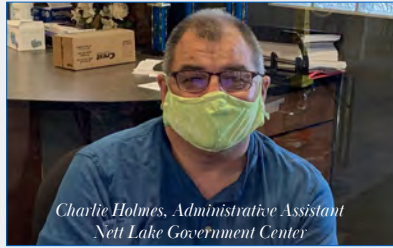


Bois Forte News



Why Do We Wear A Mask?

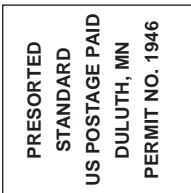
I Wear a Mask to Protect You.
You Wear a Mask to Protect Me.
Together We Protect Each Other.
Keep Our Sacred Circle of Life Safe.

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5344 Lakeshore Drive
Nett Lake, Minnesota 55772



"Stay Safe, Stay Home" - Active

Did you know that Bois Forte is still under the "Stay Safe, Stay Home" Order (Resolution 84-2020) that was implemented on April 2nd, 2020?

The order was set in place to preserve the public health and safety, and to ensure that the healthcare systems are not overwhelmed and capable of serving all in need. This general stay-at-home order includes all territorial boundaries of the Reservation and are directed to stay home unless performing an essential activity.

What is considered an "Essential Activity?"

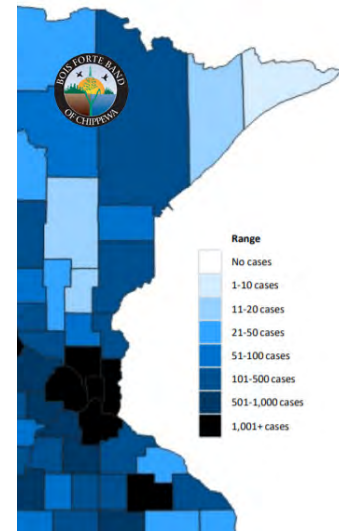
- Relocation to ensure safety.** Individuals whose homes or residences are unsafe or become unsafe, including individuals who have suffered or are at risk of domestic violence or for whom the safety, sanitation or essential operations of the home or residence cannot be maintained, are allowed and urged to leave their home or residence and relocation to a safe alternative home or residence.

- Health and safety activities.** Individuals may seek emergency services, obtain medical services, supplies, and medications, and visit a health care or dental professional or facility, or a veterinarian. Individuals may also donate blood.
- Outdoor activities.** Individuals may engage in outdoor activities (e.g., walking, hiking, running, biking, driving for pleasure, hunting, or fishing), and may go to available public parks and other public recreation lands, consistent with remaining at least six feet apart from individuals from other households. This does not permit trespass upon private property.
- Necessary supplies and services.** Individuals may obtain food, including delivery or carry-out services, beverages, and other grocery items, gasoline, supplies needed to work from home, and products needed to maintain the

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Bois Forte TERC

Reivew for July



According to the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) the numbers of positive COVID-19 cases continue to increase.

On June 19, 2020, the Tribal Council announced the first positive case at Bois Forte. Thankfully, there has not been any new cases on the Reservation.

Dan Milbridge, Director of Health and Human Services noted that they have processed over 80 COVID-19 tests to date.



Cough in Sleeve



Mask Up



Wash Hands

The Tribal Council and TERC meet every Monday morning as they continue to work on daily tasks and on the emergency preparedness action plan for scenarios that may present themselves in days, weeks, and months to come.

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safety, sanitation, and essential operations of homes and residences, businesses, and personally owned vehicles, including automobiles and bicycles. Individuals may also visit and use the services of laundromats and dry cleaners.

Essential intrastate and interstate travel.

Individuals may travel to exempted activities and may travel to return to a home or place of resident. Individuals may also travel into and out of the Band's Reservation.

Care of others.

Individuals may care for a family member, friend, or pet in another household, and may transport family members, friend, or pets, including the transport of children pursuant to existing parenting time schedules or visitation schedules pertaining to a child in need of protective services ("CHIPS") proceeding.

Displacement.

Individuals without

a home are exempt from the restrictions in this Resolution, and they may move in between emergency shelters, drop-in centers, and encampments.

Tribal Court attendance.

Individuals may attend Tribal Court hearings when they are parties to the relevant proceeding, compelled to attend, or when their attendance is otherwise important.

Employment travel.

Unless directed otherwise by the RTC or a supervisor (e.g., due to a furlough or closing), all Band employees, including employees of the Bois Forte Tribal Government and employees of Band-owned businesses, may leave their home or residence while the stay-at-home order is in effect to travel to and from their home or residence and place of work. Non-Band employees who reside on the Band's Reservation may leave their homes or residence while they stay-at-home order is in effect in order to travel to and from their home or residence and place of work if the employees

work in a "Critical Sector" as defined in the Governor's Emergency Executive Order 20-20.

Unless the RTC provides otherwise formal resolution, the directives in this Resolution 84-2020 shall be effective as long as the Governor of the State of Minnesota's Emergency Executive Order 20-20 remains in effect.

The Bois Forte Tribal Council has lifted the "RED ZONE" Travel Restrictions (Resolution 75-2020) on Friday, May 1st, 2020. The "Stay Safe, Stay Home" order and the "Red Zone" Travel Restriction are two separate items. Therefore, when the "Red Zone" Travel Restrictions were lifted on May 1st, the "Stay Home, Stay Safe: order remained active.

You can read the Resolutions and Policies associated with the pandemic on our website: www.boisforte.com/2020_resolutions-policies.htm.

You can read Governor Walz's Executive Orders on the Minnesota Governor's website: mn.gov.

Revised 2020 Election Calendar

August 18:
General Election (Polling Places open from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.)

decision on contest) 4:30 p.m. – Deadline for appeal to Court of Election Appeals. (Filed with Executive Director of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe rendering Decision.) September 11th (or within 3 days upon receipt of Notice to Appeal) Record of contest forwarded to Court of Election Appeals.

August 19:
General Reservation Election Board certifies results.

August 20:
General Reservation Election Board publishes Election results.

August 21:
Deadline for Request for Recount. (Filed with General Election Board prior to 5:00 p.m.)

September 15: (hearing within 7 days notice of appeal) Last Day of Hearing on Appeal.

August 25:
4:30 p.m. – Deadline for Notice of Contest (Filled with Reservation Election Judge and Executive Director of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe.)

September 25th : (or ten days from Hearing on Appeal) Deadline for decision of the Court of Elections Appeal.

August 25th (or 24, 25) if request for Recount is filed before deadline) Decision on Request for Recount and Result of Recount, if allowed.

Day following decision of Appeal: Winning candidate prevailing on appeal takes office.

September 4:
Deadline for Decision on Contest for General Election.

NOTE: The Swearing-in Ceremony for the winning candidates will be held differently than previous years due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Please check boisforte.com for information on the Swearing-in Ceremony: date, time, and location.

September 8th: (or within 3 days of

Who's Running Anyway?

Candidates for Chairperson

Cathy Chavers
*Incumbent
Miranda Villebrun-Lilya

Candidates for District I Representative

Travis Morrison
*Incumbent
Tara Geshick

Contact the Election Board

Bois Forte General Election Board

Address:
P.O. Box 23
Nett Lake, MN 55772
Phone: 218-757-0276
Fax: 218-757-0116
electionboard@boisforte-nsn.gov

Hours: 10 -2, M-F

Polling Stations

District I
Nett Lake Government Center
5344 Lakeshore Drive
Nett Lake, MN 55772
Hours: 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Vermilion Government Center
1610 Farm Point Road South
Tower, MN 55790
Hours: 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Duluth Urban Office
206 West 4th Street #204
Duluth, MN 55806
218-336-1048
Hours: 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Minneapolis Urban Office
1308 East Franklin Avenue
Minneapolis, MN 55404
612-871-6618
Hours: 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.

I Can't Get Up there to Vote, How Do I Get an Absentee Ballot?

Fill out and send this form to the Election Board. You can also download a version to print out from boisforte.com, or give the Election Board a call.



Absentee Ballot Request

Please send me an absentee ballot for the Bois Forte General Election scheduled for August 18, 2020 on the Bois Forte Reservation.

I am an enrolled member of Bois Forte:
 YES NO

(Check only one)

In past elections I have voted in:

District I (Nett Lake): _____

District II (Vermilion): _____

or

I have not voted in past elections, this is my first time voting and I choose:

District I (Nett Lake): _____

District II (Vermilion): _____

(Realizing I cannot change my voting district unless I have resided in a different district for thirty (30) consecutive days immediately Preceding the election.)

Printed Name: _____
 (Include former names)

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Signature: _____

FAX TO: 218-757-0116

EMAIL TO: electionboard@boisforte-nsn.gov

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Health and Human Services have a positive relationship with various local and state agencies in their ongoing effort to provide food for the community. The Pandemic Support Circle that was held through Zoom has been disbanded however, Behavioral Health continues to provide

assistance for those who feel they need a little help from a non-judgmental and caring ear, give Erin Danielson a call to set up a time with one of their providers.

The COVID-19 Relief Program has been in full swing and deadline to get your application in is September 30, 2020. All applications were mailed to all Band members, if you did

not receive your application give Braeanne and Mitz a call at 218-757-3261. These ladies will be able to help you with all aspects of the program. One thing that they continue to stress to applicants is, ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE MAILED.

A friendly reminder, the Bois Forte Medical Clinics are open and capable of testing for the Coronavirus. If you feel you have been in direct contact or showing signs of symptoms, you may contact the Nett Lake Health Clinic 218-757-3650 and the Vermilion Health Clinic 218-753-2182. All community updates regarding COVID-19 are available on the boisfrote.com website.

JUNE 2020 NUMBERS

MN: 32,920	DEATHS: 1,380
ST. LOUIS COUNTY: 142	DEATHS: 14
KOOCHICHING COUNTY: 9	DEATHS: 0
ITASCA COUNTY: 59	DEATHS: 12
BOIS FORTE	
VERMILION SECTOR: 1	DEATHS: 0
NETT LAKE SECTOR: 0	DEATHS: 0

JULY 2020 NUMBERS

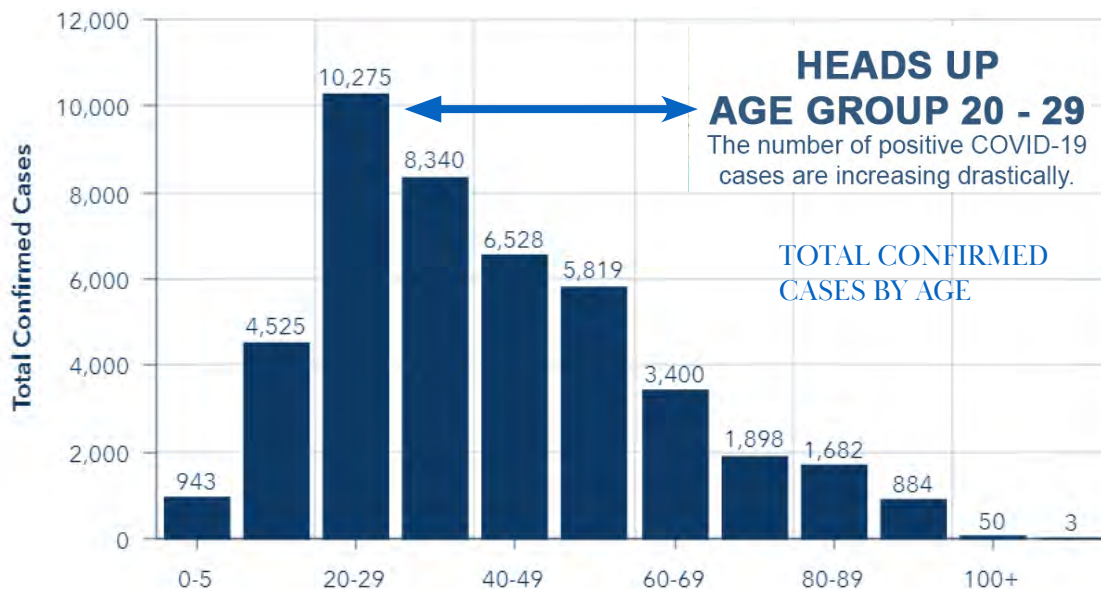
MN: 44,347	DEATHS: 1,526
ST. LOUIS COUNTY: 254	DEATHS: 16
KOOCHICHING COUNTY: 29	DEATHS: 2
ITASCA COUNTY: 86	DEATHS: 12
BOIS FORTE	
VERMILION SECTOR: 1	DEATHS: 0
NETT LAKE SECTOR: 0	DEATHS: 0

Resources to check out: mn.gov/covid19 | cdc.gov | who.int

REMEMBER



Whenever you leave your home.



Acknowledgement & Gratitude

You Help Make the Community a Better Place

Bois Forte would like to acknowledge and say thank you to all that are doing, "Just what they do." We have taken a few snapshots of a few of the many who go above and beyond their job descriptions - helping make the community a better place.

The Bois Forte News along with the Tribal Government social media accounts are going to be spotlighting staff and members of the community, thanking them for making the neighborhood a community. If you see someone stepping up and helping, ask them if you can take a photo and

send it to us. We would love to share all the wonderful things people do - even when people are not looking.

You may send photos by email or text to:

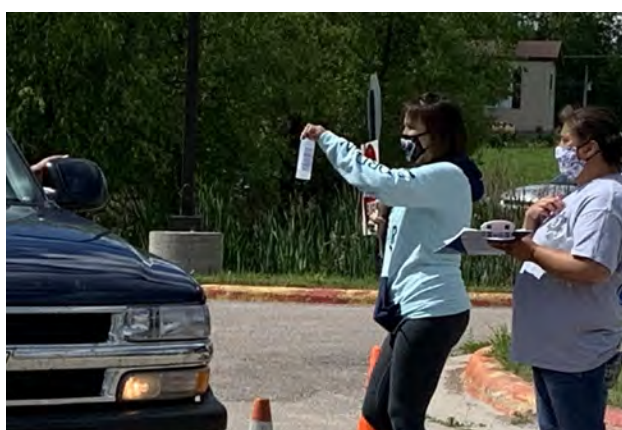
lisham@boisforte-nsn.gov
218-404-6545

There is no cost to submit your spotlight.

Please note that these photos were taken with the most consideration for safety, standing next to each other less than 30 seconds.

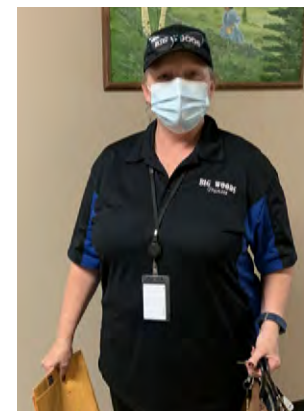
Coronavirus Food Assistance Program (CFAP) generously donated nutritional food boxes with mixed dairy, pre-cooked meats and cheese, and fresh produce to northland residents, sponsored by the Second Harvest Northern Lakes Food Bank. There were distribution sites in Nett Lake and Vermilion - which was open to all members of the community.

Tribal Government staff stepped up and helped organize, deliver, and hand out the boxes of food. There were four boxes per person, which was quite a few if a person was picking



up for more than one person. During the distribution in June was one the warmest days with temperatures in the upper 80's and even higher in the sun. (Yes, this is considered extremely uncomfortable to those who reside in northern Minnesota.) The workers did not

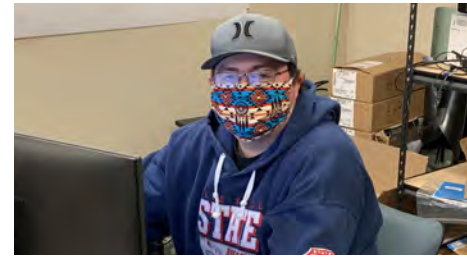
complain, they just carried on doing their best to make sure everyone was taken care of. For those who were unable to lift or carry the boxes, they would cheer in support and run out bottles of water and Gatorade, making sure everyone stayed hydrated.



Look at all the beautiful smiling faces!

Acknowledgement & Gratitude

You Help Make the Community a Better Place



Behind all the beautiful designer masks are happy smiling faces! Every morning (or at the beginning of your work shift) temperatures are taken. Everyone have been intergrating safety protocols and adapting to the policies very well - making the workplace safe for co-workers and guests.

Look at all the beautiful smiling faces!



While we are on the subject of MASKS...

Do you need masks or hand sanitizer?

If you need masks or hand sanitizer, we can help!
Call Nikki Irving at 218-750-3340 or email her here: nirving@boisforte-nsn.gov.
She will work with you to get you the items you need.

Remember that you still need to keep 6 feet apart even when you are wearing a mask. This will help lower the risk of contracting or infecting others.



Cough in Sleeve



Mask Up



Wash Hands

2020 Per Capita Payment Update

- The 2020 Per Capita day will be August 14, 2020. All address changes had to be in by July 31st.
- There was no withholdings from the 2020 Per Capita checks, unless it was voluntary.
- There were no Bois Forte Coronavirus Relief Program Applications processed during the week of August 10-14 as the focus was given to Per Capita Checks that week.
- The Bois Forte Tribal Government will remain open on August 14, 2020.
- This year's payment amount is \$960.00.

MAINTAIN YOUR SOCIAL DISTANCE



Grand Teton National Park, pronghorn tell the message of social distancing and mask-wearing.
GRAND TETON NATIONAL PARK

Healthy Habits: Snacks

Vitamins and minerals help your body grow, fight illness, and keep your organs working. Healthy Snacks in this category include Fruits and Vegetables. Be sure to eat 5-7 servings of Fruits and Vegetables per day!

Protein keeps organs working and builds strong muscles. Snacks in this category include low-fat yogurt, nuts, peanut butter, low-fat string cheese, beef jerky, etc. Be sure to eat 3 servings of Dairy per day and 2 servings of protein per day.

Fiber helps you feel full and gives long-lasting energy to you. Snacks in the Fiber category include: whole-wheat bread or crackers, apples, spinach, berries, oatmeal, and more. Be sure to eat 5-7 servings of fruit and vegetables per day to keep your body healthy.

Water makes sure that all of your nutrients get to where they need to go in your body. It is very important that you always try and drink 8 cups of water each day. This helps to make sure that your body is always hydrated.

GET ACTIVE! We sure miss all of your club members at the Boys and Girls Clubs of Bois Forte. We hope that we can see you all sooner rather than later. In the meantime, we want to make sure that we remind all of the kids that we work with to get outside and be active. You should be active each day for at least 60 minutes and we hope you are for more than 60 minutes. Activities like going for a walk or run, taking a bike ride, rollerblading, and playing sports are all great things to get outside and do.

Bois Forte
PHARMACY
&
CLINICS
are

OPEN

Vermilion Clinic
1613 Farm Rd. S.
Tower, MN 55790
218-753-2182

Nett Lake Clinic
5219 St. John Dr.
Nett Lake, MN 55772
218-757-3650

It is recommended
that you give
them a call before
stopping in.

Looking to take some Adult Education Classes or get your GED?

AEOA is offering Adult Basic Education courses that can help you achieve your goals.

"Consumer Education" is currently going on now via Zoom. The course looks at job seeking, tax paying, housing and transportation and more. . .

Interested in GED Study Prep Courses. . . AEOA can help with that too and if you get signed up soon, the state is waiving the GED testing fees at this time.

For more information, you can call Melissa Brusacoram at 218-750-2606 or email her at melissa.brusacoram@aeoa.org to get signed up. You can also call the Education Office at 218-757-3261 for an enrollment application or information.

Pathways for learning

- Transition to college
- Career assessment
- Job seeking skills
- GED preparation
- Work-based computer skills
- Reading, writing, math, & spelling
- English Language Learner (ELL)



This information is brought to you by the Boys and Girls Club of Bois Forte and sponsored through the Healthy Habits Grant Program.

Bois Forte "I Wear a Mask for..."

The Tribal Emergency Response Committee's (TERC) Public Information Officer is teaming up with KBFT 89.9FM Bois Forte Tribal Community Radio to promote mask awareness by bringing the community together, sharing with others who they love and who they are protecting by wearing a mask.



Wearing a mask protects others by limiting the spread of the Coronavirus, for example, a person may not know they have the virus as you can be infectious without having symptoms – they call this being asymptomatic – and by wearing a mask that person reduces the spread of the virus. The Coronavirus is pretty sneaky in this way. By the time a person shows symptoms they have already been infectious and have spread the virus without ever knowing. This is why wearing a mask is so important. As they say, "I wear a mask to protect you and you wear a mask to protect me."

So, how will this work?

1. We are asking you to make a short video of yourself wearing a mask and saying who you wear the mask for. This can be anywhere from 30 seconds to 2 minutes.
 - a. For example: "Hi my name is Jane Doe and I wear my mask for the Elders in my community." Or "Hi my name is John Public and I wear a mask to protect my mother Julie Public. I love you mom."
2. Next, all you have to do is post it to our Facebook Page @BoisForteBandofChippewa or Tweet it to us @BoisForte_BoC.
3. Don't forget to use #BFMASKUP in your posts
4. Challenge your friends and family to do a video of their own.
 - a. Example: I make a video and after I tag my sister or uncle to make a video. Then they would make a video and tag someone to do a video too, and so forth.

5. Once a week, we will mark down those who used the #BFMASKUP and did a video and enter them into a random drawing for a prize. Prizes can be a \$35.00 gift card, t-shirts, mugs, or other items donated as a prize.

Benefits of participating:

- Sharing the importance of keeping people safe from the Coronavirus.
- Sharing the fun of making a video, and challenging others to follow suit.
- Bring the community closer together.
- Possibly win a prize.

Who can participate:

- Anyone from anywhere, Band member or not.
- To win a VISA Gift Card we do need that person to reside in the United States or Canada to keep the accounting with the gift card simple.
- By posting you consent Bois Forte and KBFT to use your video/audio.

What not to do:

- No profanity (in any language including emojis) accepted.
- No racial or discriminatory remarks or images allowed.
- Nothing political.
- We have the right to delete any post that does not follow any of the rules.

Where to find more information:

We will have this information posted on boisforte.com along with our Facebook page – check out kbft.org as well.

Post your videos here:

www.facebook.com/boisfortebandofchippewa
twitter.com/BoisForte_BoC

Do not forget to use this in your post
#BFMASKUP.

www.boisforte.com | www.kbft.org

Louise Isham

lisham@boisforte-nsn.gov or 218-404-6545

Darren Landgren

dlandgren@boisforte-nsn.gov or 218-404-6642

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Bois Forte Band of Chippewa Tribal
Children's Court
Nett Lake, MN
Minnesota Chippewa Tribe

The Bois Forte Band of Chippewa, Department of Family Health Services, Petitioner, v Leslee Marie Villebrun, any man who may come forward as the father of J.R.V., Respondents, et. al.

TO: The above named respondents, Leslee Marie Villebrun and any man that may come forward as the father of J.R.V, a minor child.

It is Ordered and Notice is Hereby Given that a suspension of parental rights petition has been filed in Bois Tribal Court on March 17, 2020. A hearing will be held on the 22th day of September, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. Central Standard Time, or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard in the Bois Forte Tribal Children's Court, Bois Forte Indian Reservation, 12907 Palmquist Road, Nett Lake, MN 55772 on the transfer of legal custody hearing.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED BY THIS SUMMONS AND NOTICE THAT YOU ARE REQUESTED TO APPEAR AT THIS HEARING AT THE ABOVE DATE, TIME AND PLACE.

YOUR FAILURE TO ATTEND THIS HEARING MAY RESULT IN SUSPENSION OF YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS OF YOUR CHILD, AS REQUESTED BY THE PETITIONER, BEING GRANTED BY DEFAULT.

By The Court
Megan Treuer, Chief Judge
Wendy Morrison-Thompson,
Rebecca McConkey-Greene, Prosecutor
Bois Forte Tribal Court
12907 Palmquist Road
P.O. Box 25
Nett Lake MN 55772
Tel: 218-757-3462

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FCC Designates '988' as 3-Digit Number for National Suicide Prevention Hotline

Action Will Help Combat Rising Suicide Rates by Making It Easier for Americans in Crisis to Obtain Assistance from Trained Counselors

July 16, 2020, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) adopted rules to establish 988 as the new, nationwide, 3-digit phone number for Americans in crisis to connect with suicide prevention and mental health crisis counselors.

The rules require all phone service providers to direct all 988 calls to the existing National Suicide Prevention Lifeline by July 16, 2022. During the transition to 988, Americans who need help should continue to contact the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline by calling 1-800-273-8255 (1-800-273-TALK) and through online chats.

Veterans and Service members may reach the Veterans Crisis Line by pressing 1 after dialing, chatting online at www.veteranscrisisline.net, or texting 838255.

The new rules will apply to all telecommunications carriers as well as all interconnected and one-way Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) service providers. They provide for a two-year transition, reflecting the real challenges of this nationwide effort, including the need for widespread network changes and providing time for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline to prepare for the expected increase in the volume of calls. Under these rules, calls to 988 will be directed to 1-800-273-TALK, which will remain operational during the 988 transition and after it is completed. To ensure that calls to 988 reach the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, all covered providers will be required to implement 10-digit dialing in areas that both use seven-



digit dialing and use 988 as the first three numbers in seven-digit phone numbers.

Since 2008, suicide has ranked as the tenth leading cause of death in the United States. Suicide claimed the lives of more than 48,000 Americans in 2018, resulting in about one death every 11 minutes. An FCC staff report to Congress in 2019 proposed establishing 988 as an easy to remember three-digit code for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline. Staff analyzed various options and determined 988 was the best option for increasing access to crisis resources and ensuring the fastest possible transition. Establishing the easy-to-remember 988 as the "911" for suicide prevention and mental health services will make it easier for Americans in crisis to access the help they

need and decrease the stigma surrounding suicide and mental health issues.

The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline is a national network of approximately 170 crisis centers. The centers are supported by local and state, and public and private sources, as well as by Congressional appropriations through the Department of Health and Human Services' Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline is the access point for the Veterans Crisis Line, which is managed by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs.

The Opposite of Recovery is Connection

COVID-19 has impacted social connections in every way, and while hard for all of us, it has hit the addiction and mental health communities hard, as in-persons connections are critical to sustaining recover from addiction to alcohol and other drugs, especially for people in early recover or undergoing treatment.

Below are some on-line systems to ensure those connections don't break down during this time.

AA/NA Virtual Online Meetings

<https://aa-intergroup.org>

<https://www.na.org>

<https://adultchildren.org>

Native American Wellbriety 12 Steps Meeting

Tuesday 1 p.m. CST, Thursday 8 p.m. CST

<https://intherooms.com>

Sober Squad Facebook Page: They will be having live speakers every night Live Speaker Meeting

Facebook Page: Live Speakers Helping Others with Addiction Facebook Page: Live Speakers

NA 8 p.m. Nightly Meeting on Zoom <https://zoom.us/j/6015322896>

How to join meetings:

• By Phone – Participants need to tap one of the phone lists on the webpage

• Zoom – Download Zoom app from the app store, when the app is installed enter ID number 601-532-2869

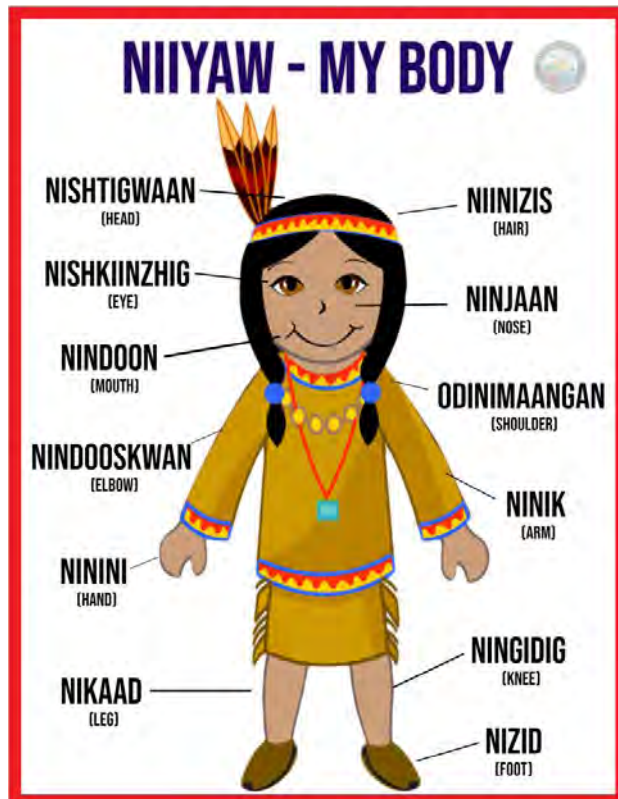
Talk Sober: on YouTube Minnesota Recovery <https://minnesotarecover.org>

If you or someone you know needs immediate support or resources, please call:

Adam at 218-757-0233 or Pam at 218-316-2631



Bella Kornezos hopes everyone had a safe and happy 4th of July!



LEGAL NOTICE

In the Bois Forte Band of Chippewa Tribal Children's Court
Nett Lake, MN
Minnesota Chippewa Tribe

In the Matter of the Welfare of T.J.B., DOB: 04/01/2017, Bois Forte Band of Chippewa, Department of Family Health Services, Petitioner, v. Desirae Constance Keezer and Anton James Buckanaga, Respondents. Court File No. 19 440JV

TO: The above-named Respondent, Anton James Buckanaga, Parent of T.J.B., Minor Child.

It is Ordered and Notice is Hereby Given that a child in need of protection or services petition has been filed in the Bois Forte Tribal Court on March 27, 2019. A hearing on the above petition will be held on September 22, 2020, at 11:00 a.m. Central Standard Time, or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, at the Bois Forte Children's Court, Bois Forte Reservation, 12907 Palmquist Road, Nett Lake, MN 55772.

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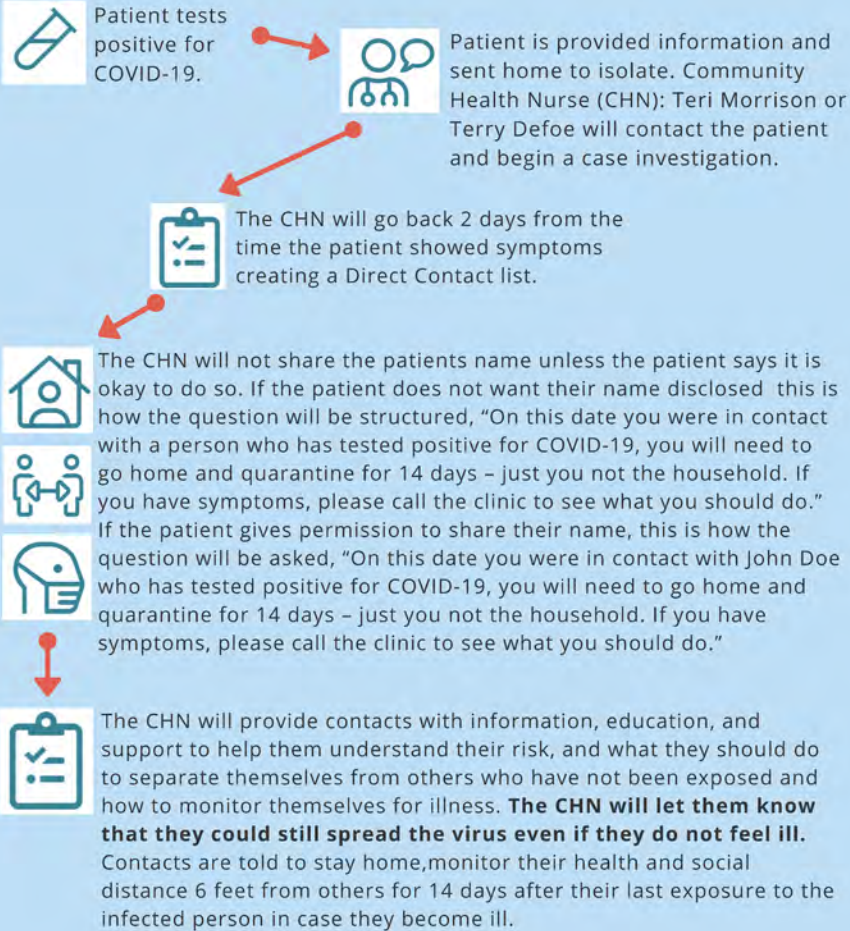
YOUR FAILURE TO ATTEND THIS HEARING MAY RESULT IN A DEFAULT JUDGMENT BEING GRANTED FOR THE PETITIONER.

By The Court
Megan Treuer, Chief Judge
Wendy Morrison Thompson, Clerk of Court
Attorney for Petitioner, Rebecca McConkey-Greene
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COVID-19 CONTACT TRACING BOIS FORTE

Scenario 1: Contact Tracing from a Band Member who resides on the Reservation and tests positive for COVID-19.



WORDS TO KNOW

Isolation:
A person is sick and is separated from everyone. Your entire household should quarantine until you've talked to the CHN to determine how long they will need to stay home.

Quarantine:
A person is not sick but has encountered an infected person and should stay home for 14 days. This does not include household members.

Direct Contact:
A person who was within 6 feet of an infected person for at least 15 minutes starting 2 days before the infected person began feeling sick or showing symptoms.

1854 Treaty Authority Moose Hunt 2020

- Season Dates:** October 3 – December 31, 2020
- Number of Permits:** 18 Total; 9 to each band (*based on lead hunters' affiliation*)
- Party Hunting Size:** a minimum of three (3) enrolled members with a maximum of four (4).
- Legal Moose:** Antlered Bulls only. *Collared moose* are legal game, must return collar and provide exact harvest location.
- Bag Limit:** One (1) antlered moose per party of hunters.



- July 6** Applications available from 1854 Treaty Authority. Options:
 - Call the 1854 office before stopping by to receive an application by "curb-side pickup"
 - Contact the Bois Forte DNR or Grand Portage Trust Lands
 - Download the application from 1854's website
 - Drop us an e-mail and we can e-mail you one directly
 - Give us a jingle and have an application sent via snail mail: 218-722-8907
- August 14** Applications due. Must be postmarked no later than midnight August 14, 2020 or delivered to 1854 Treaty Authority at 4428 Haines Road, Duluth, MN 55811 by 4:00 pm, August 14, 2020. Completed applications can also be scanned and submitted by email to Morgan Swingen (mswingen@1854treatyauthority.org) by 4:00 pm, August 14, 2020. Late applications will not be included in drawing, NO EXCEPTIONS
- August 21** Lottery drawing held (if need be)
- August 24** Letters mailed to successful and unsuccessful applicants
- September 4** Permits, carcass tag, and hunt information mailed to the lead hunter of each successful application via certified mail.
- October 3 – Dec. 31** 2020 Moose Season.

More detailed information about the hunt can be found in the [application packet](#).



Am I still considered a direct contact if I was wearing a cloth mask? Yes, you are still considered a close contact even if you were wearing a cloth face covering while you were around someone with COVID-19. Cloth face coverings are meant to prevent someone from transmitting the disease to others, and not to protect someone from becoming infected.

What if I have been around someone who has been identified as a Direct Contact? If you have been around someone who was identified as a direct contact to a person with COVID-19, you should closely monitor yourself for any symptoms of COVID-19. You do not need to self-quarantine.

For more information you may contact: [Teri Morrison at 218-750-2227](tel:218-750-2227).

- Other places to get information:**
- <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>
 - <https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/index.html>
 - http://www.boisforte.com/2020_COVID-19_Resources.htm

Update Your Address

Periodically, the Bois Forte Tribal Government sends out important information and it is essential that we have your correct mailing address, please fill out the change of address form.

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CITY:

STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

DATE OF BIRTH:

____/____/____

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

Please note, you must check the **RED BOX**, if you want to share your new address with the *Bois Forte News*.



Please share my new address with the *Bois Forte News*!

Mail to:
Bois Forte Enrollment
5344 Lakeshore Drive
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Elder Pen Pals

Bois Forte Behavioral Health are looking for individuals (adult or child) to...

Sign up to become pen pals with an Elder.

Our Elders may be more prone to experience loneliness and depression during the COVID-19 shelter at home mandates. Help us by signing up to send and exchange letters, cards, homemade art work, or a phone call. We will connect you with an Elder to keep in touch with.

This is a great opportunity for elders to share their knowledge with the younger generation!

TO SIGN UP

- Contact Erin Danielson at 218-757-3295 or email her, erin.danielson@boisforte-nsn.gov.
- We will need your name, phone and address
- **Open to anyone!**

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