



**ZUNI TRIBAL COUNCIL
ZUNI TRIBE
ZUNI, NEW MEXICO**

August 6, 2020

Resolution No. M70-2020-P058

Amended and Supplemental COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Emergency Declaration

WHEREAS, the Zuni Tribal Council, consisting of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and six Tenientes, is declared to be the legislative authority of the Zuni Tribe by Article V, Sections 1 and 2 of the Constitution of the Zuni Tribe; and,

WHEREAS, the Zuni Tribal Council is authorized to approve, provide and to represent the tribe, and to act in all matters that concern the welfare of the tribe by Article VI, Section 1, paragraph d of the Constitution of the Zuni Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Zuni Tribal Council is authorized to enact ordinances, to provide for the enforcement of tribal ordinances and to provide by ordinance the orderly management of tribal affairs by Article VI, Section 1, paragraphs k, l, and m of the Constitution of the Zuni Tribe; and

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, under Resolution No. M70-2020-P037, the Zuni Tribe declared that there was a public health emergency related to the pandemic spread of COVID-19. On April 3, 2020, Governor Val R. Panteah, Sr., issued an Executive Order, a curfew within the boundaries of the Zuni Reservation between 8:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m.; and

WHEREAS, that emergency continues as there are or have been 484 diagnosed cases at Zuni and 30 deaths with no end in sight. This Amended Declaration incorporates and updates Resolution No. M70-2020-P037, and the Governor's Executive Order of April 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Zuni Tribal Council has determined that the COVID-19 continues to pose an imminent threat to the health, safety and well-being of the Zuni Tribe and Community; and

WHEREAS, the State of New Mexico has continued to report numerous confirmed cases of COVID-19, deaths as a result of COVID-19 and Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham has declared a statewide public

health emergency and invoked her authority under New Mexico's All Hazard Emergency Management Act; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in addition to directions given in Resolution M70-2020-P037, that the Zuni Tribal Council directs the following:

1. All Zuni members will wear face coverings when not at their residences unless excepted by this Declaration. (CDC Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Considerations for Wearing Cloth Face Coverings, Help Slow the Spread of Covid-19, Updated July 16, 2020.) Excepted from this directive are Zuni's participating in traditional and cultural and religious activities.
2. Meetings of five (5) or more people are prohibited unless excepted by this Declaration. (CDC Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Considerations for Events and Gatherings, Updated July 7, 2020 and Public Health Order, New Mexico Department of Health, Cabinet Secretary Kathyleen M. Kunkel July 13, 2020) Excepted from this directive are traditional cultural or religious meetings as long as number 1 above and number 3 below are complied with.
3. All in-person meetings between members of the Zuni Community which are not inconsistent with #2 above who are not members of the same household may be held if each person is wearing a face covering and standing six (6) feet or more apart from other persons. (CDC Guidance and Tips for Tribal Community Living During COVID-19, Social Distancing and Coping During COVID-19, Updated July 7, 2020 and CDC Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), Social Distancing, Keep a Safe Distance to Slow the Spread, Updated July 15, 2020)
4. A 57-hour weekend curfew from 8:00 PM Friday until 5:00 AM Monday is imposed to limit contact and restrict movement within the Zuni Pueblo, exceptions are for persons traveling to work, essential travel and emergencies (Executive Order, Governor Panteah, April 3, 2020).
5. All non-essential businesses will be closed. The definition of an essential business is adopted from the State of New Mexico Executive and Health Order related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that members of the Zuni Tribe are put on notice that violations of the above directions may cause members to be charged with Public Nuisance (4-4-120), Failure to Dispense (4-4-96) and other charges as the facts may merit.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the Zuni Tribal Council may review and change the directives as reasonably appropriate to deal with this pandemic.

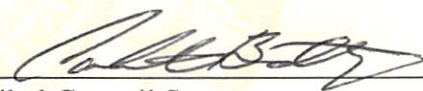
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Note: **a/**Voted at Tribal Chambers; **b/**Voted Telephonic by Call-in

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Zuni Tribal Council at a duly called meeting at Zuni, New Mexico, at which a quorum was present and the same was approved by a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstaining, 1 absent on August 6, 2020.



Tribal Council Secretary

APPROVED / DISAPPROVED


Val R. Panteah, Sr., Governor
Pueblo of Zuni