and prayers as we continue to fight this virus, and while we are making significant progress based on the data and metrics that we are following closely, we are not ready to begin a phased reopening of the District. This morning, I announced that we are extending the District stay-at-home order through Monday, June 8th, but do keep in mind that based on the data, I can revise this order at any time to reflect that we are able to begin a phased, uh, reopening, so we will continue to watch every day, uh, if the numbers, uh, meet our requirements for a phase reopening. The main thing we need to do, however, is for each of us to play our role in reducing the spread of the virus. That means we need people who feel sick to get tested, we need people who test positive to properly isolate, even from their own family members, and we need those who aren't sick to stay at home as much as possible and to wear masks out in public. I also want to remind everyone of the free resources we're providing. Free testing is available at sites across the District, and residents can reach our testing hotline by calling 855-363-0333. If someone has tested positive but needs a place to isolate because they can't do so safely at home, the number to call is 888-349-8323. I want you to know that the sacrifices you continue to make are saving lives, and together, by staying home a little longer, we will not only be able to reopen but to stay open. We know that if we move too quickly, we could set ourselves back, and while we are certainly all eager to reopen our economy, get people back to work, kids back to school, we don't want to do anything that jeopardizes that progress. So again, thank you, everyone, who is helping us to get through on this, and I'm happy to hear your feedback and answer questions. I will have to um, take off in about 10 minutes, but I wanted to stay on the line, uh, to hear, um, any questions in that time. Thank you, Mayor, we're going to hear shortly from Dr. Nesbitt, then we'll go into questions, um, I do want to remind everyone now to get into our question queue, so we can try to take some questions as quickly as possible. To press zero now, and you'll be entered into the question queue. Again, that is, uh, press zero, and we will add you to our question queue, and we'll, uh, take questions after we hear it real quick from, uh, Dr. Neff at Dr. Nesbitt. Thank you so much, Thomas, and thank you, Mayor Bowser, for your continued leadership and support during this time. Uh, I'd just like to, um, expand a little bit and to share an update on the District of Columbia, uh, work to expand our disease surveillance and investigation efforts, more commonly known as the Contact Tracing Force. The primary purpose of the Contact Tracing Force is to support DC Health's critical operations to contain the spread of the novel coronavirus 2019, or COVID-19, in the District of Columbia, and to prevent hospitalizations and deaths. This will be achieved through rapid and robust case identification, case investigation, and contact tracing, as well as safe isolation and quarantine for all District residents. The four positions that we're looking to recruit were our lead supervisors, supervisors, case investigations, and contact tracers. The announcement for the positions closed last week on May 6, and this past Monday, we began onboarding the onboarding process with 20 new staff, approximately 20 new staff starting, and over the next few weeks, we will continue to onboard approximately 130 new employees. As we move towards reopening the city, we will look to increase our number of</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GAA7mVCM9cE</p>
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<p>Seminole County, Florida</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>Facebook Post</p>	<p>Florida Local</p>	<p>AUGUST 5: Learn more about Seminole County COVID-19 statistics at PrepareSeminole.org and FloridaHealhCOVID19.gov. DEATHS: Florida Department of Health was notified of 17 fatalities which were possibly caused by COVID-19. Of those deaths, Epidemiologists verified 15 cases were caused by COVID-19 and have been included in the fatality count and added to today's count. These fatalities occurred over the last month; newly identified cases along with date of death are noted on the state line list, beginning on page 114 (http://ww11.doh.state.fl.us/comm/_partners/covid19_report_archive/state_linelist_latest.pdf). Please note, all Seminole County COVID deaths are reported once the medical examiner and Epidemiology teams complete investigations to confirm COVID as the cause of death, meaning there is a delay between reported date and actual date of death. If COVID is listed on the death certificate as cause of death, the death is reported accordingly. TESTING: Find locations for testing and appointment links at PrepareSeminole.org. Pediatric and family testing is available at Florida Department of Health and True Health by appointment. If you are experiencing delays with testing reporting, please call the Citizens Information Line at 407-665-0000 (Monday-Friday, 8:00a.m. to 5:00p.m.). RATE OF POSITIVES: Yesterday's testing positive rate was 8.6%. See the two-week trend of this data at the State's site: http://ww11.doh.state.fl.us/comm/_partners/covid19_report_archive/county_reports_latest.pdf. Once a patient produces a positive COVID test, a single case is established. If an established case (patient) retests with a positive result, a new case is not created. There have been no instances in Seminole County of a cleared case becoming re-infected.</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/136300339746817_3299804996729653</p>
<p>Key West, Florida</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>Facebook Post</p>	<p>Florida Local</p>	<p>Health Department Hosts COVID-19 Testing Events August 10-14 Monroe County, Fla - The Florida Department of Health in Monroe County will be hosting free community-based COVID-19 testing events in Key West, Big Pine Key, Marathon, and Tavernier. Appointments are required. To schedule one, please call (786) 910-9764 or email TestingMonroe@flhealth.gov. Big Pine Key: Moose Lodge at 21 Wilder Rd. * Tuesday, August 11 from 8:30am to 12:30pm Key West: College of the Florida Keys at 5901 College Road * Wednesday, August 12 from 8:30am to 12:30pm Marathon: Ruth Ivins Center at 3333 Overseas Hwy * Friday, August 14 from 8:30am to 2:30pm Tavernier: Roth Building at 50 High Point Rd. * Monday, August 10, Tuesday, August 11, and Wednesday, August 12 from 8:30am to 2:30pm Testing is at no cost. Criteria for testing include: being a Monroe County resident, having a valid ID, and being pre-registered with name, address, phone number, and date of birth. No walk-ins are allowed. All events scheduled are as weather permits and may be cancelled up until the time of the event. If you need to be tested as soon as possible and are currently experiencing symptoms, schedule care with your medical provider or emergency room rather than waiting for testing at community events. Remember to call your provider ahead of your visit to ensure their respective protocols are followed. For local information about available testing in Monroe County, visit www.tinyurl.com/c19monroe.</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/385992198119278_3424749134243554</p>

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Opa-Locka, Florida	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Florida Local	Happening tomorrow! THE CITY OF OPA-LOCKA PRESENTS HOW TO RUN FOR OFFICE * Thursday, August 6 at 5:30 pm * Facebook Live on City of Opa-locka Page Topics Covered APPLICATION PROCESS Joanna Flores, CMC; City of Opa-locka, City Clerk * Overview of Becoming a Public Servant * Qualifying Period * Offices Open for the 2020 Opa-locka Municipal Election * Qualification Requirements * Where to Get Documents to File ETHICS COMMITTEE Michael Murawski, Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust * Fair Campaign Practices Act (voluntary and mandatory) * Exploitation of Official Position * Florida Statute 104 SERVICE IN OPA-LOCKA (FIRST HAND LOOK) * Mayor Matthew Pigatt * Vice-Mayor Chris Davis * Commissioner Joseph Kelley _____ Sucediendo manana! LA CIUDAD DE OPA-LOCKA UNA PRESENTACION DE COMO POSTULARSE COMO DELEGADO POLITICO * Jueves 6 de agosto a las 5:30 de la tarde * Por "Facebook Live" en la pagina de la ciudad de Opa-locka Topicos a cubrir PROCESO DE SOLICITUD Joanna Flores, CMC; Ciudad de Opa-locka, secretaria municipal * Descripcion general de convertirse en un servidor publico * Periodo de clasificacion * Oficinas abiertas para la eleccion municipal de 2020 Opa-locka * Requisitos de calificacion * Donde obtener documentos para archivar COMITE DE ETICA Michael Murawski, Comision de Etica y Confianza Publica de Miami-Dade * Ley de practicas justas de campana (voluntaria y obligatoria) * Detalles de la posicion oficial * Estatuto 104 de Florida SERVICIO EN OPA-LOCKA (PRIMERA MANO) * Alcalde Matthew Pigatt * Vicealcalde Chris Davis * Comisionado Joseph Kelley _____ K ap pase demen! Vil OPA-LOCKA prezante KOUUMAN POU Presente Candidati ou pou biwo * Jedi 6 out a 5:30 pm * Facebook Page sou Vil Opa-locka Sije ki kouvri PWOSESIS APLIKASYON Joanna Flores, CMC; Vil Opa-locka, Grefye Vil la * Apesi sou kondisyon pou vin yon piblik sevite * Peryod Kalifikasyon * Biwo louvri pou 2020 Opa-locka Minisipal Eleksyon an * Kondisyon pou Kalifikasyon * Ki kote yo ka jwenn dokiman yo ranpli KOMITE ETIK Michael Murawski, Komisyon Miami-Dade sou Etik ak Konfyans Piblik * Kanpay Pratik Lwa san Patipri (volonte ak obligatwa) * Esplwate de pozisyon ofisyel * Lwa Florida 104 SEVIS NAN OPA-LOCKA (PREMYE MEN) * Majistra Matthew Pigatt * Vis-Majistra Chris Davis * Komisyone Joseph Kelley #MaskUpOpalocka #Opalocka #Opalocka94 #HurricaneReady #2020Census #Curfew #COVID19	https://www.facebook.com/119305111425219_3290531160969249
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Mayor Dean Trantalis (Fort Lauderdale, FL) Fort Lauderdale, Florida	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Florida Local	I share people's concerns about the impact of the city's new parking rates at this point in time given the economic crisis created by the COVID-19 pandemic. When the City Commission reconvenes on Aug. 18, I intend to raise the matter with my colleagues as well as whether we should temporarily suspend parking enforcement as well. People and businesses are hurting, and as a city, we need to do what we can to help.	https://www.facebook.com/401649920_3129027723885226
Opa-Locka, Florida	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Florida Local	Today is the day! Join us at 10:00 AM on Facebook Live. Join City Manager John Pate, CM, MS for an opportunity to understand how the City is working for you. _____!Hoy es el dia! Unase a nosotros a las 10:00 a.m. en Facebook Live. Unase y acompanen al Gerente de la Ciudad John Pate, CM, MS para la oportunidad en aprender como la Ciudad esta trabajando para usted. _____ Jodi a se jou a! Join nou nan 10:00 AM sou Facebook Live. Join Manadje City John Pate, CM, MS pou yon opotinite pou ka konprann ki jan Vil la ap travay pou ou. #SaferAtHome #MaskUpOpalocka #Opalocka #Opalocka94 #Curfew #2020Census #COVID19	https://www.facebook.com/119305111425219_3290481080974257
Opa-Locka, Florida	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Florida Local	COVID-19 testing site 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Sherbondy Park PLEASE NOTE THAT TESTING WILL STOP ONCE SITE HAS REACHED 500 TEST CAPACITY. _____ Sitio de prueba COVID-19 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Sherbondy Park Por favor recuerden que las pruebas terminaran en cuanto el sitio que esta haciendo las pruebas alcance la capacidad de 500 pruebas. _____ COVID-19 tes sit 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Sherbondy Park Tanpri note ke tes la ap sispann kon yo rive nan 500 moun se tout kapacite yo ka pran. #SaferAtHome #MaskUpOpalocka #Opalocka #Opalocka94 #2020Curfew #Curfew #COVID19	https://www.facebook.com/119305111425219_3290563110966054

Owensboro, Kentucky	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Kentucky Local	CITY OF OWENSBORO POSTPONES OWENSBORO HYDROFAIR PRESENTED BY JAGOE HOMES UNTIL 2021 The City of Owensboro, in consultation with the Daviess County Department of Public Health and American Hydroplane Events, announces it will postpone the Owensboro HydroFair presented by Jagoe Homes until 2021, due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The event was originally scheduled for August 15-16, 2020. With guidance from the local health department and state officials, the City of Owensboro and American Hydroplane Events originally postponed the race weekend to September 11,12,13, 2020. However, as the pandemic continues to have a major impact on large gatherings in the Commonwealth of Kentucky and throughout the nation, the decision was made to postpone the event until August 20, 21,22, 2021. "This is a decision that was not made lightly. We are excited to bring world class hydroplane racing back to the Owensboro riverfront, and the safety and health of the race teams, volunteers, and spectators is always our primary focus." said Tim Ross, Director of Public Events for the City of Owensboro. "This event will bring in race teams and spectators from all over North America. We want to be sure everyone enjoys a safe and thrilling experience on our beautiful riverfront, and unfortunately that is just not possible this year. We look forward to an amazing weekend of racing next August." Updates for the 2021 Owensboro HydroFair presented by Jagoe Homes schedule will be posted to the HydroFair website in January at www.owensborohydrofair.com.	https://www.facebook.com/149943360956_10157202702110957
Lafayette, Louisiana	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Louisiana Local	Lafayette General Health will be administering FREE COVID-19 testing from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. today at the Northgate Mall. Testing will be conducted again at the Northgate Mall on Friday. Testing is available to anyone, even those who may be asymptomatic. Members of the community should bring a valid ID and insurance card, if applicable. There are no out-of-pocket costs for those seeking a test and no one will be turned away based on their insurance status. Testing will be conducted in a drive-thru setting and everyone should remain in the vehicle at all times. There should be no more than four people per vehicle. We will also accommodate anyone who walks up, bikes up or is dropped off by public transportation. Community members will receive their test results within 3 - 5 days via the MyHealth patient portal. Those with a positive result will also be contacted by phone. For the safety of our healthcare workers, testing could be canceled due to weather conditions.	https://www.facebook.com/166009026799663_3354308544636346
Governor Larry Hogan (MD) MD Office of the Governor	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Maryland General Assembly	"A bipartisan group of seven governors has joined forces with the Rockefeller Foundation to pursue a deal for 3.5 million coronavirus antigen tests, which would help create the country's first coordinated testing strategy in the absence of a national plan. Maryland Republican Gov. Larry Hogan, chairman of the National Governors Association, negotiated the deal with the Rockefeller Foundation in 'the first interstate testing compact of its kind among governors during the COVID-19 pandemic,' Hogan's office said in a statement Tuesday. The 3.5 million faster-acting tests would be a significant haul as many states face surging virus caseloads and a subsequent uptick in testing delays. Hogan, fellow Republican Govs. Charlie Baker of Massachusetts and Mike DeWine of Ohio, and Democratic Govs. John Bel Edwards of Louisiana, Gretchen Whitmer of Michigan and Ralph Northam of Virginia, have all signed on to the agreement, according to the statement, and 'additional states, cities, and local governments may join the compact in the coming days and weeks.' Hogan announced later Tuesday that Democratic Gov. Roy Cooper of North Carolina would also enter his state into the group."	https://www.facebook.com/907931509251615_3549926285052111
Governor Larry Hogan (MD) MD Office of the Governor	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Maryland General Assembly	"In the absence of a national testing strategy for the novel coronavirus pandemic, six governors have formed a first-of-its-kind purchasing compact they hope will pressure companies that make rapid-detection tests to quickly ramp up production. The governors, three Republicans and three Democrats, say other states and cities may join them and that talks have already begun with one of the two companies approved by the FDA to sell point-of-care antigen tests that can detect the virus in less than 30 minutes. Maryland Gov. Larry Hogan (R) negotiated the deal during the final days of his tenure as chair of the National Governors Association. His office said the Rockefeller Foundation is willing to act as the financing entity if needed. Each state -- Virginia, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Michigan and Ohio, in addition to Maryland -- would request 500,000 rapid tests, for a total of 3 million that could be deployed to address outbreaks. Having access to that many rapid tests would reduce the need for states to rely on traditional testing infrastructure, which primarily involves private labs that have been beset by long delays. 'With severe shortages and delays in testing and the federal administration attempting to cut funding for testing, the states are banding together to acquire millions of faster tests to help save lives and slow the spread of COVID-19,' Hogan said in a statement. 'We will be working to bring additional states, cities, and local governments on board as this initiative moves forward.'"	https://www.facebook.com/199826043375900_4560330167325444

Hyattsville, Maryland	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Maryland Local	<p>A summary of important news for Hyattsville residents this week: 1. Required Use of Mask Order for all Marylanders: By Executive Order, Governor Hogan has expanded the requirement for Marylanders to wear masks in all businesses, on public transportation, and in outdoor public spaces where safe social distancing cannot be observed. For details on the full order, visit https://governor.maryland.gov/coronavirus/. 2. Prince George's County Phase Two Operations Revised to Limit Gatherings to 50 People: Prince George's County remains in a Phase Two re-opening status, but an additional clarification has been added restricting all public and private gatherings to 50 people or less. This is due to a high number of virus transmissions that health officials have traced back to parties and family gatherings. 3. Disposable Masks Available to City Residents: The City of Hyattsville has a limited supply of disposable masks available for residents. Community members seeking masks can call (301) 985-5000 to request a pick-up on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Fridays between 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. 4. Local COVID-19 Testing Locations: The City of Hyattsville is in discussions to open another local testing site in the coming weeks. In the interim, a full list of available testing facilities can be found using the County's testing locator at https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/3472/COVID-19-Testing or by calling 311. You can visit www.hyattsville.org/covid-19 for more information about the topics listed above, as well as other resources. ~ Un resumen de noticias importantes para los residentes de Hyattsville esta semana: 1. Uso Requerido de Orden de Mascara para Todos de Maryland: Por Orden Ejecutiva, el Gobernador Hogan ha ampliado el requisito para que residentes de Maryland usen mascararas en todos los negocios, en el transporte publico y en espacios publicos al aire libre donde no se pueda observar el distanciamiento social seguro. Para obtener mas informacion sobre la orden completa, visite https://governor.maryland.gov/coronavirus/. 2. Fase Dos Revisada para Limitar Reuniones a 50 Personas: El Condado Prince George's sigue en un estado de reapertura de fase dos, pero se ha anadido una aclaracion adicional que restringe todas las reuniones publicas y privadas a 50 personas o menos. Esto se debe a un gran numero de transmisiones de virus que los funcionarios de salud han rastreado hasta las fiestas y las reuniones familiares. 3. Mascararas Desechables Disponibles para Residentes de la Ciudad: La Ciudad de Hyattsville tiene un suministro limitado de mascararas desechables disponibles para sus residentes. Los miembros de la comunidad que buscan mascararas pueden llamar al (301) 985-5000 para solicitar una recogida los lunes, miercoles o viernes entre las 9 y las 11 a.m. 4. Ubicaciones Locales de Pruebas COVID-19: La Ciudad de Hyattsville esta en discusiones para abrir otro sitio de pruebas local en las proximas semanas. Mientras tanto, se puede encontrar una lista completa de las instalaciones de pruebas disponibles utilizando el localizador de pruebas del Condado en https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/3472/COVID-19-Testing o llamando al 311. Puede visitar a www.hyattsville.org/covid-19 para mas informacion sobre las noticias listadas arriba, ademas de otros recursos.</p>	https://www.facebook.com/125580790787285_4559481357397184
Calvert County, Maryland	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Maryland Local	<p>The Calvert County COVID-19 Small Business & Nonprofit Relief Fund Grant portal is now open to receive new applications and will be available through Wednesday, Aug. 19, 2020. (Closing date is subject to change based on the number of applications received.) Interested applicants are strongly encouraged to visit the grant webpage first to learn about grant award categories, eligibility requirements and financial documentation that will be needed and to complete an application. Please email questions to grant@calvertcountymd.gov.</p>	https://www.facebook.com/251501561757_10157961523466758
Council Member David Marks (Baltimore County, MD) Baltimore County Council, Maryland	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Maryland Local	<p>To all those experiencing mail delays - I feel your frustration. Over the past week, our office has heard from dozens of residents - particularly in the Parkville area - who can't get medication and paychecks, correspondence from loved ones, and important documents. It is shameful that the Postal Service cannot operate this essential function of government. I have talked to the manager, who blames COVID-19 logistical issues, and joined with our state legislators to press for improvements. Sometimes, there is only so much I can do. It's a federal post office and, candidly, I wish our Members of Congress were more forceful in urging the Parkville post office to solve this problem. I hate doing this, but your federal officials need to hear from you. The Postal Service can be reached here: https://www.usa.gov/complaint-against-government#item-211562 Your Members of Congress can be contacted here: congresslookup.com We will continue to do our best, but others need to step up.</p>	https://www.facebook.com/247506855260103_3428096167201140
MA Sen. Joan Lovely (D-MA-007) Massachusetts Senate	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Massachusetts General Court	<p>Important news on cancelation of many #SalemMA @HauntHappnngs events due to #COVID19. We must do all we can as a community to continue keeping our most vulnerable safe & healthy. I look forward to celebrate with everyone next year. #NorthShoreMA https://t.co/ge6wxeaULS Salem Haunted Happenings (@HauntHappnngs): COVID-19 is going to have a significant effect on Salem Haunted Happenings programming this year, and we encourage you to confirm events and programming with individual businesses as you plan your visit, and review an update by @CityofSalemMA update here: https://t.co/jgALToF4MX https://t.co/Pkt0QaopqZ</p>	https://twitter.com/SenJoanLovely/status/1291022734802247683
MA Rep. Carole Fiola (D-MA-016) Massachusetts House	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Massachusetts General Court	<p>Following up on the COVID-19 test result delays that were happening at the SSTAR locations. I've been informed they have changed their processing lab to an in state one so turnaround times are minimal. I went to Seven Hills on Pleasant Street and turnaround is 24-48 hours. Please see the locations and times below. #gettested #itsfree #negative https://www.mass.gov/info-details/stop-the-spread</p>	https://www.facebook.com/369327649841780_3211711262270057

Nantucket Town, Massachusetts	August 5, 2020	YouTube Video	Massachusetts Local	<p>out boom jay and i'm gonna attempt to leave the meeting and hopefully i don't suck around here we need you bye good luck all right we're on our own now people</p> <p>okay great so 2020 census complete count committee uh as a preliminary matter this is under voris chair of the nantucket 2020 census complete count committee permit me to confirm that all members and persons anticipated on the agenda are present and can hear me members when i call your name please respond in the affirmative margaret andrews yes i'm here kelly cooney yes here thank you rachel day here tom dixon present christy farantella i'm here nancy holmes she's absent she's unable to come okay peter morrison i'm here and vacity or joel i don't think they're coming okay when i call your name for staff please respond in the affirmative uh martha turk here thank you and eleanor antonetti present thank you uh for potential speakers do we have any speakers no i just i had that as a placeholder just in case okay so i'm going to read a brief introduction on the remote meeting good afternoon this open meeting of the nantucket 2020 census complete count committee is being conducted remotely consistent with governor baker's executive order of march 12 2020 due to the current state of emergency in the commonwealth due to the outbreak of the covid19 virus in order to mitigate the transmission of the covid-19 virus we've been advised and directed by the commonwealth to suspend public gatherings and as such the governor's order suspends the requirement of the open meeting law to have all meetings in publicly accessible physical locations further all members of public bodies are allowed and encouraged to participate remotely the order which you can find posted with agenda materials for this meeting allows public bodies to meet entirely remotely so long as reasonable public access is afforded so that the public can follow along with the deliberations of the meeting ensuring public access does not ensure public participation unless such participation is required by law this meeting will feature public comment to those members of the public that have joined the meeting via zoom for this meeting the nantucket 2020 census complete count committee is convening by video conference via zoom app as posted on the town's website identifying how the public may join please note that this meeting is being recorded and that all attendees are participating by video conference accordingly please be aware that other folks may be able to see you and to take care not to screen share your computer anything that you broadcast may be captured by the recording all supporting materials have been provided to members of this body are available on the town's website unless otherwise noted the public is encouraged to follow along using the posted agenda unless i the chair notes otherwise we are now turning to the first item on the agenda before we do so permit me to cover some ground rules for effective and clear conduct of our business and to ensure accurate meeting minutes i the chair will introduce each speaker on the agenda after they conclude their remarks the chair will go down the line of members inviting each by name to provide any comments questions or motions please hold until your name is called further please remember to mute your phone or computer when you are not speaking please remember to speak clearly and in a way that helps generate accurate minutes for any response please wait until the chair yields the floor to you and state your name before speaking if members wish to engage in a conversation with other members please do so through the chair taking care to identify yourself any questions okay great so we will move to our agenda um the meeting is called to order with a quorum uh first item is the approval of the agenda is there a motion move second moved by tom dixon seconded by christy farantella so of though for those in favor margaret andrews hi tom dixon aye peter morrison aye rachel day aye kelly cooney aye christy farantella aye chair votes eye that's unanimous uh next item public comments are there any comments any members of the public oops sorry i jumped over the minute so i see no public comments we're going to go back to the approval of the minutes from february 10th 2020 is there a motion to approve uh just quickly i'm sorry to interrupt you mr chair but um margaretta and christy were not present at that meeting so um we had andrew rachel</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1YxdhUj11rc</p>
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Chelmsford Town, Massachusetts	August 5, 2020	YouTube Video	Massachusetts Local	<p>um we've had an opportunity to get together um but recognizing that because of covid there has been um um many um state projects or projects that pre have not come to fruition or ideas that basically we have not been able to discuss however lisa does have a pretty optimistic and positive report that she would like to share with us this evening so if you all had a copy of the agenda yeah yeah yeah yeah so if y'all received a copy of the agenda um we're first going to start off with the business development report and then we will close with evans he will give us all around town report of what's happening so lisa the floor is yours hello my fellow economic development committee members i'm getting a little silly with my zoom meeting so be patient with me i also have not done a lot of screen sharing and i i have documents i'd like to kind of put up and and display to you so they may not come across as very smooth and organized but i do have a lot of great info to provide for an update and so let me just jump right into it and swap over here to a to a powerpoint presentation about 129. see if i can do this easily okay can everybody see this yeah okay okay this is good um does it show just the one slide or are you actually looking at i would i don't know i can see all of them on the slide deck yeah why is it doing that um slideshow from the beginning oh okay there you go there we go okay so this presentation was uh provided to the board of selectmen i've been updating them a few times since we last met and here is some very exciting news thermo fisher has announced that they're taking full occupying uh fully of the 220 mill road it's a very large building it's one of the more uh challenging buildings it's not one of our prime jewels where part of this first floor sits a little bit below the parking lot it doesn't always show well it's not in the high visibility area so this is a real score for the chelmsford crossroads because of those challenges in addition to the obvious that it's a neglected uh building with lack of amenities and um you know it's just very blighted and neglected so having a single occupant come into a building like this that already has um you know existence in the crossroads they they also have a small location on alpha road i believe so that location is going to be staying in place and then they are fully expanding here with 113 000 square feet you know you can see currently they're in most of the building but they did tell me in a phone call a couple weeks ago that their estimate for acquisition in renovation for the building is between 40 million and 60 million dollars into this one location so that's pretty extraordinary when you think about that in the bigger picture of things with that volume coming in to one building and if you have a chance to look at their website uh they're very advanced technologies um you may be familiar with them already from years past i'm still learning but it's really a proud moment to be able to talk about this and and share this good news because i know it's creating a lot of excitement and my understanding is that this building is intended to replicate their operation that's currently happening in tewksbury i believe um so when you you look at the um variables here with it being so empty being such a challenge they are um i i can't imagine that the building might look anything like it does after you put 60 million dollars into it so this was an update about a month ago and they'll be purchasing it in the next few weeks and we're just getting started on this so really exciting i wasn't able to confirm a job creation number here but again these will be new um good paying jobs and it's it's a great it's a great opportunity to promote the crossroads on initiatives and new initiatives that we're going to be talking about a little bit later in my in my presentation tonight so so there's that that's wonderful yeah lisa do you know is is part of what they're going to be doing there part of their covid 19 vaccine research you know they were i was talking to a corporate real estate person i haven't really been able to and now they're unavailable on vacation so i haven't been able to dig down into those details yet but i would suspect so in some measure but i'm not sure what that capacity is but we'll certainly be learning more as this gets going and i'm giving updates as we move along but i think it's a great indicator that i um an existing existing um crossroads company in a chelmsford-based business wants to remain in chelmsford um and i'm sure that they've been looking all over doing</p>	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nTwx1DC9GE
MS Rep. Abe Hudson (D-MS-029) Mississippi House	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Mississippi Legislature	<p>RT @TCBpubHealth: Due to delayed and incomplete reporting by some clinics and labs, and the large volume of cases - MSDH is unable to issue... Yall Politics (@MSyallpolitics): State Health Officer @TCBpubHealth issues order for the isolation of individuals positive for COVID-19 @msdh #coronavirus READ MORE>> https://t.co/WFRqN6sU8C</p>	https://twitter.com/abemhudsonjr/status/1291037089971068928
Governor Philip "Phil" Murphy (NJ) NJ Office of the Governor	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	New Jersey Legislature	<p>Since 2006, the Island Breeze Casino has been a hub for entertainment and education about Shore preservation. When they temporarily closed due to #COVID19, the Kiska family turned to the New Jersey Economic Development Authority for assistance, and received a small-business loan & grant to help cover costs.</p>	https://www.facebook.com/1401602986632384_3018095578316442
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Governor Philip "Phil" Murphy (NJ) NJ Office of the Governor	August 5, 2020	Tweet	New Jersey Legislature	<p>Access to affordable health care is critically important, especially to the millions of Americans who are uninsured or who have lost their job as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Medicaid expansion could also reduce the likelihood of more rural hospital closures.</p>	https://twitter.com/philmurphy/status/1290972801478860800
Monmouth County, New Jersey	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	New Jersey Local	<p>Freeholder Director Thomas A. Arnone and Freeholder Deputy Director Susan M. Kiley have announced that, as of August 5, there are 70 new positive cases of COVID-19 in Monmouth County. There is one new death today related to COVID-19 in Monmouth County. See the breakdown of positive COVID-19 cases by municipality here: https://bit.ly/2DA8Amz Due to storm recovery, the Monmouth County COVID-19 Testing scheduled for today, Wednesday, Aug. 5 in Long Branch, has been cancelled. The complete free COVID-19 testing schedule is available on www.visitmonmouth.com.</p>	https://www.facebook.com/140143177192_10158788717522193
Hazlet Township, New Jersey	August 5, 2020	Tweet	New Jersey Local	<p>RT @MonmouthGovNJ: The COVID-19 Testing in Long Branch on Wednesday, Aug. 5 has been cancelled. Click here for the free testing schedule: h...</p>	https://twitter.com/TwpofHazlet/status/1291069697765642243
Warren County, New Jersey	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	New Jersey Local	<p>#WarrenCountyHealthDepartment reported just five new confirmed COVID-19 cases in the past week, reversing the small spike of the past month. However, the cases that are being reported are in teens and younger adults. The pandemic is not over, and everyone is reminded to practice social distancing and wear a mask covering mouth AND nose when you can't maintain at least six feet of distance from others who aren't part of your household. Also, the State has now capped indoor gatherings at 25 people again. Find the full weekly report at this link http://www.co.warren.nj.us/Healthdept/includings/graphs.pdf</p>	https://www.facebook.com/191151067734164_1534854846697106

Monmouth County, New Jersey	August 5, 2020	Tweet	New Jersey Local	The COVID-19 Testing in Long Branch on Wednesday, Aug. 5 has been cancelled. Click here for the free testing schedule: https://t.co/uaoUDrU02O	https://twitter.com/MonmouthGov/status/1291017606032433154
Monmouth County, New Jersey	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	New Jersey Local	The COVID-19 Testing in Long Branch on Wednesday, Aug. 5 has been cancelled. Click here for the free testing schedule: https://bit.ly/30qk8Sy	https://www.facebook.com/140143177192_10158788014847193
Valencia County, New Mexico	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	New Mexico Local		https://www.facebook.com/254212767943664_3496909870340588
County Executive Daniel McCoy (Albany County, NY) Albany County, New York	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	New York Local	Announced this morning that there were 12 new COVID-19 cases identified since yesterday. Among those were 2 healthcare workers or those who live in congregate settings, 6 with close contacts to positive cases and 4 who did not have a clear source of transmission. There were no new deaths or hospitalizations to report. While the United States continues to have the tragic distinction of more COVID-related deaths than any other country in the world and nears 5 million positive cases, New York State and Albany County by and large continue down a different path that prioritizes the health and safety of our people. This didn't happen by coincidence. It was individuals wearing masks, social distancing and avoiding large gatherings and the sacrifices of local businesses that allowed us to move forward. It's my hope that as our infection rate and hospitalizations remain low like they have been that we can get the remaining businesses that continue to suffer reopened and get more people back to work. More at the link: https://www.albanycounty.com/Home/Components/News/News/426/3769?siteid=1	https://www.facebook.com/301301796588660_3459642200754588
Durham County, North Carolina	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	North Carolina Local	Webinar Wellness Wednesday w/ Durham County Department of Public Health 18 Ways to Stay Active During COVID-19 Restrictions 11:00am -11:30am Register at: https://tinyurl.com/yv5gf66 They say that the 19 in COVID 19 relates to the average amount of weight people have gained because of closed gyms, pools and other outlets that kept us moving. Here are 18 at home activities to fight that gain.	https://www.facebook.com/49649857877_10158986366512878
Buncombe County, North Carolina	August 5, 2020	YouTube Video	North Carolina Local	meeting of the buncombe county commission to order thank you all for being with us let's begin our meeting with the pledge of allegiance please rise and join us in the pledge from allegiance and to the republic for which it states one nation under god indivisible with liberty and justice before we begin our meeting this evening i would like to ask for a moment of silence to acknowledge the lives of the 46 people from buncombe county and the more than 160 000 people across our country who have died from coveted 19 since the outbreak began earlier this year we want to express our appreciation to all the doctors nurses and other health care workers who are working to help people heal from covet infections and providing support to their patients and families i'd like to ask all of us to offer a silent prayer for safety and healing to reflect on what we can all do to keep ourselves safe as well as our friends family and co-workers as we continue to manage our way through this pandemic thank you all right uh we have a couple of um announcements uh let me begin with the uh by reading the ethics reminder to the board in accordance with the code of ethics adopted by the board all county commissioners have a duty to obey all applicable laws regarding official actions to uphold the integrity and independence of the office to avoid impropriety and the exercise of official duties to faithfully perform the duties of the office and to conduct the affairs of the governing board in an open and public manner is there any item on the agenda the outcome of which will have a direct substantial and readily identifiable financial impact for any board member does any board member have a financial interest in any public contract coming before the board today mr chairman the um on our agenda we talk about some more funding from the cares act and that is a grant from the federal government and under the federal government guidelines that money can be used for salaries and some of that money is going to go to the fire departments in the county so i've conversed with miss hockaday when we get to that item i'd like to be excused sir thank you very much we will be happy to do that all right anyone any others all right great is all right are there any questions about any items on the consent agenda but shame i do have a question on the minutes when it comes to the solar panel project when we ask about the decision points that need to be made i just want to ask the staff if that is working with the educational partners about getting some of that money back that mou will take care of that and it is spelled out in the minutes to say that okay thank you very good any other questions all right is there a motion to approve the consent agenda and to follow the remainder of the agenda as published so move [Music] all in favor please say aye aye aye any opposed all right um before we go further um i'd like to ask commissioner amanda edwards to share some information with us about a special guest we have with us thank you chairman i am excited to introduce to you all this evening alex alex rapetsky he is a rising sophomore at the nesbit discovery academy with a 4.4 gpa alex maybe one day you'll be sitting up here with us he currently lives in fairview enjoys playing chess hiking and engineering however alex is with us this evening because he is with troop 61 boy scouts from arden and he is working towards achieving his eagle scout badge and tonight he is here to work towards his communication badge so he is going to be listening to us debate present our sides and arguments on some specific issues that he will go back and write about so it's a double badge and you've picked a great meeting to be at alex and once you obtain that eagle scout joining only four percent of boy scouts i invite you back so that we can recognize you for achieving that as well thanks for joining us and good luck and this is alex standing right here all right alex thanks for being with us congratulations on your great work [Applause] all right um we don't have any presentations or public hearings so ms pender do you have any items under the county manager's report i do commissioner i do want to take the time to introduce two of the new department heads working for the county earlier this afternoon stay safe you'll come forward i did mention stacy saunders our new public	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=psumhGk_ZXs
Columbus City, Ohio	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Ohio Local	RT @ColumbusHealth: Protect health and slow the spread of #COVID19. Keep a safe distance from others and avoid gatherings with people outsi...	https://twitter.com/ColumbusGov/status/1291077515914731523
Clayton City, Ohio	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Ohio Local	Due to Covid-19 the 2020 Census has been delayed to ensure the safety of all involved. As a result of this delay and ongoing safety precautions the deadline to apply for jobs with the Census has been pushed to September 30. It's not too late to apply! https://t.co/ZurpJ8kP5d	https://twitter.com/CityofClaytonOH/status/1291012211398385664

PA Rep. Jennifer "Jenn" O'Mara (D-PA-165) Pennsylvania House	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Pennsylvania General Assembly	COVID-19 TESTING IN UPPER DARBY CANCELLED: Due to yesterday's tropical storm, Delaware County has canceled drive-thru and walk-up COVID-19 testing scheduled for Wednesday, August 5, and Thursday, August 6, at the Watkins Senior Center in Upper Darby. (1/3) https://t.co/h5Ao54bKrY	https://twitter.com/RepOMara/status/1291017954969235456
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PA Rep. Michael "Mike" Zabel (D-PA-163) Pennsylvania House	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Pennsylvania General Assembly	Intense weather associated with Tropical Storm Isaias has caused Delco to cancel drive-thru and walk-up COVID-19 testing scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday. The Senior Center will be used as a temporary shelter for residents displaced by the storm. (1/3). https://t.co/9gpfZZQCms	https://twitter.com/RepZabel/status/1291001407559159809
Lansdowne Borough, Pennsylvania	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Pennsylvania Local	Drive-thru and walk-up testing Scheduled for August 5 and 6 Canceled Due to Storm Please be aware due to the intense weather system associated with Tropical Storm Isaias, Delaware County has canceled drive-thru and walk-up COVID-19 testing scheduled for W https://t.co/6eAieGfQsP	https://twitter.com/LansdowneGov/status/1291029760034971650
Newberry, South Carolina	August 5, 2020	Tweet	South Carolina Local	Updates from Governor @henrymcmaster: Gov. Henry McMaster (@henrymcmaster): To help reduce the spread of COVID-19 in South Carolina we are enacting requirements for restaurants, bars, and large gatherings in the most targeted way possible. This is what it means for you: https://t.co/kJ3Sv1Nj4u	https://twitter.com/CityofNewberry/status/1291040078874251268
Berkeley County, South Carolina	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	South Carolina Local	All Governor McMaster's previously recommended guidelines for restaurants and other establishments that attract groups of people are now mandatory, according to an order that went into effect August 3. The goal is to help slow the spread of #COVID19. The guidelines were first established by AccelerateSC and include: * Operating dine-in services at no more than 50% of the certificate of occupancy issued by the fire marshal. * Employees and patrons shall be required to wear masks or face coverings. * Tables are to be spaced to keep diners at least six feet apart. * No more than 8 customers per table unless from the same family. * Standing or congregating in bar area of restaurant is prohibited. * Establishments that possess a state permit to sell alcohol shall be subject to these restrictions. Other types of businesses, facilities, venues, events or mass gatherings which are permitted to open but are required to implement AccelerateSC guidelines include the following: festivals, parades, concerts, theaters, stadiums, arenas, coliseums, auditoriums, grandstands, amphitheaters, gymnasiums, concert halls, dance, halls, performing arts centers, parks, racetracks, or similarly operated entities. These guidelines include, but are not limited to, the following: * Attendance may not exceed 50% of the certificate of occupancy issued by the fire marshal - or 250 persons - whichever is less. * Require the wearing of masks or face coverings as a condition of admission or participation * Enact social distancing, cleaning and hygiene practices as recommended by AccelerateSC * End the sale of alcohol at 11 p.m. See all guidelines HERE: https://accelerate.sc.gov/guidelines https://bit.ly/30p51bG #BerkeleyCounty	https://www.facebook.com/329835977039618_3281008088589044
TN Rep. Gloria Johnson (D-TN-013) Tennessee House	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Tennessee General Assembly	RT @JRClemmons: 1,120 #TN bizs have closed for good due to #COVID19 pandemic & countless workers have lost their jobs. More will inevitably...	https://twitter.com/votegloriaj/status/1291082502816358405
TN Rep. John Clemmons (D-TN-055) Tennessee House	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Tennessee General Assembly	1,120 #TN bizs have closed for good due to #COVID19 pandemic & countless workers have lost their jobs. More will inevitably follow. Could we, at the state level, be doing more? ABSOLUTELY. Are we? NO. Why? Zero leadership from @GovBillLee. https://t.co/OyEZYrLqZc	https://twitter.com/JRClemmons/status/1291032053308424192
Tennessee Senate	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Tennessee General Assembly	Aug. 5: In Manchester, Tenn., Coffee County Schools announced two schools, Coffee County Middle and North Coffee Elementary, would be closed through Aug. 7 due to #COVID19 concerns. https://t.co/1u7uYg9BSH	https://twitter.com/tnsenatedems/status/1290990139272048641
Tennessee Senate	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Tennessee General Assembly	Aug. 5: A "member of the football community" at Sullivan North High School in Kingsport, Tenn. has tested positive for #COVID19. A 14-day suspension of football practice began July 29. https://t.co/KIHVEe3MvX	https://twitter.com/tnsenatedems/status/1290986288737329153

<p>Council Member Russ Bradford (Nashville-Davidson Metropolitan Government (Balance), TN)</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>Facebook Post</p>	<p>Tennessee Local</p>	<p>MPHD Daily COVID-19 Update for August 5 Metro Public Health Department officials announced today 21,957 confirmed cases of coronavirus disease (COVID-19) in Nashville/Davidson County. There have been no new probable cases in the past 24 hours. Probable cases refer to those that do not test positive in a diagnostic test but do have supporting epidemiological and clinical evidence that a COVID-19 infection has occurred. If a person is a close contact of a COVID-19 case and has a clinically compatible illness, he or she meets the criteria to be a probable case. Additionally, if a health care provider diagnoses a person with clinically compatible illness with COVID-19, this person meets the probable case criteria. Including both confirmed and probable cases, MPHD officials announced a total of 21,997 cases, an increase of 118 in the past 24 hours. The cases range in age from 1 month to 102 years. There have been no new probable deaths reported in the past 24 hours. When the health care provider who signs the death certificate determines COVID-19 disease was the cause of death or a significant condition contributing to death, this person meets the probable case criteria and would be considered a probable death. Three additional confirmed deaths have been reported in the past 24 hours, a 69-year-old man, a 75-year-old woman and a 77-year-old man, all with underlying health conditions. A total of one-hundred ninety-three (193) people in Davidson County have died after a confirmed case of COVID-19. Including both confirmed and probable cases, 202 deaths have been attributed to COVID-19. 18,579 individuals have recovered from the virus. Available hospital beds: 16 percent Available ICU beds: 10 percent The MPHD COVID-19 Hotline received 58 calls on Tuesday, August 4, 2020. Total number of cases: 21,997 Cases reported in the past 24 hours: 118 Cases by sex Male: 10,989 Female: 10,714 Unknown: 294 Deaths by Race Asian 5 Black/African American 78 Other 13 White 103 Pending 3 Cases by Race Asian 2.1% Black/African American 16.0% Other Race 20.7% Pending 22.8% Two or More Races 0.4% Unknown 9.5% White 28.5% Deaths by Zip Code * ZIP Code Deaths Among Cases 37013 33 37211 33 37115 19 37207 16 37218 10 37214 10 *Due to HIPAA, zip codes with fewer than 10 deaths are not included in the report. Cases by age Unknown 52 0-10 1,060 11-20 2,196 21-30 6,624 31-40 4,467 41-50 3,092 51-60 2,170 61-70 1,313 71-80 628 81+ 395 Total 21,997 Recovered 18,579 Deaths 202 Total active cases 3,216 Total number of people tested 177,121 Total positive/probable cases 21,997 Total negative results 155,124 Positive results as percentage of total 12.4% Health officials remind everyone to take steps to stop the spread of germs like COVID-19. These include: Practice social distancing as defined by the CDC (6 feet of distance from others). Gatherings are recommended to be kept at 25 people or fewer, to the extent possible. Intimate gatherings are the most high-risk setting for transmission of COVID-19. Wear a cloth face covering when in a community setting, especially in situations where you may be near people. These face coverings are not a substitute for social distancing. Stay at home as much as possible. People over 65 years of age or whose health is at risk should remain at home if possible. Wash your hands often with soap and water. Use alcohol-based hand sanitizer if soap and water are not available. Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth.</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/196789471239533_624654045119738</p>
<p>Council Member Rudy Garza (Corpus Christi, TX) Corpus Christi, Texas</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>Tweet</p>	<p>Texas Local</p>	<p>City, County & Public Health District officials will have a news briefing to inform the public about local COVID-19 info. This is not a public gathering. WATCH: CCTV20: Spectrum Ch. 1300, Grande Ch. 20, AT&T Uverse Ch. 99 https://t.co/fqq33oRZ58>[?] https://t.co/hlw4SbTRel https://t.co/sZJyIk0gl</p>	<p>https://twitter.com/cityofcc/status/1291023496672358400</p>
<p>Council Member Rudy Garza (Corpus Christi, TX) Corpus Christi, Texas</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>Facebook Post</p>	<p>Texas Local</p>	<p>City, County, and Public Health District officials will have a news briefing to inform the public and the media about the latest COVID-19 local information. This is not a public gathering. HOW TO WATCH: CCTV20: Spectrum Ch. 1300, Grande Ch. 20, AT&T Uverse Ch. 99 facebook.com/citygov >[?] youtube.com/CCTVCorpusChristi</p>	<p>https://www.facebook.com/206852375570_10164547684125571</p>

Hidalgo County, Texas	August 5, 2020	YouTube Video	Texas Local	<p>On March 26, 2020, Governor Greg Abbott granted a request by Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton to temporarily suspend certain open meeting law requirements to the extent necessary to allow telephonic and video conference meetings in response to COVID-19. In accordance with the log notice of the meeting of the Board of Vidalia for one has been posted online for at least 72 hours although members of the board are not gathered in a central physical location the board is meeting by use of Zoom software and telephone transmission which allows two-way communication for members of the public during public comments. Say hello hello we can hear you a record of this meeting is being made and will be available to the public at a later date we apologize in advance for unforeseeable difficulties and ask for your patience as we navigate these conditions the time is now 1:45 pm and I will call this meeting to order we will begin with a roll call to establish quorum David Fuentes Precinct One Eddie Country Precinct Two Commissioner on Mute Commissioner Flores Commissioner Flores is in attendance Ali Torres Precinct Uh we have a quorum we'll start off with uh prayer we can bow our head in prayer dear Lord as we come together as a community in the healing of our county I'm sorry go ahead and lead us uh ousted Amen do you have a prayer pardon I definitely will let me uh let us pray father God we give you thanks again for another day Lord we continue to ask for your guidance um for our judge and four conventions Lord that you appointed leave this great county local purify with your wisdom Lord we continue to ask for safety you're also dealing with the responding of the emergency Lord because you'd ask for your guidance on them keep them safe Lord continue to ask for your protection over all of them all our people all our residents that are battling not just the Kobe related issues Lord but also this uh hurricane Hannah Lord because he asked for your peace and patience over all of all our county Lord as we deal with the the current the pandemic and the disaster that has happened in our area Lord we ask for your hand of healing over us Lord as we continue again to deal with the pandemic and the disaster Lord and we ask for for your guidance and your unity united as all Lord as we work together uh to address all the issues of our county Lord thank you for the opportunity that you allow us to serve Lord we ask this all your son Jesus name Amen Amen Noah do we have anyone signed up for open forum uh no Commissioner no one signed up for open forum for drainage or uh uh the regular session okay good to know thank you Noah um the uh consent agenda chief everything's in order sir we don't we have just some permits and some uh administrative that have been looked at by my staff everything's in order recommend approval for approval we have a motion in a second all in favor say aye aye [Music] thank you uh if a may item 5a discussion is related to what is now hurricane storm Hannah when we posted this obviously was a tropical storm um just wanted to open it up just give a general information on what we have so far at the district and open it up for the for the precincts and the judges office if they want to share anything regarding the hurricane where we are right now um I'm gonna look at sharing my screen here real quick [Music] um so Ernest can everyone see my screen right now yes sir right so this is just uh information that we share with with the uh all the the judge in the in the four precinct just this is a just a big aerial view of how the storm came in you can see the light color areas are the 14 plus inches and everything else starts going out starts dropping from 14 and above down so you can see how the path came right through the heart of our area as you know the district manages ninety percent of the populated area about fifty one percent of the county so this is the district boundary here that you see uh and you can see that the storm greatly impacted our most uh populated area um this is always just zooming in a little bit more the same information you can see the color how everything came through again the 14 inches plus is the light color and then everything else starts going down [Music] we have this is now just of our area the just of the district area primarily zoomed in the same theme showing the 14 plus in our area we do have pump location logs where we have all our pumps operating right now we have 26 pumps going right now at any given time we manage them on and off</p>	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xOeMSnbVBrU
Buda, Texas	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Texas Local	<p>The Buda City Council has adopted an ordinance to suspend the issuance of solicitor permits and door-to-door marketing practices during the term of the COVID-19 pandemic and declared state of public disaster in the City of Buda. https://t.co/Cz6fWDgR4J#BudaTX https://t.co/ibUlfMtKRY</p>	https://twitter.com/CityofBudaTX/status/1291010184576466946
Buda, Texas	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Texas Local	<p>The Buda City Council has adopted an ordinance to suspend the issuance of solicitor permits and door-to-door marketing practices until further notice. The ordinance suspends all in-person, door-to-door marketing practices during the term of the COVID-19 pandemic and declared state of public disaster in the City of Buda. This includes, but is not limited to, permits for peddlers and solicitors. Violation of the ordinance will result in a Class C Misdemeanor offense and carry a fine of no more than \$500 for each offense. Each violation is considered a separate offense. It is unlawful for any peddler or solicitor to engage in business within the City without first obtaining a permit from the City Clerks office. There are NO active solicitor permits. To report an unpermitted solicitor, please contact the Buda Police Department at 512-393-7896. Under the City of Buda's Solicitor Ordinance there are permit exemptions: http://ci.buda.tx.us/DocumentCenter/View/125 Permit Exemptions If soliciting under one of the exempt provisions, you are REQUIRED to wear a mask and maintain social distancing under the Governor's Executive Order No. GA-29 and No GA-28. The following are excluded from permitting provisions of this section: (1) Persons who sell agricultural products that were raised or grown themselves. (2) Interruption of service notices by utility companies or governmental notices by the city. (3) Political speech or canvassers who attempt only to distribute handbills or to solicit political support or to determine opinions or sentiments. (4) Persons conducting solicitation activities for a school-sponsored event or program, a sporting or cultural organization created specifically to benefit the youth of the community, scouting groups, or other similar organizations. (5) A canvasser as defined in subsection (b) of the solicitor ordinance. #BudaTX</p>	https://www.facebook.com/249193528516335_2609777865791211
Rowlett, Texas	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	Texas Local	<p>This chart illustrates confirmed COVID-19 case counts numbers and available data as of 7pm Tuesday, August 4. Rowlett added 13 new cases. Key data continues to be unavailable for some of the additional charts we normally share. Please continue to stay home and stay safe. Stay vigilant when you must go out - wear your face covering, maintain the six feet of social distancing from others not in your group and, most importantly, wash your hands often. These measures are critical not only to slow the spread and protect people's lives, but also to protect our economy from further closures and to prevent compromising the other health care services we need across the state. Rowlett will continue to alert the public about any new cases, but will restrict information to age range and gender as it is available to us. Please visit www.Rowlett.com/COVID-19 (https://bit.ly/38Kzli9) for more information, how to get tested, closures and the measures instituted to help protect our community. #MaskOn #MaskUp #MyRowlett #BetterTogether</p>	https://www.facebook.com/365918805861_10158171091005862

San Angelo, Texas	August 5, 2020	YouTube Video	Texas Local	<p>everyone and welcome to the regular meeting of city council on this fourth day of august 2020. the meeting is called to order and we have every single city council member with us today so we definitely have a corn we will start this morning's meeting with the chaplain prayer from gary marcela jenkins and just to remind our audience gary and marcel our husband and wife so one of the reasons they don't have a mask on as you're watching this as they live together amen here could you please lead us in prayer this morning thank you thank you to the mayor the honorable brennan gunner the members of the city san angelo city council and the people we serve good morning everyone good morning will you join with me as i pray dear god in the scriptures you have said that citizens are to obey the governing authorities since you have established those very authorities to promote peace and order and justice therefore if i pray that our mayor the honorable brenner gunner the members of the san angelo city council and the people we serve i'm asking that you would graciously grant them wisdom to govern among the conflict and interests and issues of our times a sense of welfare and true needs of our people personal peace in their lives and joy in their task i pray for the agenda set before our council today please give an assurance of what will please you and what would benefit those who live and work in and around our beloved city of san angelo i pray lord that you protect san angelo from the spread of the covic virus as we turn and seek your face please heal those that have contracted the virus bring peace to those that have lost loved ones during this season let us be obedient to the guidelines that have been set by cdc social dissident wearing a face mask and wash our hands it is in your most blessed name of jesus i pray amen amen amen amen thank you marcelo you're welcome special instructions for our meeting members of council and staff should begin speaking by stating their full name and smd position or role within the city today we'll now move into public comment and i'm going to start our public comment today with a proclamation um and the proclamation is concerning the el paso shootings that happen at the anniversary was yesterday and so all of us mayors in west texas have signed on to this proclamation it reads as follows our city shares in the heartbreak of the events on august 3rd 2019 in the city of el paso texas yesterday august 3rd was the first anniversary of the senseless act resulting in the loss of lives and injuries to many and should be remembered by honoring the victims the event demonstrates the perseverance of the entire community of el paso in its strength of courage service to others and hope the one-year anniversary was a day of reflection in remembrance of each life lost a time of reflection commemorating how the citizens and community community came together in unity the city of san angelo a part of west texas stands together to walk ahead as we continue the healing process as we stand strong together to continue to provide safety and security for all now therefore i brenda gunter mayor of the city of san angelo texas on behalf of the city council do hereby proclaim august 3rd 2020 as el paso strong day in san angelo texas and urge all citizens to stand behind the people and leadership of our sister west texas city as we remember their lost love at once their loved excuse me as we remember their lost loved ones and continue to heal and stand strong for continued safe city we call on all citizens to continue to carry el paso and every person affected by this tragic tragedy and their thoughts and prayers and witness whereof i hear and to set my hand and have caused the official seal of the city of san angelo to be a fixed this fourth day of august 2020. today i also want to just review the numbers the statistics for our covid19 we today cumulatively have had 2421 positive cases of those four of that excuse me there have been total tests four of 14 six total tests and negative tests of ten thousand four hundred and eighty four at this point we only have 53 pending tests which is the lowest number we've had in several weeks have had a total of 25 deaths at this point and we have had a release cases of 1389. i continue to emphasize the age category that has the highest number of positive cases and that is those who are in the age category of 20 to 29 so that's 573 cases of the 2421 positive cases making that about 24 of the total positive cases our</p>	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DmRQSYJrd24
House Committee on Oversight and Reform Minority	August 5, 2020	Tweet	US Congress	<p>RT @RepJimmyGomez: We can't let @USPS service falter, especially during the #COVID19 crisis. Delivery delays undermine our way of life, #P... Face The Nation (@FaceTheNation): The hearing, led by committee chair [?],@RepMaloney,[?] is focused on "recent changes to U.S. Postal Service operations and standards and the need for on-time mail delivery during the ongoing pandemic and upcoming election." https://t.co/GlvVyNyD6Q</p>	https://twitter.com/oversightdems/status/1291059653615517697
Rep. Jimmy Gomez (D-CA-34) US House	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	US Congress	<p>We can't let US Postal Service service falter, especially during the COVID-19 crisis. Delivery delays undermine our way of life, public health, voting, and local small businesses. Oversight Dems want to save the USPS and are determined to get answers from Donald J. Trump's Postmaster General.</p>	https://www.facebook.com/154054825137425_770952946780940
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Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars	August 5, 2020	YouTube Video	US Congress	<p>Good morning everyone on behalf of the Wilson Center at the University of Maryland I'm pleased to welcome our participants as well as you in the audience to this wonderful event what brings us together with what is truly an amazing lineup of environmentalists is a major new study from Cambridge University that is called Protecting 30% of the Planet for Nature: Costs, Benefits, and Economic Implications. The research for this report involved more than 100 economists and scientists from the United States, Canada, the UK, Australia, Japan, and China. I may have missed a few, but those are the ones that stood out to me. This major collaborative work, which is here represented, will be presented by Anthony Waldron, who takes up the Global Biodiversity Frameworks proposal that addresses the risk of climate change. Conservation areas should increase and be expanded to 30 percent of the Earth's surface by the year 2030, hence the term "20 by 30." But there are obvious concerns about what that would cost and what the impact would be on the region's agriculture, forestry, and fisheries sectors, which are major sources of revenue throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. I won't get into too many of the details, but the report demonstrates that the expansion of protected areas outperforms the non-expansion of these areas in mitigating the very large economic risks of climate change and biodiversity loss. This is really a critical point because throughout the region there have been tense discussions about the trade-offs between economic development and the establishment of large-scale conservation initiatives to protect these fragile and highly biodiverse ecosystems, and these discussions in light of COVID-19 have probably never been more important as the virus devastates livelihoods and economies throughout the hemisphere. Before turning things over to our moderator Marcelo Mayna, who is Chile's former Minister of the Environment and currently directs the Center for Climate Action at the Catholic University in Valparaíso, I'd like to welcome and briefly introduce our panelists. As I mentioned, Anthony Waldron is the lead author of the 30 by 30 study and is joining us now from Cambridge University in the UK. The honorable Jose Maria Figueres is the former President of Costa Rica, which is a country that is really synonymous in the Americas with environmental protection. Sylvia Earle is the President of Mission Blue, and she is former Director of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in the United States. Chris Tompkins, great to see you again, is the President of Tompkins Conservation, whose donation of private land in Chile for conservation purposes sets a historic precedent, and finally Max Bayou, who was a Wilson Center Global Fellow and Ocean's Champion for the upcoming COP 26 conference. Max, congratulations again on the birth of your daughter, um Marcelo, I turn over the microphone if you could unmute. Thanks, okay, thank you so much. Uh, Cynthia, thank you for all the panelists participating today. It's really exciting to have this, this uh seminar considering how important this study is for all who have been fighting for conservation in which we have governments that need to balance short-term urgencies like today with long-term visions that allow us to have more broader prosperity in this regard. Uh, Anthony Waldron's study comes right at the moment in which we are negotiating whether we should go to expand 30% of our planet in the context of the biodiversity conference and the evidence that he provides is yes, we should because if we don't keep a stabilized relationship with the environment, we could end up all stuck at home in a global pandemic, so it comes at a great time. So, uh, the seminar today will have essentially two parts. One will be a keynote speech by uh Anthony Waldron, and then we'll have a panel uh with Chris Jose Maria and Sylvia and Max to follow. So Anthony, the floor is yours. Thank you very much. I'd just like to give a little background first. Often when you hear that an academic study has arrived, it could mean that it's simply of academic interest. The purpose of this study was that this year and now postponed until next year, the governments of the world are due to sit down and work out for the next 10-year plan the strategy they're going to carry out to try and stop the ongoing loss of biodiversity. We might have seen some news headlines recently about the extinction being possible of another million species.</p>	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v49DtqRr3v0
Sen. Chris Coons (D-DE) US Senate	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	US Congress	<p>There are 75,000 Americans serving in AmeriCorps now - supporting food distribution, education, and other community responses to the COVID-19 crisis. The bipartisan CORPS Act will double that number and empower more Americans to serve. This bill provides more Americans the opportunity to serve, not just by increasing the number of AmeriCorps positions, but also by expanding the living stipend and post-service education award. National service unites a broad, bipartisan coalition because we know its power to bridge divides and to respond to national challenges. That's why I'm confident that we can pass the CORPS Act. https://www.coons.senate.gov/news/press-releases/bipartisan-support-builds-for-coons-wicker-bill-targeting-debt-based-drivers-license-suspensions</p>	https://www.facebook.com/254950754518205_3585845151428732

<p>Leader Mitch McConnell (R-KY) US Senate</p>	<p>August 5, 2020</p>	<p>YouTube Video</p>	<p>US Congress</p>	<p>now an entirely different matter stop the madam president the story i'm about to tell sounds familiar the speaker of the house the democratic leader summoned president trump's representatives to the capitol they meet for a long while the democrats emerged saying they permitted a few millimeters of progress but a deal is still far off leaving millions of americans in the lurch and they continue to push their three trillion dollar wish list that even their own democratic college brushed off as absurd we've had variations on this theme daily for more than a week now yesterday the speaker of the house called their far-left proposal quite a well-developed strategic plan but even members of our own caucus no that's not true back when the speaker's wish list was ran through the house one democratic major a member came right out and said the so-called heroes act quote in the plan it's a wish list another said that members of her caucus had taken the bill as quote an opportunity to make political statements that go far beyond pandemic relief and has no chance at becoming law others said it was not focused and quote partisan gainsmanship these are democrats i'm quoting even the speakers on rank and file know it's comical to say your strategic plan for cobit 19 involves sending taxpayer checks to people here illegally paying people more not to work than essential workers earn by working soil health programs so-called environmental justice grants and a massive tax cut aimed directly at wealthy people in new york and california that last point needs special attention now in ordinary negotiations members of congress like to bring things home for their core supporters but it's a little too on the nose for the speaker from san francisco and the democratic leader from new york city to be holding up a trillion dollars in emergency aid for the entire country unless they get big tax breaks for millionaires in their hometowns economists across the political spectrum say this demand of theirs is a bad idea 94 percent of the benefit would flow to people who make north of two hundred thousand dollars in the words of one progressive economist who ought to be on their side quote this is not a good idea it would not help the economy heal and it would not benefit the people who need help but my friends in democratic leadership are not deterred more than a week into these talks they're still threatening to block any and all relief for struggling people unless big city penthouses get these tax cuts democratic leaders said just yesterday he's still holding out for this now this isn't the only bad policy they're hung up on the speaker and the democratic leader continue to insist that federal unemployment assistance should pay people more not to work than the essential workers who kept working let me say that again the democratic position has been that these millions of laid off people should get nothing unless they get a higher salary than the people who are still working this isn't just bad economics if you're trying to reopen a country it's also just simply unfair in the simplest terms republicans want to keep providing some supplemental federal unemployment we just don't think it's remotely fair for the federal government to tax essential workers who kept working every day so that uncle sam can pay their neighbors a higher salary to stay home they say that again we just don't think it's remotely fair for the federal government to tax essential workers who kept working every day so uncle sam can pay their neighbors a higher salary to stay home outside of the democratic leader and the speaker of the house even democrats concede it's a bit upside down to pay people more not to work last week the house democratic majority leader said quote it's not just 600 or bus our colleague the senior senator from maryland has said quote we certainly understand we don't want to have higher benefits than what somebody can make working and just yesterday the senior senator from west virginia stated plainly that speaker pelosi's position was untenable quote i don't think we're going to stay at the 600. let's bear in mind even 200 would be eight times what democrats put in place with unified control of the government during the last crisis in 2009 it's unthinkable they will hold every bit of relief hostage unless we land back at 600 and pay workers a bonus a bonus if they do not help to reopen our country maybe the speaker and the democratic leader will get the memo from their colleagues sometime soon and then there's</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Ce9XFmY8IQ</p>
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Department of Health and Human Services	August 5, 2020	YouTube Video	US Congress	<p>hello everyone i'm u.s surgeon general dr jerome adams as the nation's doctor my primary job is to communicate important health information to the general public there's no better time than the present and i'd like to take a few minutes to share some tips on what you can do to stay healthy during and beyond the coven 19 pandemic as you likely know covet 19 causes symptoms such as fever stiff muscles and shortness of breath and it's spread by respiratory droplets but people may experience other symptoms it's important to visit coronavirus.gov and to consult your health care provider if you feel sick this is especially important if you've recently been around someone who has had the virus or if you've been in large gatherings you should also know which populations are deemed at high risk for exposure to coronavirus this includes people over the age of 65 people living in a nursing home or long-term care facility or those working or living in close quarters people of all ages with underlying medical conditions particularly if not well controlled are at risk for coronavirus including people with chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma people who have heart conditions or high blood pressure people who are immunocompromised people with obesity or diabetes people with chronic kidney disease undergoing dialysis and people with liver disease if you fall within these categories or live with someone who does please take extra precautions as we maintain our whole of america response and states and communities continue their phased approaches to reopen it's important that we not reverse our progress we must avoid a surge of new cases it's also important that we remember the virus is still just as dangerous and that it's critical we remain vigilant to protect ourselves and our vulnerable loved ones that's why i'm asking all of you to do the following rely on data and guidelines from your local and state health departments as you make important decisions related to reopening remember it might not be obvious to you or others if you have the virus many people don't experience symptoms at all you could feel great and unknowingly be infecting others that's why my recommendation is that any time you're out in public practice social distancing and wear a face covering help spread the word that wearing a cloth space covering is an act of kindness and respect to protect those around you from your potential pre-symptomatic or asymptomatic spread you may not be able to tell just by looking at someone if they are at higher risk for susceptibility or if they interact with vulnerable populations that need protection it's also especially important to practice social distancing and good hygiene in all settings and encourage others to do the same wash your hands frequently and thoroughly 20 seconds of scrubbing with soap and water will do the trick if you're using hand sanitizer make sure it has at least 60 alcohol please put these precautions into action as you head back out in your communities and don't forget physical activity our physical health is so important and it can also have a big impact on our mood and our resilience to covet 19. we should all prioritize our mental health and wellness as well be sure to check in with friends family and those who you know who might be struggling video conferencing and writing good old-fashioned letters have been two ways my family has stayed in close touch with friends and loved ones both near and far throughout the pandemic thank you for your efforts to prevent the spread of covet 19 and for your interest in our whole of america response i know that together we will get through this produced by the u.s department of health and human services at taxpayer expense</p>	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0KS9bQ9OIHg
Roanoke City, Virginia	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Virginia Local	<p>RT @WFXRnews: Local National Night Out events postponed or canceled due to COVID-19 pandemic https://t.co/BzJCAMFstQ</p>	https://twitter.com/City_of_Roanoke/status/1290963799307169792
WV Department of Health and Human Resources	August 5, 2020	Facebook Post	West Virginia Legislature	<p>DHHR reports as of 10:00 a.m., on August 5, 2020, there have been 302,443 total confirmatory laboratory results received for COVID-19, with 7,159 total cases and 124 deaths. In alignment with updated definitions from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the dashboard includes probable cases which are individuals that have symptoms and either serologic (antibody) or epidemiologic (e.g., a link to a confirmed case) evidence of disease, but no confirmatory test. CASES PER COUNTY (Case confirmed by lab test/Probable case): Barbour (30/0), Berkeley (643/27), Boone (92/0), Braxton (8/0), Brooke (60/1), Cabell (353/9), Calhoun (6/0), Clay (17/1), Doddridge (4/0), Fayette (134/0), Gilmer (16/0), Grant (88/1), Greenbrier (88/0), Hampshire (75/0), Hancock (102/4), Hardy (53/1), Harrison (203/1), Jackson (158/0), Jefferson (287/5), Kanawha (843/13), Lewis (27/1), Lincoln (75/0), Logan (162/0), Marion (175/4), Marshall (126/3), Mason (51/0), McDowell (47/1), Mercer (173/0), Mineral (114/2), Mingo (151/2), Monongalia (913/16), Monroe (18/1), Morgan (25/1), Nicholas (32/1), Ohio (262/1), Pendleton (41/1), Pleasants (8/1), Pocahontas (40/1), Preston (102/23), Putnam (173/1), Raleigh (200/7), Randolph (203/3), Ritchie (3/0), Roane (14/0), Summers (7/0), Taylor (54/1), Tucker (11/0), Tyler (12/0), Upshur (36/3), Wayne (192/2), Webster (3/0), Wetzel (40/0), Wirt (6/0), Wood (228/12), Wyoming (24/0). As case surveillance continues at the local health department level, it may reveal that those tested in a certain county may not be a resident of that county, or even the state as an individual in question may have crossed the state border to be tested. Please note that delays may be experienced with the reporting of information from the local health department to DHHR. Visit the dashboard at www.coronavirus.wv.gov for more detailed information. On July 24, 2020, Gov. Jim Justice announced that DHHR, the agency in charge of reporting the number of COVID-19 cases, will transition from providing twice-daily updates to one report every 24 hours. This became effective August 1, 2020.</p>	https://www.facebook.com/546779578713278_3294512640606611
WI Sen. LaTonya Johnson (D-WI-006) Wisconsin Senate	August 5, 2020	Tweet	Wisconsin State Legislature	<p>The longer that Senate Republicans delay passage of the next COVID-19 relief bill, the deeper the economic hole we're going to be stuck in. Enhanced UI should never have been allowed to expire--House Democrats passed the #HeroesAct in May. Kate Davidson (@KateDavidson): The lapse in the \$600 weekly jobless payments could have a huge impact on the broader economy. How big? Researchers estimate a one-month expiration could cause consumer spending to fall 4.3% -- more than the entire decline during the Great Recession. https://t.co/DmO1JnLVmn</p>	https://twitter.com/StateSenLaTonya/status/1291025786573488130