

# Gallatin County Emergency Management COORDINATION CENTER

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Manhattan and Gallatin County

Website: www.ReadyGallatin.com

GCEM Office: 406-548-0111 Coordination Center: 406-548-0110

Call Center: 406-548-0123

#### General Situation:

Agencies in Gallatin County are responding to the unprecedented COVID-19 pandemic and the consequences of the control measures. Agencies are focused largely on internal continuity of operations activities and contingency plans for more confirmed cases or prolonged closures.

#### Status

- 8 confirmed COVID-19 case in Gallatin County.
- 31 confirmed COVID-19 cases in Montana.

#### Significant Activities

- Gallatin County picked on 4 more positive cases on Saturday's tests. One was originally credited to Lewis & Clark County, but they live in Bozeman.
- A virtual press conference is being held today at 14:00 about our current cases.
- The Gallatin County Policy Group (Chief Executive Officers and Principal Executive Officers) will be activated this coming week.
- The Call center has had consistent, but reduced volume of calls over the weekend.
- Plans are being finalized for treatment and collection sites around the county.



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#### Resources

- Montana COVID-19 Dashboard:
   <a href="https://montana.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=7c34f3">https://montana.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=7c34f3</a>
   412536439491adcc2103421d4b
- Health Department: <a href="https://www.healthygallatin.org/coronavirus-covid-19/">https://www.healthygallatin.org/coronavirus-covid-19/</a>

## Jurisdictions Affected:

All agencies

## Health and Safety:

The Gallatin County Health Officer is endorsing everyone's effort to help flatten the curve on COVID-19.

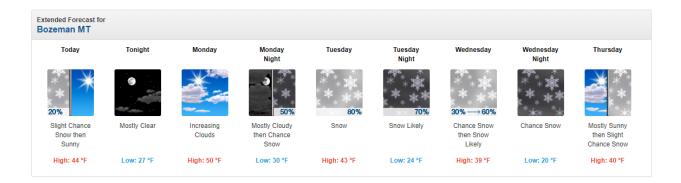
- If someone is sick, they should stay home and consult their doctor. Wear a facemask if sick and around other people.
- Use good personal hygiene measures. COVID-19 is spread in respiratory droplets in close person to person contact, it is not airborne.
  - Wash hands regularly with water and soap for 20 seconds. Have hand sanitizer available for staff and visitors.
  - Avoid touching your mouth and eyes.
  - o Cover your coughs, then wash your hands immediately.
  - Keep communal spaces disinfected on a regular basis.
  - Do not share dishes, glasses, cups & utensils.
- Consider social distancing. 6 feet is the magic number to be considered outside the exposure radius.
  - Allow workers to spread out and not work in tight spaces.
  - Expand the distance between staff and public.
    - Have public and/ or staff leave a buffer between themselves and service counters.
  - o Evaluate the need for attending group activities in person.



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#### Weather:



# Transportation:

N/A

# Utilities:

N/A

# Sheltering:

None Currently

# Current Needs:

PPE sources.

# Planned Actions:

Assessing new guidance and cases as they appear.

Planning for impacts from closures.