



LITTLE RED RIVER CREE NATION

March 20th, 2020

MEMO: LRRCN Membership & Staff

RE: LRRCN Extreme Measures - COVID-19

Tansi Netotemmak,

We will now be taking additional "extreme measures" to help and or stop the COVID-19 spread into our communities.

EFFICTIVE IMMEDIATELY!

1. A check point will be put in place at Highway58 (50 meters west of John D'or Prairie access)
2. Wabasca Crossing leading to our community of Fox Lake will be closed and Wabasca ice bridge will be destroyed.
3. Children under the age of 12 years old are required to not enter all public spaces! Parents are now asked to stop their children from visiting and to practice extreme social distancing.
4. Nationwide Curfew Hours will now be in place from 8:00 pm to 8:00 am (only essential staff delivering goods or providing critical services will be permitted on LRRCN local roads). Any vehicle or persons not authorised to travel during these curfew hours will be sent home.
5. All persons are to wash their hands (minimum of 30 seconds) as soon as they enter their homes or entering other person's homes. Please refrain from shaking hands and or any close contact with other people. We also ask to limit or stop visiting family members and or friends to help stop the spread of COVID-19.

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6. WE NEED TO KEEP OUR ELDERS SAFE! As they are most vulnerable to COVID-19. Limit the number of people residing in Elders homes (if possible) to immediate caregivers only and limit the number of people visiting to their homes as well.

7. Starting on Monday, March 23rd. Nation Offices (Administration, Community Services, Public Works facilities, Lands and Environment, Membership, Kayas Colleges, Schools and LRR Group of Companies) will be closed to the public. Only essential and critical staff will be allowed in these premises.

We are monitoring the coronavirus (COVID-19) situation and tracking its progress within Alberta. At this point in time, we are not calling a State of Local Emergency (SOLE) for our Nation as there are no confirmed cases in nearby towns, hamlets and or communities.

We will continue with the monitoring and will update immediately if the COVID-19 situation changes in our region.

Please Share.

Thank you,

Chief Conroy Sewepagaham
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