

KUYI Hopi Radio's Indian Country News Bureau Update

In response to protests over the killing of George Floyd by Minneapolis police, Arizona Governor Doug Ducey yesterday declared a state of emergency;

A nightly 8pm to 5am curfew will last all week;

The Hopi Tribe's General Counsel Fred Lomayesva issued the following statement in response, quote:

"I have reviewed the Governor's Declaration of Emergency, Imposition of Curfew.

Applicability of the Governor's Order:

The Governor's Order does not apply to members of the Hopi Tribe on the Hopi Reservation. However, if you are Hopi and off the Reservation, the curfew will apply to you.

Exceptions:

There are important exceptions to the Governor's Order. If you are buying groceries in town, it will not apply to you when you travel directly to the store or home. If you are traveling to or from caring for a family member, friend or animal, it will not apply.";

Floyd, a 46-year-old black Minnesota man, died after bystander videos showed a Minneapolis police officer pressed his knee into Floyd's neck for more than eight minutes.

In addition, Flagstaff's Vice Mayor Adam Shimoni stated, quote:

"Traveling between any two locations within Arizona is not prohibited by the Governor's recent Executive Order. This includes members traveling to and from Flagstaff back to Hopi"

HHCC "Front Line Heroes" Criteria Based Covid -19 Testing for Hopi Communities



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Romalita Laban, Managing Editor



Polacca, Ariz. – Sunday, May 31, 2020, after just over a couple weeks of learning that Jacqueline Nahee, an enrolled member of the Hopi Tribe, had recovered from and beat Covid-19, as Managing Editor of the Hopi Tutuveni, I reached out to Nahee.

I connected to Nahee and shared that I recently received results from the CVOD-19 test I took at the Hopi Health Care Center – IHS (HHCC- IHS) and that I tested negative for COVID-19. She knew I have also been following her progress on social media. Since she shared on May 9, 2020 on social media about receiving a positive test result and what she experienced in her recovery from the deadly virus, I have been looking forward to learning of her rebound.

I requested permission to share her May 9, 2020 social media post on Facebook. On the post Jacqueline, known as G-O to family and friends, reference her ordeal of testing positive for COVID-19, the symptoms she experienced and then eventually recovering.

Since she already made the information public, it made asking to share her story much easier. In fact, she replied, "First of all I'm so happy with your negative result. You are more than welcome to share my story. I'm always willing to help in some way. Keep running those hills, I believe running is medicine."

Another reason, I reached out to her is due to not seeing or reading about Hopi Tribal members who have recovered during this pandemic. Although we have been informed about the COVID-19 data regarding Hopi Tribal members being tested at HHCC-IHS, the number of positives, negatives and those still pending, and some data for some Hopi Villages, there hasn't been any reporting about how many of those with the positive cases have recovered.

Jacqueline Nahee comes from Tewa Vil-

lage, originally known as Hanoki, located on First Mesa, and is an enrolled member of the Hopi Tribe. First Mesa is one of three mesas located on the easterly end of the Hopi reservation, which has three Hopi villages located "on top." The Hopi Tribe's Department of Health and Human Services (HDHHS) is currently describing First Mesa villages as "Polacca Walpi-Sitsom'ovi-Tewa" when listing data about Hopi tribal members from those villages however it is not distinguishing data for each village in particular.

It is important to note that Nahee was not tested at the HHCC-IHS, so her particular case would not be included in what HHCC-IHS is reporting to the Hopi Tribe. It remains unclear whether her case would be included in what the HDHHS – Hopi Tribe reports, either. At this point, contact has not been made to either organization to confirm, however, due to HIPPA laws, I don't believe either organization would share that information with Hopi Tutuveni anyway.

All that aside, I thought it would be a positive step towards informing and educating the Hopi Tutuveni readers about how other Hopi Tribal members have found the courage, not only to get tested but to share their experience, as well. This allows for others to have something to relate to and can know and believe that recovery is happening for our very own people. It is hopeful to know that those testing positive do recover and are not just a number in all the COVID-19 data being shared.

Nahee is an avid marathon runner and has completed the Boston Marathon in the recent past. She comes from a family of strong runners. Jackie currently lives and works in Winslow, Ariz. for the project SNTEPP, which stands for Southwest Navajo Tobacco Education Prevention Program and is funded by the Black Hills Center for American Indian Health (BH-CAIH) and according to the BHCAIH, the mission of SNTEPP is: "The Southwest Navajo Tobacco Education Prevention Project's primary goal is to improve the health of Navajo people living on the Navajo Nation with a primary focus on children through commercial tobacco prevention, cessation, and policies, while respecting traditional practices and ceremonies associated with tobacco use." The program involves educating the young about smoking, training and prevention initiatives. Jackie has worked in the past for the Hopi Tribe under direct leadership of Hopi Tribal Chairman Wayne Taylor, Jr., as well.

With a few minor edits to give context for readers, below are Jacqueline's posts:

Posted - May 9, 2020 12:46 p.m. "Good afternoon! I am thankful for another beautiful day. Now that I have informed my mom, I feel it's time to let you all know that a couple weeks ago I tested positive for Covid-19. I was Asymptomatic with only a headache which started about 3 weeks ago [approximately April 18th.] I let my guard down. A few days later, the person I was exposed to, tested positive for the virus. Once I was informed, I went to the clinic, but couldn't be tested due to [no] symptoms. However, I knew I had it. Finally, two weeks from tomorrow [around April 26th] I went back to the clinic and insisted that I be tested although I still had no symptoms. Two days later I was informed that I was positive for the virus. One good thing was that I was already practicing social distancing and wearing a mask, so I knew I didn't infect anyone. I was still able to go on my runs to check my breathing and if I came across someone, I'd move to the other side of the road to keep my distance. I had my bad days and late nights where I would get this feeling of being in a daze or light headed. I called it that "ugly feeling." When I did get that ugly feeling, I would go walk or jog regardless of what time of the day it was, at night I would clean. It's been almost a week now where I have not felt that ugly feeling. I was retested yesterday and awaiting the results. I just want to express how important it is to exercise. because I strongly believe that it got me through this, take your vitamins and know your body. Walking, running, biking, leg lifts, lifting, etc. anything to move your body. I'm not seeking sympathy but awareness that this virus is for real and should be taken seriously. I am fortunate that I have such great friends Vanessa Kvien, Emily Kewanimptewa and Terri Little who brought me groceries, dinner, support, also, my loving sisters for checking on me every day. And my boss Dr. Patricia Nez Henderson who [help] me with controlling my emotions and being there all hours of the day and night, when I needed to talk. Mom has been through so much so I kept it from her. With that said, please be careful, stav home, wash your hands, no visitors, wear your mask, no hugs, but stay in touch with loved ones via phone, internet. I thought sharing my story will help in some way. I love vou all."

Photo Credit Jacqueline Nahee

Posted - May 15 at 6:08 p.m. "Good Evening! Today I got retested...Negative! I beat Covid-19. Thank you for your prayers, please continue to pray for all those who have this awful virus. Again, I would like to emphasize the importance of social distancing, wearing your mask, washing your hands and staying home. Love you all."

Nahee has continued running throughout her illness and is still going strong and ran 13.1 miles on the day the article was being written. Hopi Tutuveni appreciates Jacqueline Nahee's willingness to share her story and wishes her continued good health now and throughout her life. For all those being impacted by COVID-19, we send positives and a quick and speedy recovery from the illness and/or any losses experienced from the contagious virus. Stay hopeful, be safe, be well and wash your hands. – Uma nahongvitotani. UPDATE – Hopi Tribal Council Holds May 21, 2020 Special Meeting and June 1, 2020 Third Quarter Session at Hopi Jr./Sr. High School



Romalita Laban, Managing Editor Kykotsmovi, Ariz. – Monday, June 1, 2020 Hopi Tutuveni and KUYI Hopi Radio staff were present at the Hopi Jr./Sr. High School once again for the Hopi Tribal Council's Third Quarter Session.

Hopi Chairman Timothy L. Nuvangyaoma called the meeting to order at 10:17 a.m. and presided while Roll Call was completed by Barbara Lomayestewa, Hopi Tribal Secretary Staff Assistant determined that those in the room and those on the telephone and connected via Zoom established a quorum with nineteen (19) present and/or online or connected by phone.

All the First Mesa Consolidated Village (FMCV) Representatives present in the Hopi Bruin's Den which included Albert T. Sinquah, Wallace Youvella, Sr., Dale Sinquah, and Wallace Youvella, Jr.

Also in the room was Hopi Vice Chairman Clark W. Tenakhongva, Merwin Kooyahoema - Village of Mishongnovi Representative, Rosa Honanie - Village of Sipaulavi Representative, Clifford Qotsaquahu – Village of Bakabi Representative, the Village of Kyakotsmovi Representatives including Phillip Quochytewa, Sr., Danny Honanie and Herman Honanie.

Hopi Tribal Secretary Staff, including Barbara Lomayestewa, Berdella Nasingoetewa and Violet Sinquah, Sergeant-At-Arms was also present.

All those present wore face masks and were aligned to allow for proper social distancing in the area and in consideration of CDC guidelines. Hopi Tribal Secretary staff ensured that there was plenty of hand sanitizer, wipes, telephonic equipment, and were set up to conduct Hopi Tribal Council business complete with having laptops and microphones ready for the meeting to occur. The Agenda was being followed in order by Chairman Nuvangyaoma who asked Vice Chairman Tenakhongva to provide the Invocation and proceeded to add his own words after Vice Chairman spoke.

Preliminary and usual business included on the Agenda was addressed with a few fluctuations in the order of Agenda sections before Announcements, Minutes and Calendar Planning sections were addressed.

During the Announcement Section, Robert Charley, Village of Upper Moenkopi Representative who was calling in on the phone, made an announcement to the Council that the Hopi Tribal Housing Authority was entertaining a resolution from FMCV for a project, which he referred to as "kind of unusual and unorthodox" before continuing to announce that FMCV wants to build with the help of a consultant, a dialysis center and "10-unit housing" for Coronovirus patients. Charley also mentioned, "Just let the people be aware of it, even if they say it is shovel-ready, have to meet with all the landowners…"

Chairman Nuvangyaoma proceeded to announce he was moving onto "Number 8 Minutes" to which he announced the Secretary indicated no minutes were available for approval before realizing he skipped over the Correspondence section of the agenda and proceeded by asking Barbara Lomayestewa, Secretary Staff to read all correspondence into record.

There were five items read into record which included three letters and couple of memorandums. The letters included those from First Mesa Kikmongwi regarding meeting with the Chairman, a letter from the Village of Shungopavi to the Chairman and a letter from Chairman Nuvangyaoma to the Council regarding meeting with CDC officials. The letter from the Village of Shungopavi was not fully read into record by Secretary staff as it was described as being addressed to the Chairman and not necessarily the Council.

After discussion surrounding Committee meetings and dates, Committee Chairpersons were asked to submit Committee meeting dates, via email, to the Secretary's office for dissemination as part of the Calendar Planning section of business.

After some going back and forth with Representatives on the phone lines and with some inaudible remarks, Chairman Nuvangyaoma reminded Council that his goal was to get through the preliminary business of opening up the Third Quarter Session and getting the Agenda approved.

With the reminder from the Chairman spoken, Wallace Youvella, Sr., FMCV Representative then made a motion to approve the Agenda with the addition of the "CDC letter from the Chairman and letter from First Mesa Kikmongwi." Albert T. Sinquah, FMCV Representative announced a second to the motion. The motion was put to a vote and it passed with no opposing or abstention votes.

The Chairman then went into announcing he would be recessing the meeting until Monday, June 8th at 10:00 a.m. and that another area is being proposed at the Tribal Chambers. He also mentioned that others are working on technical difficulties there and are yet to be determined.

Before the Chairman could continue, Albert T. Sinquah, FMCV Representative then proceeded to make a motion to recess until 9 a.m. and mentioned he didn't think the Chairman can recess before the Chairman mentioned, "It is normally up to the discretion of the Chairman, so going ahead and recessing at 11:09."

Prior to the June 1st Hopi Tribal Council session a Special Meeting was conducted by HTC from May 21st through May 22nd and continued again on May 26th through May 27th.

The Special Meeting was to address New Business items listed on the April 29, 2020 Agenda as:

1.Discussion/Action – Hopi Tribal Council's Budget Modification to purchase teleconference capability;

2.Discussion/Action – List Hopi Tribal Council Members as essential workers and provide access to Tribal Facilities as required.

3.Discussion/Action – Additional funding provided by Congress for COVID 19 to Tribes, IHS, BIA, BIE, HTEDC AND HTI

4.Discussion/Possible Action Responsibilities of the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Tribal Council and HERT

5.Briefs to Council by – IHS CEO, Schools, Hopi Law Enforcement Services, BIA Superintendent, Chief Judge, Department of Health & Human Services, HERT, Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation, Hopi Telecommunications, Inc., Tribal Departments, Executive Director, Community Service Administrators, and the Hopi Foundation

6.Discussion/Action – Create Hopi Tribal Council Agenda and schedule regular Hopi Tribal Council Meetings as needed.

During the Special Meeting sessions all New Business items were addressed with Items 1 and 2 approved by consensus of the Council. Item 3. was approved by passage of a motion to accept COVID 19 funding and CARES Act funding and the forming of a committee to determine how funding would be spent.

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Cont. HTC session article

Some of the "Briefs to Council" were addressed by having some individuals present via Zoom and phone while others were allowed to submit written Briefs to Council.

Hopi Tutuveni has been prepared to cover any Hopi Tribal Council meetings to provide updates to readers on actions being taken by Tribal Council. However, attempts by the Hopi Tribal Secretary's Office to hold Tribal Council meetings have failed until recently with the Special Meeting session and the Third Quarter session being held at the HJSHS Bruin's Den and mostly due to the Hopi Tribal government phone system and technical issues with teleconference lines. The following is a list of dates on which Hopi Tribal Council attempted to meet and reasons for meetings not occurring:

Tuesday, April 28, 2020 – Hopi Tribe phone system down due to hardware issues.

Friday, May 8, 2020 9:00 a.m. – Hopi Tribe phone system technical difficulties apparently due to "getting a hit" during a recent rain storm and according to Chairman Nuvangyaoma. (Meeting rescheduled to Monday, May 11, 2020)

Monday, May 11, 2020 9:00 a.m. - Phone system technical difficulties. (Meeting rescheduled to Thursday, May 21, 2020)

Hopi Tutuveni attended a meeting on Monday, May 18,

2020 at the Hopi Jr./Sr. High School where some Hopi Tribal Council representatives, Hopi Tribal Secretary staff, Hopi Chairman Nuvangyaoma and Hopi Vice Chairman Tenakhongva all joined to do a test run of holding a Council meeting in the Hopi Bruins Den – Cafeteria while meeting social distancing requirements, as much as possible.

HJSHS technology staff, KUYI Hopi Radio staff and Hopi Tutuveni were also in attendance making sure all the technical aspects were covered and to cover the progress being made to ensure Hopi Tribal Council had internet and email access, the phone system was accessible and any Tribal Council representatives choosing to dial-in or log into a Zoom type meeting could do so, as well. The next Hopi Tribal Council meeting scheduled to occur on Thursday, May 21, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. and which the public will be allowed to listen in via KUYI Hopi Radio at 88.1FM did occur.

We will do our best to cover the meeting as well and hope before the meeting occurs, to have received an updated Hopi Tribal Council Agenda for the rescheduled meeting.

Although we would like to keep Hopi Tutuveni readers up to date, informed and educated about issues affecting them, until we receive word from Hopi Tribe's Management Information Systems and Facilities Department about after hours/weekend access, we cannot promise any updates during any other times.

Until we receive communications about internet, email and Risk Management Building access the Hopi Tutuveni is being seriously impacted in its ability to bring up to date information to Hopi Tutuveni readers and users of the webpage.

While it is critically important that we do our part to prevent and control the spread of the highly contagious COVID-19 virus, the June 3, 2020 publication is scheduled for distribution only to local stores, post offices and areas accessible by the public for food and other essentials during the Stay-at-Home Order for all residents of the Hopi Reservation. In addition, a limited amount of printed copies will be provided to the Shungopavi Security check point staff, to hand out to residents upon entrance to the village and until the supply is depleted.

Hopi Tutuveni office remains closed to the public and in accordance with the Tribal Government shutdown requirements through June 20, 2020. Hopi Tutuveni staff can be reached at 928-734-3281 or 928-401-6435 and e-mails can be sent to rlaban@hopi.nsn.us from 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Friday.

HOPI TRIBAL COUNCIL Third Quarter Session June 1, 2020 AGENDA

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Action Item #018-2020 – To approve Lease Agreement between the Hopi Tribe on behalf of First Mesa Consolidated Villages and McGees – Polacca Circle M – Author/ Michele Honanie, Realty Specialist, Office of Real Estate Services - **Time Certain – February 5, 2020 (a) 1:00 p.m. – TABLED

2. Action Item #023-2020 – To seek directives from the Hopi Tribal Council to assign appropriate tribal employees/elected officials/committees to take responsibility to complete the tasks requested by Villages Against Meth – Author/David Talayumptewa, Tribal Council Representatives, Village of Kyakotsmovi – **Time Certain – March 4, 2020 @ 9:00 a.m. – TABLED

NEW BUSINESS

1. Action Item #026-2020 – To approve the Charter of Incorporation for the Tawa'ovi Community Development Corporation to establish a federally chartered corporation – Author/Andrew Gashwazra, Director, Office of Community Planning & Economic Development

2. Action Item #028-2020 – To amend the Hopi Code adopted on August 28, 2012, corrected April 4, 2013 (H-027-2013 and by H-037-2013) – Author/Wayne Taylor, Jr., Deputy Executive Director, Office of the Executive Director - **Time Certain – March 24. 2020 @ 1:00 p.m.

3. Action Item #032-2020 – To approve a Development Permit-Residential Use to Hopi Tribal Housing Authority for demolition and construction of two replacement housing units in the Villages of Tewa and Kykotsmovi – Author/Fred Shupla, Community Planner, Office of Community Planning and Economic Development

4. Action Item #035-2020 – To contract Snyder & Butler, CPAs, PLLC to complete the Hopi Tribe's annual audit for the year ended December 31, 2019 – Author/Anthony Laban, Assistant Director, Office of Financial Management

5. Action Item #037-2020 – To request for Sole Source Consulting Agreement between the Hopi Tribe and Power Quality Professionals, LLC – Author/Karen Pennington, Chief Judge, Hopi Tribal Court

6. Action Item #038-2020 – To contract Walker & Armstrong, LLP to provide accounting services for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2019, technical assistance and training to the Office of Financial Management – Author/Anthony Laban, Assistant Director, Office of Financial Management 7. Action Item #040-2020 – To approve the Tribal Transportation Improvement Program (TTIP FY 2020 – 2024 for Program Agreement A17AP00050) – Author/ Michael Lomayaktewa, Director, Hopi Department of Transportation

8. Action Item #041-2020 – To authorize the Chairman of the Hopi Tribe to sign and enter into a new lease with Cellular One of Northeast Arizona for a LITE Tower Site located near Lower Moencopi – Author/Michele Honanie, Realty Specialist – Office of Real Estate Services

9. Action Item #044-2020 – To approve the FY 2020 Cooperative Agreement between the Hopi Tribe and DNA-People's Legal Services, Inc., to provide Public Defender Services – Author/Sandra Dennis, Staff Assistant, Office of the General Counsel

10. Action Item #045-2020 – Request to have the Hopi Tribal Council direct the Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation to release financial information – Author/ Don Jim Davis, Director, Office of Financial Management

11. Action Item #047-2020 – To approve Development Permit-Residential Use to Hopi Tribal Housing Authority for placement of a Mobile Home in the Village of Bacavi – Author/Fred Shupla, Community Planner, Office of Community Planning and Economic Development

12. Discussion – Urgent Personnel Matter – Karen Pennington, Chief Judge, Hopi Tribal Court - PENDNG REPORT FROM GENERAL COUNSEL

13. Discussion - Letter dated April 27, 2020 from Rena D. Cook; re: Gift of sheep flock to the Hopi Tribe in honor of her ancestor, Sarah Roundtree – Wallace Youvella, Sr., Tribal Council Representative, First Mesa Consolidated Villages – PENDING REPORT FROM TREASURER AND DNR DIRECTOR

14. Discussion - LCR trial preparations and other litigation related matters and to consult with Council regarding LCR settlement efforts – 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Thayne Lowe/Colin Campbell - **Time Certain – June 9, 2020 – 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

15. Discussion – Letter dated February 8, 2020 from James M. Tewayguna, Kikmongwi, Leo LaCapa, Jr., Soyal Mongwi and Samuel Tenakhongva, Katcin Mongwi, First Mesa Consolidated Villages re: Request to have Hopi Tribal Council direct the Chairman to meet with FMCV Village Leadership

*Hopi Tribal Council may go into Executive Session on any agenda item **Time Certain Requests

Hopi High School Graduates and Student Scholarship Award list



Student receiving diploma. Photos by Carl Onsae/HT

Student and Scholarship Award

Matthew Bahnimptew - U of A Wildcat Scholarship Cierra Brad - NAU Presidential Scholarship Shaniqua Campus - NAU Presidential Scholarship & U of A Wildcat Scholarship Khai Elliott - U of A Wildcat Scholarship Mykiala Elthie - Carol Burnett Writers Scholarship & NAU Presidential Scholarship Ellyse Fredericks - U of A Wildcat Scholarship Hope Honani - ASU Obama Scholarship Kaleen Joseph- U of A Wildcat Scholarship Mina Lomatska - NAU Presidential Scholarship & U of A Wildcat Scholarship Elizabeth Nutumya - NAU Dean's Scholarship Allan Paxson - GATES Millennium Scholarship, NAU Presidential Scholarship, & U of A Wildcat Scholarship Talia Sehongva - NAU Dean's Scholarship & U of A Wildcat Scholarship Isaiah Silas - NAU Dean's Scholarship

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Associate Press/Staff and wire reports

In Baltimore, protesters shouted the name of Freddie Gray. In Topeka, Kansas, T-shirts were emblazoned with the name of Dominique White. In Tulsa, Oklahoma, people gathered in a spot where white mobs killed hundreds of blacks a century ago and chanted the name of Terence Crutcher.

Across the U.S. as protesters poured into the streets to voice anger about last week's death of George Floyd, they also marked the occasion with reminders that the handcuffed black man who pleaded for air as on officer pinned him to the pavement with his knee on his neck is simply the latest addition to a grim roster.

Their stories have substantial differences, but protesters used their names and faces on posters to drive home the point that Floyd is part of a larger story about the dangers of being black in the United States.

According to data from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Native Americans are more likely to be killed by police than any other group, including African Americans, 3.1 times more likely than white Americans.

An investigation by Stephanie Woodward writing In These Times called out so many of the names that need to be said.

"Suquamish Tribe descendant Jeanetta Riley, a 34-yearold mother of four, lay face down on a Sandpoint, Idaho street. One minute earlier, three police officers had arrived, summoned by staff at a nearby hospital. Her husband had sought help there because Riley—homeless, pregnant and with a history of mental illness—was threatening suicide," Woodward wrote. "Drop the knife!' they yelled, advancing, then opened fire. They pumped two shots into her chest and another into her back as she fell to the pavement. Fifteen seconds had elapsed from the time they exited their vehicles."

Woodward's list includes a list of Native men and women who died in police custody and most of their stories are not carried on signs at marches or in media reports.

"On the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe's reservation in South Dakota, an angry crowd marched on police headquarters after tribal member Phillip High Bear's mother alleged her 33-year-old son was beaten to death there," Woodward wrote about his 2015 death. "Protestors sang, drummed and shouted taunting references to the 1890 shooting death of Lakota spiritual leader Sitting Bull at the hands of Native police officers." "George Floyd is causing people in their own communities to recall, reflect and then get angry all over again about their own police killings," said Marshall Hatch, a Chicago minister who eulogized Bettie Jones, who was struck by a bullet from an officer responding to a domestic dispute at a neighbor's house that also left 19-year-old Quintonio LeGrier dead in 2015.

Hatch said Floyd's death has served as a reminder to continue to push for justice in deaths throughout the country. He said that on Wednesday, he and other religious leaders plan to gather outside police headquarters to demand the officer who was fired after fatally shooting Jones and LeGrier also face criminal charges.

"There is a lot of feelings of incomplete justice all over the country," he said.

Allisa Findley, whose brother, Botham Jean, was killed in 2018 inside his apartment by a white Dallas police officer who said she mistook his apartment for her own told WFAA television in Dallas, "It is like pouring salt into an open wound every time there is another case."

"Yes, it's a different name, but it's the same situation," Findley said

In New York, many protesters shouted, "I can't breathe," a reminder that the words Floyd said in his last moments of life echoed what Eric Garner, stopped by police in New York City's Staten Island for allegedly selling untaxed cigarettes, said when a police officer put him in what appeared to be a chokehold in 2014.

One of the first things Chicago Mayor Lori Lightfoot said publicly about Floyd's death was that it brought back to her the pain that the city felt in 2015 when a video of a white police officer shooting black teenager Laquan Mc-Donald was released.

In Oakland, California, protesters gathered at Oscar Grant Plaza, named for the 22-year-old who was pulled by police from a Bay Area Rapid Transit train early on New Year's Day 2009 and killed in one of the first police shootings captured on video by bystanders.

Grant's mother, Wanda Johnson, could not help but think of her son when she saw a bystander's video of Floyd's final moments.

"It brought back so many memories of them trying to demonize him, then trying to have other officers there and none trying to control the situation," Johnson told KRON-TV in the Bay Area.

In Baltimore, it was impossible not to think of what happened in 2015 — from the death of 25-year-old Fred-

die Gray after he suffered major spinal injuries while being transported in a police van to the unrest that followed.

"It was a stark reminder of our own city's trauma," Baltimore Mayor Bernard C. "Jack" Young told the Baltimore Sun.

While Gray's name has remained part of the national conversation about police treatment of blacks, what has been striking is that demonstrations in every corner of the country tell their own piece of a larger story.

Terence Crutcher was fatally shot in 2016 by a white police officer, Betty Shelby, who was later acquitted of manslaughter.

"If you all could just scream at the top of your lungs and let Terence know that you still care, that you haven't forgotten," his twin sister, Tiffany Crutcher, told a Tulsa crowd.

Michael Ramos, described by friends and family as black and Hispanic, was fatally shot by Austin, Texas, police in April as the 42-year-old drove away from officers after first being shot with a beanbag. The shooting remains under investigation, and Ramos' mom, Brenda Ramos, questioned why the officer who shot him hasn't been arrested or at least suspended.

"Now I am in this terrible heartbreaking club," Ramos' mom, Brenda Ramos, told reporters over the weekend. "It's a club of mothers of black Americans who have been murdered by police."

On Monday in Phoenix a state trooper saw a 28-yearold man, Dion Johnson, passed out in the vehicle on a freeway. The trooper shot and killed Johnson, reporting a struggle.

In Topeka, protests included the shouts of, "Say his name! Dominique White." The 30-year-old Topeka man was armed when officers, responding to a report of gunfire, confronted him and fatally shot him in 2017. While an internal police investigation found the officers followed department policies, protesters still have questions, as do relatives who have filed a lawsuit.

In New York, Gov. Andrew Cuomo posted a slide with the names of many black men killed or abused by police in cities around the nation.

"You are blind, or in denial, if you are still treating each one like a unique situation," he said at his Saturday morning press briefing. "How many times have we seen the same situation?

"Yes, the names change. But the color doesn't."

Davids, Haaland stand in solidarity with Black community following killing of George Floyd



George Floyd - Credit by original post

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Office of Representative Sharice Davids (D-KS-03)

Office of Representative Debra Haaland (D-NM-01)

Yesterday, Representatives Sharice Davids (KS-03) and Deb Haaland (NM-01), the first two Native American women to serve in Congress, released the following statement in solidarity with the Black community:

"We share in the heartbreak and pain felt by millions across the country in response to the killing of George Floyd, as well as the countless other Black Americans who have died at the hands of brutality and injustice in this country. We mourn for the lives lost, for the families grieving, and for every person who has been affected by the systemic, pervasive injustices across the United States.

"The pain our country feels is rooted in generations of institutional racism. We recognize that the anger in our communities is a sincere and justifiable reaction to the long-standing failure to reform those institutions—especially our criminal justice system. Even amid a global pandemic that is disproportionality impacting people of color, the circumstances are too much for many to bear silently or alone.

"It is inspiring to see people come together to stand up for each other and demand justice. At the same time, a very small minority are compounding this pain by resorting to further violence and destruction. As President Obama said today, 'If we want our criminal justice system, and American society at large, to operate on a higher ethical code, then we have to model that code ourselves.'

"Though we will never know the experience of being Black in America, we know that Indian Country stands in solidarity with our Black brothers and sisters — committed to fighting for justice and channeling our frustration into meaningful action and change. Together we can build a more equitable and just society — one that lives up to the ideals we expect of our nation."

Arizona Gov. Doug Ducey declares state of emergency, issues curfew to last all week

By Staff/Cronkite News

PHOENIX – Arizona Gov. Doug Ducey has issued a statewide declaration of emergency, setting a curfew starting at 8 p.m. Sunday and lasting each night for one week.

Ducey said local leaders made the request. "This gives law enforcement an additional tool to prevent the lawlessness we've seen here and in cities nationwide," according to a Sunday afternoon tweet. "Police will be equipped to make arrests of individuals who are planning to riot, loot or cause damage and unrest."

Ducey also announced that the Arizona National Guard will mobilize to "protect life and property" throughout the state.

The daily curfew will last until 5 a.m. Those exempt include public safety and medical personnel, individuals traveling to and from work and people patronizing or operating private businesses, according to the declaration.

It also states that "during the hours of curfew, all persons are prohibited from using, standing, sitting, traveling or being present on any public street or in any public place."

Protests in Arizona turned violent this weekend.

On Saturday evening, Scottsdale police declared an unlawful assembly after protesters began damaging businesses near Scottsdale Fashion Square.

Officers arrested 12 people, and the department said protesters caused "millions of dollars in damages and theft," according to The Arizona Republic.

On Saturday, Phoenix police officials had warned protesters they would take swift action if demonstrations turned criminal. The Saturday news conference came after a night of destruction in downtown Phoenix Friday night.

Despite the warnings, protesters began

damaging property and setting fires late in the evening. Phoenix police arrested 114 people on suspicion of rioting and unlawful assembly, according to The Arizona Republic.

The death of George Floyd has sparked mass protests nationwide. Floyd, a 46-year-old black man, died after bystander videos showed a Minneapolis police officer pressed his knee into Floyd's neck for more than eight minutes.

In his Twitter statement, Ducey said he had been contacting mayors across Arizona "to ensure they have proactive plans to prevent looting and violence in their cities tonight and in days to come. This is why we sought public office. It's time for leadership, vigilance and action."

Social media users reacted with mixed emotions. Some thanked the government. User Mike Burris replied to Ducey's announcement with this: "Arizona will stand together for equal treatment of all races, but we wont stand for our city to be destroved!"

However, some users asked for more details – such as whether the declaration affects essential workers. Those details weren't available early Sunday afternoon.

And some users expressed their frustration. Devora Locke tweeted, "For the first time since 1968 I feel compelled to get out on the streets myself and protest. It's not just the lawbreakers that this curfew affects, it is everyone with a voice that needs to be heard."

Ducey's office released a statement on Sunday, saying "destruction of property does not qualify as freedom of expression," but vowing that leaders will listen.

"The death of George Floyd is tragic and abhorrent. It should be condemned by leaders at all levels - and we should listen to those who seek to have a civil dialogue on how to ensure it never happens again," according to the statement.



By LARRY The CAT The Hopi Tutuveni

Here on the Hopi reservation we encountered a sickness before. I'm pretty sure it was smallpox but that was about 100 years ago, I think? Our elders have stories from their childhood when they were told by their grandparents that a great sickness had struck the Hopi mesas and that history is trying to repeat itthey didn't know what to do or what this sickness was. People started to die faster than they could bury them. In one village they started to just throw the dead in a side cave off the see it as our rights being taken harm. We just have to prepare mesa, because they couldn't bury them fast enough. Also, in another village, they made or we don't follow rules bea house for the sick and when a person felt sick, they would go there to die. I'm pretty sure the house is still there and maybe contains the remains of the sick from a long time ago but that's just my guess. And I'm pretty sure Hopi history or language class never told that sad truth about Hopi's past and possibly because it is taboo to

ness of living the Hopi culture and it could be a good thing to happy event. I believe though the past, like that of what Hopi we don't encounter great loss like that again.

away, because we can't go viscause we think it's controlling culture that we lost respect to

culture. Hopi is about life so do to us if we don't listen to we tend to focus on the happi- the past, and are destined to repeat history.

When I was a mush head only remember the past as a kitten, we never heard of anything like this sickness before. that we must also learn from Sure, they taught us about the different pandemics and epencountered with smallpox, so idemics, but they never said that Hopi had suffered a great lie. loss in the past, so we were So in my mind and thoughts, blind to that past and never home because you feel that we can keep our luxuries and prepared for the now-future. self. Although, the Hopi peo- Of course, no one had any ple have become smarter to idea how big this new sickness save the Hopi people and to would be, but still, we should preserve our culture. But some have taught ourselves that we people don't see it like that, we can't completely be safe from ourselves so we don't become Facebook as they start to init someone in another village written words in the history crease. But go ahead and live books.

I know, by now, most Hopis or either beneath us. We have are tired of hearing the same become so lewd to our own news about this Coronavirus thing and we are sick of seeall rules that were set to keep ing the posted "numbers" on us safe. We become like the Facebook about how many are white man because we need to sick on the Hopi reservation. worse to come. It seems to me have theater popcorn and we But, this just to inform people that we as Hopi people and need to have our nails done about this sickness and that Hopi cats are not "spiritual" at our favorite nail salon. We it's still here on the Hopi reserhave to think about the future vation and can wreak havoc if holidays and we like fishing, talk about death in the Hopi and what this sickness could cautions are not respected and then we post pictures on social

used to stay healthy.

Sure, some of us will say "I don't feel sick" or "I'm not sick" so let me go to the lake lieve in the Great Spirit anyso I can fish on Memorial Day weekend with hundreds of 2-for-1 deals at our favorite "not sick humans" and I know some of you did that over that weekend...Facebook

But of course, you can't stay vou're not a risk to anyone. Sure we can be like a white we don't need to listen to any man for a day and take all the rules, because we were nevrisks and bring it all back to the reservation. Then maybe we'll start paying attention to the "numbers" posted on be a test to what might come. vour luxuries for a day like we true Hopi-ness. I know this have been doing in the recent past.

this sickness might be just a warning so we can better prepare ourselves for something anymore because we like our

media saying, "Was a great weekend, good to get off the Rez." So now, we don't bemore. Now we believe in the clothing outlet and how many drive-by drinks we have to don't buy in order to get a free coffee drink, but I digress.

So, my advice to you is that keep telling ourselves that er given a curfew before. Or we could start to understand that this sickness could only Don't let white man's luxuries entice you away from your "lockdown" is a drag...but hey look at this way, we get to In my last article, I said that save money by eating all the green veggies that we were given, and when things get back to a somewhat "normal" stage in the year 2020, we can all go fishing and sing "till the cows come home"...or whatever the white man says.

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Hopi Tribal Government Shutdown Extended to June 20, 2020

Romalita Laban, Managing Editor

Kykotsmovi, Ariz. – Wednesday, May 27, 2020 at approximately 5:18 p.m. Yolanda Baca, Executive Assistant, Office of the Chairman sent out an email with "002.3-2020 Executive Order.pdf" file attached.

"THE HOPI TRIBE EXECUTIVE OR-DER NO. 002.3-2020 document, further titled "Amending Executive Order No. 002.2-2020 to extend the Stay at Home Order for all residents of the Hopi Reservation" stated that the Chairman of the Hopi Tribe directs that Executive Order 002.2-2020 shall be extended beyond May 31, 2020 and shall remain in effect through June 20, 2020, unless modified, extended or rescinded...SO ORDERED this 27th day of May 2020."

The Hopi Executive Order No. 002.3-2020 referenced "WHEREAS, the Hopi Health Care Center has reported a current total of eighty-three (83) positive COVID-19 cases which represents an increases of 31 positive cases since May 4, 2020, and...WHEREAS, the number of confirmed positive COVID-19 cases within the proximate surrounding Navajo Nation continues to increase; and WHERE-AS, the Stay At Home order for the State of Arizona expired on May 15, 2020... continuation of the Stay at Home Order is necessary to build on comprehensive efforts to control the spread of COVID-19 and protect the general Hopi public..."

The next day on Thursday, May 28, 2020 at approximately 8:33 a.m. Baca sent out another email with the "Extension of Tribal Government Shutdown.pdf" file attached.

The May 27, 2020 MEMORANDUM addressed to ALL HOPI TRIBAL GOV-ERNMENT EMPLOYEES from Timothy L. Nuvangyaoma, Chairman and Clark W. Tenakhongva, Vice Chairman and Dorma L. Sahneyah, Executive Director with the subject line, "Extension of Tribal Government Shutdown."

The one-page memorandum referenced the May 4, 2020 "Directive...for all employees, except essential staff, to continue

to telework" is further extended through June 19, 2020.

The memorandum also referenced that "The COVID-19 pandemic has impacted Hopi Tribal Government services in unprecedented way and requires a change in how our workforce must now operate."

The memorandum also referenced, "Extension of the Tribal Government Shutdown is necessary to continue to build on comprehensive efforts to control the COVID-19 spread and protect tribal government employees, including increasing testing availability and frequency; implementing positive case tracking; insuring adequate personal protective equipment; and implementing enhanced safety protocols."

Up to this date, not all Hopi Tribal Essential employees have been required by the Hopi Tribe to get tested for the COVID-19 virus nor have all employees been formally notified of any "Return to Work" plans and/or protocols, other than those sent to the Essential Employees regarding wearing of face masks, being required to check in at Security posts at the Administrative and Legislative buildings before going to workstations and wiping down areas before leaving for the day.

Employees were also informed, via the Memorandum that the Hopi Tribe's Finance Department, "...shall ensure all employees are paid during this extension period." And all employees were reminded to be available during regular work days and to be able to report to work within an hour of being notified.

The Hopi Tutuveni landing page located on the Hopi Tribe website at https://www. hopi-nsn.gov/news/hopi-tutuveni/ is being updated as official notifications from the Tribal Government are being received.

Due to the increased amount of information being shared and because the Hopi Tutuveni is considered the official newspaper for the public's information, updates from Hopi Chairman and Vice Chairman's Offices regarding measures being taken to address Covid-19 on the Hopi reservation will be posted when information becomes available and is still time relevant.

Amending Executive Order No. 002.2-2020 to extend the Stay at Home Order for all residents of the Hopi Reservation

WHEREAS, the Constitution and By-laws of the Hopi Tribe, ARTICLE VI-POWERS OF

THE TRIBAL COUNCIL, SECTION 1 (a) and (b) respectively, authorizes the

Hopi Tribal Council to represent and speak for the Hopi Tribe in all matters for the welfare of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020, the Hopi Tribe implemented a Stay at Home Executive Order effective through April 17, 2020, in an effort to prevent and respond to the

COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on April 14, 2020, Hopi Executive Order No.002.1-2020 was issued extending the

Stay at Home Order to May 9, 2020, to limit and control the COVID-19 spread on the Hopi Reservation; and

WHEREAS, on May 4, 2020, Hopi Executive Order No.002.2-2020 was issued extending the

Stay at Home Order to May 31, 2020, to limit potential exposure of the general public on the Hopi Reservation to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, although the Hopi Tribe has taken proactive actions to reduce the risk of

COVID-19, this pandemic continues to present a threat to the public health of Hopi residents; and

WHEREAS, the Hopi Health Care Center has reported a current total of eightythree (83) positive COVID-19 cases, which represents an increase of 31 positive cases since May 4, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the number of con finned positive COVID-19 cases within the proximate surrounding Navajo Nation continues to increase; and

WHEREAS, the Stay At Home order for the State of Arizona expired on May 15, 2020, resulting in reopening of businesses, which requires certain measures be taken to mitigate the risk of COVID-19 resurgence in order to protect vulnerable Hopi citizens; and

WHEREAS, continuation of the Stay at Home Order is necessary to build on comprehensive efforts to control the spread of COVID-1 9 and protect the general Hopi public, including increasing testing availability and frequency; implementing positive case tracking; insuring adequate personal protective equipment; and implementing enhanced safety protocols to limit potential exposure; and

WHEREAS, the Hopi Tribal Chairman is authorized pursuant to Section 7-701(2) of the Hopi

Emergency Response Plan to provide the necessary direction to preserve the peace and order of the Hopi Tribe.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RE-SOLVED that the Chairman of the Hopi Tribe directs that

Executive Order 002.2-2020 shall be extended beyond May 31, 2020, and shall remain in effect through June 20, 2020, unless modified, extended or rescinded.

SO ORDERED this 27th day of May 2020.

If you have a story to submit or want a story to be featured in the Hopi Tutuveni

Call or email us and tell us your story. If you have a question on submitting content or pictures call: 928-734-3283 or consae@hopi.nsn.us

Critical Care Response Team Will Further Enhance Patient Care Across the Indian Health Service

Indian Health Services FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Contact: (301) 443-3593, newsroom@ ihs.gov

Today, the Indian Health Service is announcing that it is forming a Critical Care Response Team of expert physicians, registered nurses, and other healthcare professionals on an as needed basis to provide urgent lifesaving medical care to COVID-19 patients admitted to IHS or tribal hospitals.

These expert medical professionals will conduct hands-on clinical education while treating patients, expanding capacity and training the frontline health care professionals on the most current information for the management of COVID-19 patients, and other critically ill patients. In the event a hospital or other medical location needs additional resources, the critical care response team can be mobilized and at the bedside of the patient within 24-48 hours notice.

"A critical care response team will further enhance patient care across the Indian health system," said IHS Director Rear Adm. Michael D. Weahkee. "This is a positive step in providing access to quality critical health care services, strengthening organizational capacity, improving operations and giving additional support to our frontline health care workers. Additional expert critical care support will assist IHS hospitals during a crisis and provide our most vulnerable patients the greatest chance of survival."

The IHS is responding to COVID-19 with an all hands on deck approach to address the potential surge in hospitalized and critically ill patients. For instance, the IHS is working to rapidly deploy telehealth services as needed to allow critical care consultation for patients managed in an IHS intensive care unit, and for critically ill patients receiving care at hospitals before they transfer to a higher level of care. The IHS also continues to work with tribal, state and local partners to operate alternate care sites using existing buildings for patients who have been transferred from the hospital but still require some level of medical care. These patients may require oxygen and medications but do not require extensive nursing care or assistance with activities of daily living.

The IHS received over \$2.4 billion in new funding to provide resources that will support a wide range of COVID-19 response activities across the Indian health system. The critical care response team will be staffed through a 12-month contract awarded to Fire Creek Services Company, a Native-owned small business, which is part of All Native Group.

The IHS, an agency in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services provides a comprehensive health service delivery system for approximately 2.6 million American Indians and Alaska Natives who belong to 574 federally recognized tribes in 37 states. Follow the agency via social media on Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.



CRITERIA-BASED COVID-19 TESTING FOR HOPI COMMUNITIES

The Hopi Health Care Center (HHCC) is expanding testing village by village. This is in coordination with the Hopi Tribe, HERT, and the HHCC Department of Community Health. This design allows for better traffic control and decreased wait times for screening and testing. The village of **SHUNGOPAVI** will be scheduled for testing on May 28, 2020 at HHCC starting at 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. The Community Health Representatives and Village representatives will be going door-to-door to inform each household of testing criteria and information about this event. You **may** be additionally contacted by HHCC nursing staff for further screening and instructions.

The criteria list is as follows:

- Age 55 years and older
- Has a Chronic Medical Condition (High Blood Pressure, Diabetes, Cardiovascular disease, Chronic Lung Disease, Kidney Disease, etc.)
- Immunocompromised individual (Cancer, Organ transplant, Dialysis, advanced HIV, etc.)
- Pregnant women
- Any person who has experienced these symptoms within the past 7 days:

Cough	Chills
Shortness of Breath	Muscle Pain
Fever	Sore Throat
Loss of Taste or Smell	Nausea/Diarrhea/Vomiting

Any questions or for more clarification, please call the Hopi Health Care Center Hotline at (928) 737-6188.



Testing Blitz 2020 at the Hopi Health Care Center Photo by Romalita Laban/HT

Hopi Tribe – Department of Health and Human Services COVID-19 Emergency Response – June 1, 2020 Report

By: Royce Jenkins, DHHS Director

Kykotsmovi, Ariz. – June 1, 2020 — Protests sparked by the mishandling of the George Floyd incident in Minnesota last week continued to intensify across the United States, as protesters broke local curfews to voice frustration over policing in America. Meanwhile, the country is in the middle of a pandemic with a number of COVID-19 cases still increasing throughout Arizona. Here in our state, Governor Doug Ducey imposed a weeklong, statewide curfew after another night of intense protests with random looting in places like Phoenix, Scottsdale and Tucson.

The Hopi-Tewa community will continue to abide by the Hopi Tribe's stay at home directives in response to COVID-19, even as the rest of Arizona generates more movements guided by the new curfew hours from 8:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. for the next week. Please continue to protect your community and family, especially during the brief moments when picking up essential items in the surrounding towns and cities.

Here is a quick overview of the COVID-19 statistics on a national, state, and local level:

As of this date – June 1, 2020, 2020

The United Sates now has over 1.7 million confirmed positive cases with 26, 177 new cases and over 104,396 deaths reported.

Over 20,123 confirmed positive cases now exist in Arizona. Of those, close to 1,873 are in Navajo County alone.

The Hopi Health Care Center has tested over 1,286 patients to this date. Over 97 of those tests at Hopi Health Care Center came back positive. 40 of those patients are from the Hopi Tribe.

Of those positive tests, a handful are right here on Hopi – in our villages. The information below provides a glimpse of the current numbers in those respective villages.

40** of the 97 patients total are members of the Hopi Tribe or approximately 41%. Prevention:

Watch for symptoms. People with COVID-19 have had a wide range of symptoms reported – ranging from mild symptoms to severe illness.

Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus. People with these symptoms or combinations of symptoms may have COVID-19:

•Cough

•Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing

- •Or at least two of these symptoms:
- •Fever
- •Chills
- •Repeated shaking with chills
- •Muscle pain
- •Headache
- •Sore throat
- •New loss of taste or smell

Children have similar symptoms to adults and generally have mild illness.

This list is not all inclusive. Please consult your medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning to you. Education: School Resources - Be "Wise & Ready"

Community preparedness is the ability of communities to prepare for, withstand, and recover - in both short and long terms - from disasters, and emergency incidents that impact the health of the public. This includes the engagement and participation in preparedness activities that works to build shared capabilities across the whole community. For Schools this means children, families, teachers and administrators. Promoting awareness on how to prevent, respond to, and recover from a public health incident that may occur in your community or involve impacts from incidents that may have occurred in distant communities.

Before a disaster strikes, prepare together as a school as a community to be "Wise and Ready". Visit the "Wise and Ready" resource page will help you be better prepared for an emergency, promote an awareness of and access to medical and mental/behavioral health to protect the community's health and address functional and access needs.

For questions of more information, please call the Hopi Tribe, Office of the Chairman at (928) 734-3102, OR Office of the Vice Chairman (928) 734-3113.

	Hopi COVID-19 Cases* June 1, 2020				
	Number Tested Today	Cumulative Number Positive	Cumulative Number Negative	Total Number in Process	Total Tested
	3	97**	989	199	1,286

Note: These data include newly added testing results from the Abbott ID NOW machine since April 20, 2020.

Number of Cases per Village	As of 5/28/2020	As of 6/1//2020
Kiqötsmovi	4	4
Orayvi	4	4
Polacca (Walpi-Sitsom'ovi- Tewa)	6	8
Musangnuvi		
Supawlavi	4	4
Söngoopavi	10	12
Yuwelu-paki	4	5
Paaqavi		
Hotvela	3	3
Upper Munqapi Lower Munqapa		

*This information by villages presented above is released by Hopi Department of Health & Human Services and does not [included] state-wide data on Hopi tribal members. Therefore, the data shown, does not reflect patients receiving care at other facilities such as Tuba City Regional Health Care Corporation, Flagstaff Medical Center, or any others.



Update from Department of Health and Human Services

The Hopi Health Care Center wishes to thank all community members, village leadership, and Hopi Tribal Leadership for their participation in the community testing. Hopi Health Care Center is also aware that there is a longer than usual delay in receiving COVID-19 test results. The entire state of Arizona has been doing "Blitz Testing" which has contributed to a large workload for state labs processing COVID-19 tests. As Hopi Health Center receives results, teams of staff will immediately contact individuals of their result. Thank you for your understanding and patience during the Hopi Criteria Based Community Testing process.

Criteria Based Covid -19 Testing for Hopi Communities Pictures



Testing Blitz 2020 at the Hopi Health Care Center Photo by Romalita Laban/HT



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Pictures from the Hopi High School "Drive-By" Graduation











All photos by Carl Onsae/HT

Hopi Junior/Senior High School Notice of Request for Psychological Service Request for Proposals No.20-HJSHS-006

Proposal Due Date: June 12, 2020 at 4:00 PM School Address: Hopi/Junior Senior High School HWY 264 MP 394, Behind Hopi Law Enforcement Services Mailing Address: P.O. Box 337 Keams Canyon, AZ 86034

Hopi Junior Senior High School ("HJSHS") is pleased to issue this Request for Proposal (RFP) for Licensed and Certified School Psychological services. HJSHS is seeking proposals from entities licensed in providing services described under the terms and conditions set forth herein. Hopi and Native American owned organizations and enterprises are especially encouraged to submit a proposal. The Project is identified as providing services for approximately 117 special education students who are identified as needing psychological services. The consultants shall provide and include all licenses, certifications and an outline of the services necessary for the delivery of the goods described in the Project set forth herein. HJSHS is an organization of the Hopi Tribe per Hopi Tribal Resolution H-11-95 (Adopted December 28, 1994), under a grant issued by the Bureau of Indian Education Programs pursuant to P.L. 100-297 and the Tribally Controlled School Grant Act (Grant School serving 7th-12th grade students).

Competitive sealed proposals for the following materials and services specified will be received by Hopi Junior Senior High School, at the above specified location until the time and date cited. Proposals received by the correct time and date shall be opened on May 6, 2020 at 4:00 PM and the name of each Consultant will be publicly read. Proposals must be in the actual possession of the Hopi Junior Senior High School on or prior to the exact time and date indicated above. Late proposals will not be considered.

Special Education Professional services as stated in the Request for Proposal from July 20, 2020 until 1 years.

Proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope to the above address with the Request for Proposals number and the Consultant's name and address clearly indicated on the envelope. Price/Cost proposals shall be included in the Proposal packet in a separate, sealed envelope to be considered after considerations for all other factors.

All proposals must be completed in ink or typewritten and (1) original and (3) copies must be submitted. Additional instructions for preparing a proposal are provided in the Request for proposals, which may be obtained at the school business office.

Consultants are strongly encouraged to carefully read the entire Request for Proposals (Native American and Hopi Consultants are strongly encouraged to respond.)

Refer any questions regarding this Request for Proposals to:

Mr. Alban Naha, Acting Superintendent, Hopi Junior Senior High School, P.O. Box 337, Keams Canyon, AZ 86034, 928-738-1420/21 Attached is the Scope of Work for RFP

Scope of Work for Psychological Services

1. The Psychologist will determine who needs individual evaluations and make recommendations to the educational team.

2.Attend Multidisciplinary Team meetings as scheduling permits either virtually or in person.

3.Explain results and goals to the parents and multidisciplinary team after testing and producing psychological report.

4.Complete appropriate paperwork to qualify students or not qualify students through the Evaluation Process.

5. Provide these services on a regular schedule in cooperation with the students' teachers and other service providers.

6.Consult with classroom staff and parents.

7.Provide in-service training for school staff and parents.

8. Review paperwork for MET 1 and MET 2 and upload into NASIS.

9. Consult with appropriate team members and community agencies as needed.

10. Input data as needed into the NASIS system.

Hopi Junior/Senior High School Notice of Request for Physical Therapy

Request for Proposals No.20-HJSHS-005 Proposal Due Date: June 12, 2020 at 4:00 PM School Address: Hopi/Junior Senior High School HWY 264 MP 394, Behind Hopi Law Enforcement Services Mailing Address: P.O. Box 337 Keams Canyon, AZ 86034

Hopi Junior Senior High School ("HJSHS") is pleased to issue this Request for Proposal (RFP) for Licensed and Certified Special Education Physical Therapist. HJSHS is seeking proposals from entities licensed in providing services described under the terms and conditions set forth herein. Hopi and Native American owned organizations and enterprises are especially encouraged to submit a proposal. The Project is identified as providing Professional Special Education Physical Therapy services. The service includes providing services for approximately five special education students who are identified as needing physical therapy services. The consultants shall provide and include all licenses, certifications and an outline of the services necessary for the delivery of the goods described in the Project set forth herein. HJSHS is an organization of the Hopi Tribe per Hopi Tribal Resolution H-11-95 (Adopted December 28, 1994), under a grant issued by the Bureau of Indian Education Programs pursuant to P.L. 100-297 and the Tribally Controlled School Grant Act (Grant School serving 7th-12th grade students).

Competitive sealed proposals for the following materials and services specified will be received by Hopi Junior Senior High School, at the above specified location until the time and date cited. Proposals received by the correct time and date shall be opened on April 3, 2020 at 4:00 PM and the name of each Consultant will be publicly read. Proposals must be in the actual possession of the Hopi Junior Senior High School on or prior to the exact time and date indicated above. Late proposals will not be considered. Special Education Professional services as stated in the Request for Proposal from

Special Education Professional services as stated in the Request for Proposal from July 20, 2020 until 1 years.

Proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope to the above address with the Request for Proposals number and the Consultant's name and address clearly indicated on the envelope. Price/Cost proposals shall be included in the Proposal packet in a separate, sealed envelope to be considered after considerations for all other factors.

All proposals must be completed in ink or typewritten and (1) original and (3) copies must be submitted. Additional instructions for preparing a proposal are provided in the Request for proposals, which may be obtained at the school business office.

Consultants are strongly encouraged to carefully read the entire Request for Proposals (Native American and Hopi Consultants are strongly encouraged to respond.) Refer any questions regarding this Request for Proposals to:

Mr. Alban Naha, Acting Superintendent, Hopi Junior Senior High School, P.O. Box 337, Keams Canyon, AZ 86034, 928-738-1420/21 Attached is the Scope of Work for RFP

Scope of Work for Physical Therapy Services

1.Schedule screenings and evaluations upon request of the school and within the expected timelines.

2. The PT will determine from test results if the student will qualify for therapy and make recommendations to the educational team.

3. Attend Multidisciplinary Team meetings as scheduling permits.

4.Explain results to the parents and multidisciplinary team by the therapist.

5.Complete appropriate paperwork will be completed to qualify students.

6.Provide these services on a regular schedule in cooperation with the students' teachers and other service providers.

7.Consult with classroom staff and parents will also be provided.

8. Provide in-service training for school staff and parents may also be arranged.

9. Report on progress and complete daily logs for attendance.

10.Consult with appropriate team members and community agencies as needed.

11.Input goals and PLAFFP into the computerized IEP (NASIS).

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to Hopi Tutuveni and should not exceed 1,000 words. Include with your submission your name and complete contact information, along with a short 2-3-sentence bio.

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS:

All press releases, articles, letters to the editor and Opinion Editorials electronically as a Word document or as plain text in the body of an email to the Managing Editor, Romalita Laban. Articles, press releases and editorials that include photographs must be in high resolution, 300dpi or more and must be your own. All photographs must include photo credit and a caption for each photo listing the names of all persons included in the photo and description of what the photo is about. (call 928-734-3283 for deadline schedule).

Job Vacancy

Second Mesa Day School P.O. Box 98 Second Mesa, AZ 86043

THIS IS AN OFFICIAL REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR

SUPPLYING AUDIT SERVICES DUE DATE AND TIME: 4:00 P.M. (MST) JUNE 30, 2020

INDIAN PREFERENCE HOPI, INDIAN, MINORITY, WOMEN'S AND SMALL FIRMS OR BUSINESS ENTERPRISES ARE ENCOURAGED TO

SUBMIT PROPOSALS

Request for Proposals for Audit Services Second Mesa Day School (hereinafter the "School") will receive sealed proposals from all entities (hereinafter "Offerors") capable of providing audit services described herein under the terms and conditions set forth herein. Hopi and Indian-owned organizations and enterprises and Hopi businesses currently certified under the Hopi Business Preference Law are especially encouraged to submit proposals. The project is identified as the procurement of supplying audit services (hereinafter the "Project"). The Project includes supplying an annual financial audit of financial transactions and accounts kept by or for the Second Mesa Day School, subject to the Single Audit Act Amendment of 1996 (P.L. 104-156) and OMB Circular 2 CFR 200 Subpart F, Subpart Revised for the year(s) ending June 30, 2020, with possible renewals for 2021 and 2022, under the

terms and conditions set forth herein. The Offerors shall provide and include all transporta-

tion and services necessary for the delivery of the goods described in the Project as set for herein.

The closing date for the acceptance of proposals is 4:00 p.m. (MST) on June 30, 2020. Said proposals must be received by Second Mesa Day School prior to that date and time. Sealed proposals shall be opened on July 6, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. (MST), at the administration office of Second Mesa Day School located at Hwy 264 Texaco Junction. The School Bord reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals and to waive any formalities

or minor inconsistencies.

Second Mesa Day School Request for Proposals for Special Education Services Special Education Ancillary/Related Services, Occupational Therapist, Speech and Language Therapist, School Psychologist and ESS Counselor

Public notice is hereby given that the Second Mesa Day School Exceptional Student Services Department is accepting competitive sealed proposals from qualified and eligible (licensed) firms and individuals for school year 2020-2021. All Request for Proposals (RFP) must be submitted prior to closing date, June 30, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. (MST} to be considered for selection. Late proposals will be disqualified. In order to be considered for selection, bidders must submit a complete response to the RFP. RFP packets are available at the SMDS Procurement Office or via email. For more information, contact Alice Whiterock at

Alice.Whiterock@secondmesa. org or call (928)737-2571, ext.4208.

Second Mesa Day School Exceptional Student Services Department reserves the right to reject any and all proposals submitted to waive any information or irregularities and to advertise in its best interest and to request additional information from all proposers. Hopi Owned and Non-Hopi Owned firms and individuals are invited to respond to this RFP. Interested firms and individuals will be evaluated in accordance with the requested proposal and applicable law.

Sealed bids mailed to: Second Mesa Day School - Exceptional Student Services Department Highway 264 at Texaco Junction Box 98 Second Mesa, Arizona 86043

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Hopi Junior/Senior High School Notice of Request for Occupational Therapy

Request for Proposals No. 20-HJSHS-003 Proposal Due Date: June 12, 2020 at 4:00 PM School Address: Hopi/Junior Senior High School HWY 264 MP 394, Behind Hopi Law Enforcement Services Mailing Address: P.O. Box 337 Keams Canyon, AZ 86034

Hopi Junior Senior High School ("HJSHS") is pleased to issue this Request for Proposal (RFP) for Licensed and Certified Special Education Occupational Therapist. HJSHS is seeking proposals from entities licensed in providing services described under the terms and conditions set forth herein. Hopi and Native American owned organizations and enterprises are especially encouraged to submit a proposal. The Project is identified as providing Professional Special Education Physical Therapy services.

The service includes providing services for approximately five special education students who are identified as needing physical therapy services. The consultants shall provide and include all licenses, certifications and an outline of the services necessary for the delivery of the goods described in the Project set forth herein. HJSHS is an organization of the Hopi Tribe per Hopi Tribal Resolution H-11-95 (Adopted December 28, 1994), under a grant issued by the Bureau of Indian Education Programs pursuant to P.L. 100-297 and the Tribally Controlled School Grant Act (Grant School serving 7th-12th grade students).

Competitive sealed proposals for the following materials and services specified will be received by Hopi Junior Senior High School, at the above specified location until the time and date cited. Proposals received by the correct time and date shall be opened on April 3, 2020 at 4:00 PM and the name of each Consultant will be publicly read. Proposals must be in the actual possession of the Hopi Junior Senior High School on or prior to the exact time and date indicated above. Late proposals will not be considered.

Special Education Professional services as stated in the Request for Proposal from July 20, 2020 until 1 year.

Proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope to the above address with the Request for Proposals number and the Consultant's name and address clearly indicated on the envelope. Price/Cost proposals shall be included in the Proposal packet in a separate, sealed envelope to be considered after considerations for all other factors.

All proposals must be completed in ink or typewritten and (1) original and (3) copies must be submitted. Additional instructions for preparing a proposal are provided in the Request for proposals, which may be obtained at the school business office.

Consultants are strongly encouraged to carefully read the entire Request for Proposals (Native American and Hopi Consultants are strongly encouraged to respond.)

Refer any questions regarding this Request for Proposals to:

Mr. Alban Naha, Acting Superintendent, Hopi Junior Senior High School, P.O. Box 337, Keams Canyon, AZ 86034, 928-738-1420/21 Attached is the Scope of Work for RFP

Scope of Work for Occupational Therapy Services

1.Schedule screenings and evaluations upon request of the school and within the expected timelines.

2. The OT will determine from test results if the student will qualify for therapy and make recommendations to the educational team.

3. Attend Multidisciplinary Team meetings as scheduling permits.

4.Explain results to the parents and multidisciplinary team by the therapist.

5.Complete appropriate paperwork will be completed to qualify students.

6.Provide these services on a regular schedule in cooperation with the students' teachers and other service providers.

7. Consult with classroom staff and parents will also be provided.

8. Provide in-service training for school staff and parents may also be arranged.

9. Report on progress and complete daily logs for attendance.

10.Consult with appropriate team members and community agencies as needed.

11.Input goals and PLAFFP into the computerized IEP (NASIS).

Hopi Junior/Senior High School Notice of Request for Speech Therapy

Request for Proposals No.20-HJSHS-002 Proposal Due Date: June 12, 2020 at 4:00 PM School Address: Hopi/Junior Senior High School HWY 264 MP 394, Behind Hopi Law Enforcement Services Mailing Address: P.O. Box 337/Keams Canyon, AZ 86034

Hopi Junior Senior High School ("HJSHS") is pleased to issue this Request for Proposal (RFP) for Licensed and Certified Special Education Speech Pathologist/Therapist. HJSHS is seeking proposals from entities licensed in providing services described under the terms and conditions set forth herein. Hopi and Native American owned organizations and enterprises are especially encouraged to submit a proposal. The Project is identified as providing Professional Special Education Speech services. The service includes providing services for approximately twelve special education students who are identified as needing speech services. The consultants shall provide and include all licenses, certifications and an outline of the services necessary for the delivery of the goods described in the Project set forth herein. HJSHS is an organization of the Hopi Tribe per Hopi Tribal Resolution H-11-95 (Adopted December 28, 1994), under a grant issued by the Bureau of Indian Education Programs pursuant to P.L. 100-297 and the Tribally Controlled School Grant Act (Grant School serving 7th-12th grade students).

Competitive sealed proposals for the following materials and services specified will be received by Hopi Junior Senior High School, at the above specified location until the time and date cited. Proposals received by the correct time and date shall be opened on April 3, 2020 at 4:00 PM and the name of each Consultant will be publicly read. Proposals must be in the actual possession of the Hopi Junior Senior High School on or prior to the exact time and date indicated above. Late proposals will not be considered.

Special Education Professional services as stated in the Request for Proposal from July 20, 2020 until 1 year.

Proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope to the above address with the Request for Proposals number and the Consultant's name and address clearly indicated on the envelope. Price/Cost proposals shall be included in the Proposal packet in a separate, sealed enveloped to be considered after considerations for all other factors.

All proposals must be completed in ink or typewritten and (1) original and (3) copies must be submitted. Additional instructions for preparing a proposal are provided in the Request for proposals, which may be obtained at the school business office.

Consultants are strongly encouraged to carefully read the entire Request for Proposals (Native American and Hopi Consultants are strongly encouraged to respond.) Refer any questions regarding this Request for Proposals to:

Mr. Alban Naha, Acting Superintendent, Hopi Junior Senior High School, P.O. Box 337, Keams Canyon, AZ 86034, 928-738-1420/21 Attached is the Scope of Work for RFP

Proposal Goals and Scope of Services for Speech Therapy should include the following:

1.Elements of collaboration with parents and staff regarding implementation of speech therapy with one day a week of therapy (Number of days contracted)

2. Elements of evaluation report writing and meeting attendance in a timely manner

3.Expected goal writing and progress report writing for each student on caseload within NASIS system

4.Expected time for training of assistants and teachers in speech therapy and PECS (Number of Days)

5.Expected time for consultation with DDD, district, family and NAU with Assistive Technology

6.Expected visits to campus including a meeting with the IEP team and phone calls make to parents for collaboration. (Anticipated Schedule)

7. Overall amount and breakdown of services with prices.

8.Name of organization submitting proposal and all contact information.

9.Expected time and rate for travel if needed.

10. Evidence of required background data checks, certification/licensure and State of Arizona background checks.

11.Expected implementation will be from July 20, 2020 for 5 years.

12. Both parties shall have the option to terminate contract in writing with a 30 day notice.

Hopi Tutuveni June 3, 2020



2020 Hopi High School Graduates



Anderson Kimmale





Campus Shaniqua





Domingo Daryl





Honahnie Ashley

Elliott Khai



Kaye Megan









Espinoza Tungovia Juan





Klee Leyton



Bahnimptewa Matthew

Dashee Catrina

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