

All Industry Update

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**All Business Group – Tuesdays at 9:00 am**

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**Meeting ID: 982 1914 2599**

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## **Agenda**

- 1. Updates on Gunnison County to State Blue**
- 2. Public Health update and numbers**

As of 2/25, Gunnison County has been moved to the blue level on the state dial. Although our case incidence rate is currently in yellow, the reason for that is because we had 10 positive results come in from testing done over a week ago. Those tests were sent to Texas to be processed and the power outages slowed down the results. If you remove those tests, our incidence rate is comfortably in blue and that is why the state decided we could move to their blue level of restrictions. For a look at our current restrictions please visit our [public health order page](#).

When we were on a high plateau in November-January, the state was looking at moving us from yellow to orange on their dial. At that time, we were able to keep most businesses open in the yellow level by adding additional mitigation measures. Those were travel quarantines and a reduction in event sizes. We are now stepping down from those mitigation steps as we are now on a better trend in case-loads.

As always, there will be time for questions and answers on the shift.

## **Events Subgroup**

All who are registered for the Events Subgroup should have received notification that we will be reconvening the weekly Events Subgroup meetings on Monday's @ 10:30 am. The ZOOM information was sent to that subgroup and the Events page on the COVID19.gunnisoncounty.org site has been updated with that information as well.

## **PPE for Business**

*A reminder, we have masks supplies for use in local businesses. Should you need to restock your supply for patrons/visitors, please reach out to the following people. We will supply them in boxes of 50-100 pieces.*

North Valley = The Chamber (970-349-6438)

Gunnison area = The City of Gunnison Clerk (970-641-8140) OR Loren Ahonen ([lahonen@gunnisoncounty.org](mailto:lahonen@gunnisoncounty.org) or 970-641-7981)

## **Additional Business Updates & Resources**

For the most comprehensive and up-to-date financial resources available to businesses and non-profits please refer to the COVID-19 Small Business Alternative Funding [tool](#) created by Colorado Office of Economic Development & International Trade.

[Colorado COVID Legal Relief](#) is a public/private partnership to offer FREE legal aid to Colorado small businesses facing challenges due to COVID-19. Thus far the program has helped over 100 businesses in need across the state. For more information, please reach out to [info@coloradocovidlegalrelief.org](mailto:info@coloradocovidlegalrelief.org).

## **Public Health Updates**

Gunnison County moved to Blue on the State Dial.

On our local coronameter system we continue to operate in our [blue level](#), the more restrictive state measures are outlined in red strike throughs. We are now meeting 0 of the 7 [indicators](#) for a move to yellow.

For more information about test data, visit Gunnison County's [Test Data webpage](#) and [Dashboard webpage](#).

## **Vaccine Interest Form**

Gunnison County continues to ask for your support in helping get members of our community into the [Vaccine Interest Form](#). The Vaccine Interest Form is the most effective way to forecast interest in the COVID-19 vaccine amongst which helps us coordinate dosage needs with the state.

Ensuring the supply of those interested in vaccination will help us prepare to be nimble in response to increasingly fluid vaccination guidelines from the State.

Please help share the Vaccine Interest Form with your employees, families, friends, and neighbors.

## **State Vaccine Equitable Distribution Survey**

The state has asked that we share the following survey around equitable distribution of vaccine. We need your help sharing the [CDPHE – COVID-19 Vaccine: Reducing Barriers to Equitable Vaccine Distribution Survey](#).

The survey seeks to collect feedback from a broad swath of historically and systemically marginalized and underserved communities (Black, Latino, Native American, Asian/Pacific Islander) as well as people in rural areas, people with disabilities, people from various faith communities, people who identify as LGBTQ+, and older people.

*The survey will close on 3/5/21*