



IMMEDIATE RELEASE

By the order of the Incident Command Team in consultation and support from the Governor, Tribal Council, and Zuni Public Health Officials; the Incident Command team will deploy mitigation measures to address the increasing number of positive COVID-19 cases in the Zuni.

The Pueblo of Zuni Tribal Council enacted a State of Emergency through an amended Resolution No. M70-2020-P078 and adopted New Mexico State Public Health Orders on November 16, 2020.

1. **Effective, Monday- November 16, 2020** - Curfew will be enforced between 8:00 p.m. – 5:00 a.m. Monday through Friday. (*Note change in curfew time*)
 - a. Essential Businesses: including grocery stores, jewelry stores, restaurants/drive through food establishments including local food vendors must close at 7:00 p.m.
2. Extended Weekend Curfew will commence on the following dates:
 - a. 8:00 p.m. Friday November 20th and end at 5:00 a.m. Monday November 23rd
 - b. 8:00 p.m. Friday November 27th and end at 5:00 a.m. Monday November 30th
3. Curfew Restrictions - all Zuni community members will comply with the orders and remain at their place of residence during the weekend curfew hours except in the event of an emergency or as described below:
 - a. Individuals may leave their place of residence in the event of an emergency to go to the hospital, dialysis unit, or to work as an essential employee.
 - b. Livestock owners will be permitted to leave their homes to tend to their livestock. A temporary permit from the Division of Natural Resources in coordination with the Livestock committee will be provided at the DNR office.
 - c. Individuals are allowed to be outside their homes, but not outside the boundaries of their property.
 - d. Essential Businesses: including grocery stores, jewelry stores, restaurants/drive through food establishments including local food vendors must cease operations for the duration of the weekend curfew. This closure and cease operations requirement do not apply to the healthcare operations and essential government functions.
 - e. Essential employees reporting to or from duty are exempt from the weekend curfew and are required to carry official identification and a letter from their employer on official letterhead.
 - f. Zuni religious personnel will be subject to curfew requirements; exemptions will be based on an individual responsibility. **Please limit driving activity.**

THE SAFETY OF OUR ZUNI PEOPLE IS PRIORITY