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COVID-19 Daily Briefing Report

City of Post Falls Updates:

- The Police Department has applied for a Department of Justice Grant involving reimbursements for COVID-19 related costs and they were notified last night that they were successful in receiving approximately \$33,705. Thanks to Laura Claffey for all of her work writing the grant!
- The Police Department continues to monitor Golf Courses and today the Post Falls courses were complying with the order on out-state-travelers.
- Last night's Council meeting went fairly well, with only minor glitches. Thanks to everyone who worked so hard to make this meeting happen. The next Council meeting will contain Public Hearings, so staff will be testing the software used to host public hearings and work on protocols for the citizens to submit written materials prior to the meeting, similar to Citizen Comments.
- City of Post Falls COVID-19 Webpage Link:
 - <https://www.postfallsidaho.org/how-your-city-is-preparing/>
- City of Post Falls Facebook Page Link:
 - <https://www.facebook.com/cityofpostfalls/>
- City of Post Falls Police Department Facebook Page Link:
 - <https://www.facebook.com/postfallspolice/>

Idaho State/Governor Little Updates:

- Woman Arrested After Moms Stage 'Playdate Protest' Over Idaho Stay At Home Order. <https://www.boisestatepublicradio.org/post/woman-arrested-after-moms-stage-playdate-protest-over-idaho-stay-home-order#stream/0>
- State Webpage: <https://coronavirus.idaho.gov/>
- Governor Brad Little Facebook Link: <https://www.facebook.com/governorbradlittle/>
- Idaho OEM Facebook Link: <https://www.facebook.com/IdahoOEM/>

Kootenai County/Office of Emergency Management (OEM) Updates:

- Total cases of COVID-19 in the Panhandle Health District area is 60, 56 in Kootenai County. http://panhandlehealthdistrict.org/covid-19/?fbclid=IwAR3EbWLaR7-xGZeJ3bOF164xvHdcaIQqW0KMPzm_WKO1kvMt-d3C4yljTY

- Idaho Department of Health & Welfare new toll-free number for questions about COVID and the stay-at-home order is (888) 330-3010.
- Facebook Page Link: <https://www.facebook.com/kootenaiOEM/>

Regional Updates:

- Governor Jay Inslee looks at potentially lifting some restrictions on elective surgeries, outdoor recreation and construction. The full plan has not been unveiled. <https://www.kxly.com/construction-outdoor-recreation-among-covid-19-restrictions-that-could-soon-be-lifted-in-washington/>
- Small business owners in Spokane protested the Washington Governor's Orders at Spokane City Hall today at 1pm.
- Snohomish County Sheriff won't enforce stay-at-home order. <https://cdapress.com/news/2020/apr/22/528bec6e/>
- Franklin commissions defy state order. Businesses can reopen, they say. <https://www.tricityherald.com/news/coronavirus/article242178586.html>
- For those needing energy assistance during the pandemic, The Community Action Partnership has a program. <https://www.cap4action.org/program/energy-assistance/>

National Updates:

- CDC director warns second wave of coronavirus is likely to be even more devastating. https://www.washingtonpost.com/health/2020/04/21/coronavirus-secondwave-cdcdirector/?cv_campaign=4fda08e2fbca0387b958bb44bf5cc2b6&utm_campaign=wp_to_your_health&utm_medium=email&utm_source=newsletter&wpisrc=nl_tyh

External Links for Updates:

Center for Disease Control: <https://www.cdc.gov/>

Panhandle Health District: <http://panhandlehealthdistrict.org/>

Facebook Page Link: <https://www.facebook.com/kootenaiOEM/>