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Public Comment #1 (



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Community

1 message

Tom Davis <tomhdavis@icloud.com>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:27 PM

To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Cc: Dreu Murin <dreu@dreumurin.com>, Gary Casteel <GCasteeljr@trans-sierra.com>, Douglas Williams <cedarpinesresort@hotmail.com>, Joy Knight <sjk12876@yahoo.com>, Jerry Bindel <jbindel@forestsuites.com>, Rich Bodine <rbodine@hotelazuretahoe.com>, Richard BRN <rjbrown1@cox.net>, Chris Whitaker <diamondbarbershop1@yahoo.com>, Cowboyjt25@aol.com, Tamara Wallace <tami_wallace@hotmail.com>, Cody Bass <cbass@cityofslt.us>

Let's get our community back open. It should be up to each person and business if they want to open and if citizens don't think it's safe they can continue to shelter in place. Our community is dying a financial death.

HELP US.

Tom Davis,

Former City Council member and former Mayor
City of South Lake Tahoe.

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Fwd: Open for business

3 messages

Nancy Williams <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>
To: EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:08 PM

Hi Kim,

Don suggested that I forward these opinions to you. In the past, I've been getting questions but now they are changing to opinions.

Here is the first one.

Nancy

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Denise Hountalas** <denise@thepurp.com>
Date: Tue, Apr 28, 2020, 10:26 AM
Subject: Open for business
To: <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>

Hi,

I just wanted to share my opinion on supporting the community to open businesses back up. I feel that people should be able to monitor their own separation and health if they are at risk to serious complications from the Corona Virus or other illnesses, but the economic devastation from the shut down effects more people and bringing the community back to life is essential.

Thanks Denise

Denise Hountalas
The Purple Place Bar & Grill
(916) 425-9697

EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:10 PM

To: The BOSONE <bosone@edcgov.us>, The BOSTWO <bostwo@edcgov.us>, The BOSTHREE <bosthree@edcgov.us>, The BOSFIVE <bosfive@edcgov.us>, The BOSFOUR <bosfour@edcgov.us>, Donald Ashton <don.ashton@edcgov.us>

fyi

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Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:10 PM

EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

To: Nancy Williams <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>

Thank you. Appropriate public comment provided for upcoming agenda items will be added to the corresponding file.

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Fwd: EL Dorado County commerce

1 message

Nancy Williams <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>
To: EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:09 PM

Another one

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Darria Deatherage** <darria@aclosetgallery.com>
Date: Tue, Apr 28, 2020, 10:09 AM
Subject: EL Dorado County commerce
To: <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>

Hi Nancy,

We are homeowners and business owners in the county and we have done our own research and data collection and have found that it is time to open our county. I know Governor Newsome is taking this to another level in the name of Covid but truthfully for his own political agenda and gain and we are appalled at this. Please take action and open our county up for commerce before it is too late to recover in any fashion. We are all hurting from this but to watch our neighbors lives crumble with statistics like 39 confirmed cases and no deaths and no new cases in days....It is time to get back to work. Justification for staying closed is no longer an option.

Please get back to us. We are all hurting and we need to hear from our leaders on this issue.

Thank you!

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Darria Deatherage

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916-826-7016

www.aclosetgallery.com



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Nancy Williams - delayed reply likely due to COVID-19 response Re: Open for business

1 message

Nancy Williams <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:11 PM

Due to the COVID-19 public health response effort, I am currently stationed at our Emergency Operations Center. My response time for emails is likely to be delayed with the greatly increased numbers of incoming messages I am currently receiving.

If you are looking for guidance regarding COVID-19, before leaving me or anyone else a message, please check to see if our 2-1-1 information system has the answer to your questions.

- call 211 on your phone.
- go to [211eldorado.org](https://www.eldorado.org) (or directly to our COVID-19 web page, <https://www.edcgov.us/Government/hhsa/Pages/EDCCOVID-19.aspx>)

We are getting feedback from both our 211 operators and via emails sent to our general email address (EDCCOVID-19@edcgov.us) to help us know what additional questions we can answer on our website.

Other information can be found here:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

California Department of Public Health: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/Immunization/ncov2019.aspx>

If you need immediate assistance, please call 530-621-6100.

Thank you.

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Nancy

Nancy J. Williams, MD, MPH
Public Health Officer
El Dorado County Health and Human Services Agency
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(530) 499-0670 - Mobile





EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Fwd: Small business

1 message

Nancy Williams <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>
To: EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:10 PM

I think this is the last for now.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Wendy** <wendyhagel@yahoo.com>
Date: Tue, Apr 28, 2020, 11:34 AM
Subject: Small business
To: <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>

Good morning

I am appealing to you to do what you can do get our business open again. We are a dental office that has all required ppe and understand osha requirements for sterilization and cleaning. The closure has put us in the position of losing our business. We have not received the PPP money and no one in our office has received any of the unemployment benefits that have supposedly been funded. No checks or debit cards have arrived. This is ridiculous. Vets are open, dog groomers are open, printing companies are open yet we, probably one of the most proficient at avoiding contact are left closed. We cannot go on much longer or we will lose everything we have worked for for the past 20 years. At 56 I cannot afford to bankrupt and start over with the stock market taking the dive it has. We do not have a state or government pension or health benefits paid by anyone other than us. We have been bled dry. I beg you to help us.

Thank you
Wendy hagel

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - For your vote today on Phase 2



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

For your vote today on Phase 2

1 message

Irene Muzio <irene.muzio@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:59 PM

To whom it may concern:

Please ask Governor Newsom to NOT allow our county to go directly to Phase 2 of the federal guidelines when you meet to vote today, April 28th at 1:00 PM. Thank you sincerely for your service to our county.

Irene Muzio

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Re opening our county



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Re opening our county

1 message

Judy Booth <sjbooth64@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:57 PM

Please count my husband and I in the group who would like our county to open it's store, churches and restaurants. We are in our 70's and feel the less susceptible are being punished for those of us who are. As older people we should shelter ourselves and let the others support their families.

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Special Meeting April 28, 2020 - Public Comment

1 message

Candace Kelley <CKelley@woodburnandwedge.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:55 PM

Good afternoon, attached is a letter in response to your request for public comment for the Special Meeting scheduled for April 28, 2020.

Candace Kelley

Administrator



Woodburn and Wedge

6100 Neil Road, Suite 500

Reno, Nevada 89511-1159

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ckelley@woodburnandwedge.com

****Effective March 16, 2020, Woodburn and Wedge has moved to a remote working environment. Email will result in the quickest response. Thank you for your understanding.****

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April 28, 2020

Via Email: edc.cob@edcgov.us
County of El Dorado, Board of Supervisors

Re: Special Meeting April 28, 2020 – Public Comment.

Dear Board of Supervisors:

I represent Trans-Sierra Investments, Inc., also know as the Shops at Heavenly Village. This letter is submitted in anticipation of the April 28, 2020, Special Meeting.

El Dorado County has done a great job pulling together as a community to fight COVID-19 and as a result the County has had great success preventing the spread of the virus. Trans-Sierra is in support of the Board of Supervisor's efforts to facilitate reopening of nonessential businesses in a safe manner.

As the Board is aware there has been significant financial impact sustained by the small businesses of El Dorado County and this impact extends to the numerous small businesses located in the Shops of Heavenly Village. While restrictions have been necessary to fight COVID-19, it is essential that a safe reopening occur in a timely manner to prevent the permanent loss of small businesses. This is especially true in South Lake Tahoe where the economy relies exclusively on seasonal tourism.

In order to prevent the permanent loss of many small businesses in South Lake Tahoe it is imperative that reopening occur in South Lake Tahoe at the same time and under the same restrictions as all parts of El Dorado County. A reopening that allows parts of the County to reopen but prohibits South Lake Tahoe from reopening would cause an unjust and disparate impact upon those business in South Lake Tahoe. Delaying the opening of businesses in South Lake Tahoe while allowing nonessential businesses in other parts of the County to open is not least restrictive and is not justified by the currently reported COVID-19 statistics in El Dorado County. Please be advised that Trans-Sierra objects to any reopening plan that imposes restrictions on the business of South Lake Tahoe that are not also imposed on the other nonessential businesses located throughout the County and Trans-Sierra intends to pursue its available legal remedies if such unequal restrictions are imposed on the businesses of South Lake Tahoe.

Sincerely,


Michael Keane,
Counsel for Trans-Sierra Investments, Inc.

cc: Client

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Open this county



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Open this county

1 message

elena adams <elena.adams@icloud.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:37 PM

Please get this county open including Lake Tahoe. Open Folsom lake if you have any influence

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Reopen El Dorado County

1 message

Greg Alterton <gregalterton@gmail.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:27 PM

This email is for the purpose of conveying our support for the County to begin the process of reopening its economy and to ease the restrictions on social interaction. Everyone understands the crisis the state and nation were facing just six weeks ago, when public health models were showing possible deaths in the US from COVID-19 to be anywhere from 2 million to 4 million people. Fortunately, those predictions never came true, in part due to the decision to shelter in place. But it also appears that the virus itself may not have been as lethal as originally estimated. And it's also likely, as public health researchers are now finding, there is a substantial number of Californians who are immune to the virus as it now appears to have entered California months before the lock down went into effect in March.

Factor-in that the impact in El Dorado County has been relatively light (43 confirmed cases in a population of 188-thousand; the vast majority now recovered), and it's clear that the situation in the state and county from the virus has played out differently than original public health models suggested. The number of new cases are down. The number of hospitalizations are down. The "curve" of cases has been flattened (which was perhaps the main justification for the shelter-in-place policies in the first place). Deaths are down. All of this points to the fact that the situation with the virus has changed over the past six weeks, and measures put in place to address an extreme scenario should now be relaxed.

Whether it was wise or not, six weeks ago, public health concerns outweighed economic concerns. To this date, no government agencies have taken a high profile in assessing the economic impacts, including loss of jobs, loss of businesses, caused by the shelter-in-place orders. In our opinion, concerns about the economic well-being of people should have at least been part of the equation. It never seemed to be the case. But now the County can rectify that by relaxing the shelter-in-place orders, allow businesses to start to reopen (in a phased manner if deemed necessary), and get people back to work. Combining these first back-to-normal steps with continued calls for people to wear masks, to practice appropriate social distancing, to wash their hands frequently, to avoid large gatherings – all of that was touted as being the most effective ways of avoiding spreading the virus, and should still be emphasized to the citizens of the county. But as the weeks have gone by, there appears to be less justification to keep businesses closed and people out of work. It's time to give the economic interests of the county's residents priority.

Most alarming about the Governor's pronouncements on social distancing and the social/economic lock down is that he has said very little which indicates he is giving thought to the misery the general shelter-in-place policies have caused, which he promoted. As recently as yesterday, the Governor threatened to extend State policies for another month – through the end of May. What's ironic is that he keeps talking about extending the lock down, without ever once suggesting a date as to when they will end, or a rationale for extending the State lock down. We suspect that all of the rationales for his declaration of emergency no longer justify continuing the policies adopted in early March. As the State is not providing adequate, rational, and justifiable revisions to its policies as the situation in the state has changed, the County should exercise its own authority to open up the county. A failure of leadership at the State level should not justify the County doing nothing. Rather, a failure of leadership at the State level should encourage the County to act.

You will be told by some that the lock down needs to be continued because people are still in danger of contracting the virus. For those afraid of catching the virus, or those who are legitimately high-risk, the solution is simple: let them shelter-in-place voluntarily, for however long they believe is best. Fear, whether irrational or real, should not drag the county's economy into further chaos. We've reached a point where reasonable prevention and economic activity can exist together.

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Reopen El Dorado County

Please do the right thing and decide, and advocate strongly, for the reopening of El Dorado County's economy and society.

Sincerely,

Greg and Margaret Alterton

6500 Oak Dell Road

El Dorado 95623

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Reopening churches is so necessary for thousands of us. As a senior lining alone in Georgetown CA I so hope Cool Co...



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Reopening churches is so necessary for thousands of us. As a senior lining alone in Georgetown CA I so hope Cool Community Church will be able to open it's door again soon. Thank you, Donna Cantrell age 73.

1 message

donna cantrell <tnmamadonna@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:26 PM



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2

1 message

Hobbs, John <John.Hobbs@sbdinc.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:23 PM

It's time to get EDC UP AND RUNNING . With warmer weather here the virus, which is not affected our county terribly, is dying. It is time to go back to living please move us to say is to immediately. Thank you very much

John Hobbs
NorCal/Nev
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Difficult numbers on covid 19

1 message

Mike <spitfire2871@comcast.net>
To: Edcemail <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:13 PM

Vietnam has a population of 97 million
Has 270 cases of covid 19
Is 1500 miles from China
and is an Asian country
South Dakota has a population of 868K
Is 6700 miles from China
Has an Asian population of 0.1%
Has 2245 cases of covid 19
For a disease that came from China these statistics seem utterly impossible!!!!
Here are some more examples
Hong Kong has a population of 7.5 million
Is 1100 miles from China
Has 1038 cases of covid 19
Taiwan which is not friendly with China and has restrictions however
Has a population of 24 million
Is 1300 miles from China
Has 429 cases of covid 19
North Dakota has a population of 672K
Is 6500 miles from China
Has a asian population of 1.44%
Has 991 cases of covid 19
Wyoming has a population of 567K
Is 6600 miles from China
Has an Asian population of 1.76%
Has 520 cases of covid 19
Alaska has a population of 731K
Is 4500 miles from China
Has a asian population of 5.4%
Has 345 cases of covid 19
Statistics from world meters
April 28, 2020

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Phase 2 - Opening EDC



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2 - Opening EDC

1 message

Holly Young <tnh4christ@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:15 PM

Dear Representatives,

Here in El Dorado County, the Covid 19 has been fairly mild. My husband and I would love to see Phase 2 start as soon as possible. Our small businesses are suffering and may never come back. We understand to still use guidelines, washing, gloves, mask, as needed. We need our community up and running as soon as possible.

Thank you,

Tommy & Holly Young
Placerville, CA

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Edcgov.us Mail - Re-opening El Dorado County.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Re-opening El Dorado County.

1 message

Jacinda Layman <doula.jacinda@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:05 PM

Hello,

I have been an El Dorado County resident for about 12 years. I am a mom with four kids and my husband works in law enforcement. I just wanted to send a quick email to say that I fully support our little town opening up. Governor Newsome said things would re-open based on science and I believe with our low number of cases and the fact that our town is sustained by small businesses is a very good reason to open up. Thank you for speaking up for our county!

Blessings,
Jacinda



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Support and prayers of Gold Country Baptist Church regarding governor request for phased re-opening

1 message

Phil Layton <pastorphil@goldcountrybaptist.org>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us, bosfour@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:50 AM

Dear County Supervisors,

I am the pastor of Gold Country Baptist Church in Shingle Springs and want you to know that you and local and state leaders we regularly pray for including in our streamed services. We've sat in on your meetings with our kids for the map contests and many in our church are active with the county and community in many ways, which we hope to begin to resume soon.

Specifically regarding today's meeting agenda we would pray for and support the proposed letter asking

- if our county can begin to relax stay at home orders for the churches as well as local businesses moving towards Phase 2 of the national approach
- if EDC can move more quickly through the phased approach to allow church gatherings, and our church wants to work with whatever guidelines can be updated for our essential ministries to our community

We are thankful for you and hopeful and prayerful for God's wisdom and guidance in your meeting and appeal to our Governor. I personally pray that this will be a productive week and start of the next month for you and our county, and that God's mercies will continue to be evident and spreading in these times.

Pastor Phil
www.gcb.church
530-306-0788 cell

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Lifting Stay at Home



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Lifting Stay at Home

1 message

Ginny's Email <ginnyanthes@cbcplacerville.org>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:47 AM

Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am a resident living at 5121 Gold Hill Rd. and respectfully ask that request that the Governor allow us to go directly to Phase 2.

Sincerely yours,

Virginia (Ginny) Anthes

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Opposed to reopening County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Opposed to reopening County

1 message

W6MRD <adukhntr@gmail.com>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:46 AM

To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

It would be unsafe to open restrictions at this time. ElDorado County has a high population of at risk people. Please continue with the shelter in place restrictions.

David DeLongchamp
5956 McKinley Drive
Garden Valley, CA



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

re-open county

1 message

Nick Percy <nickpercy707@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:22 AM

Dear County Board of Supervisors,

I am writing this email urging you to fight to reopen our county. Our rights need to be defended!

The Constitution says that government cannot interfere with private contract rights – but it has.

The Constitution says that government cannot interfere with free speech – but it has.

The Constitution says that government cannot interfere with the right to assemble – but it has.

The Constitution says that government cannot interfere with our right to associate with others – but it has.

The Constitution says that government cannot interfere with the right to worship – but it has.

The Constitution says that government cannot take what is ours without just compensation – but it has. Just ask the business owners who are losing their businesses.

There may be some who may want to keep the stay at home order as is, but in order to put things in context I would like to ask them two things: 1) Are they still getting an income? 2) Do they really understand the freedoms this country was founded on and those who have gone before us that have fought and died for?

I moved my family to this county because of the freedoms that it stands for. Please continue to make me be a proud resident of El Dorado County.

Thank you,

Nick Percy

Cool, CA

<https://delawarestatenews.net/coronavirus/commentary-covid-19-lockdown-gives-americans-a-taste-of-tyranny/>

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1 message

Jennifer Alcorn <gemgai71@yahoo.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:22 AM

Hello,

I want to offer my support to lift the stay at home directive ending April 30th. We have been responsible and obedient to the directive and the numbers are not high or escalating so I want to please ask you to continue to lift the SIP.

Jennifer Alcorn
3530 Cherry Acres Road
Cool, CA 95614

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Lifting the order.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Lifting the order.

1 message

Laurel <chamber@eldoradocounty.org>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:20 PM

Just in case my internet fails me today. Please know that the edc chamber fully supports lifting the stay at home order. People have a choice to stay home if they choose but are economy is suffering and not only are people losing their jobs and livelihood but the business they've invested their lives in. As well, some are now losing their homes. We well be adding many more unintended consequences if this order continues.

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Phase 2 - Opening EDC



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Thank you,

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Placerville, CA

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Edcgov.us Mail - EXCITED TO REOPEN!!

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public comment

EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

EXCITED TO REOPEN!!

1 message

Toni Martin <meandjesuslove_u@yahoo.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:12 AM

Hi there!!

We love living here in El Dorado County and we are SOOOOO EXCITED to see our county re-opened for our local businesses and small get togethers!!
Thank you for representing us!!

Toni Stolp
(530) 305-9272
Follow on Instagram
My Business Instagram
My Family Blog

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Support opening the county



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Support opening the county

1 message

Margaret Alterton <margaretalterton@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:56 AM

Please open up the county before it's too late. Our small businesses need help!
Thank you
Margaret Alterton

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - re-opening



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

re-opening

1 message

Christine Lansing <jparafew@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:00 PM

Please urge the council to request that El Dorado County move into phase 2 of re-opening and reactivating the economy - the stimulus payments could be put to good use within our local economies.

Thank you for your consideration and service.

Christine Lansing
Pilot Hill resident



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2

1 message

Cavanaugh CPA <cavanaughcpa@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:55 AM

I encourage El Dorado County officials to request Phase 2 reopening for El Dorado County. The businesses of El Dorado County are suffering irreparable economic harm; and the El Dorado County statistics for COVID-19 do not support continuing the rigorous isolation protocols any longer. Those who are sick and vulnerable can continue to isolate while those that are not can return to work & business before there isn't any work/business to return to.

Sincerely,
Christina Cavanaugh

Christina L. Cavanaugh, CPA
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Open El Dorado County

1 message

Tami Merlo <tamimerlo10@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:19 AM

To Whom it May Concern,

As an 18 year resident of El Dorado Hills in addition to being a local small business owner, I am writing to you because I think it is vital that we start opening El Dorado County. With our confirmed cases of Covid-19 being so low, I feel it is time to start opening our county with a plan of decreasing spread in place. Our community is suffering tremendously in so many ways, and ultimately so many businesses may not ever recover, especially if we remain closed for longer. I firmly believe that if we can move to Phase 2 of the Federal Guelelines for reopening, we can both continue to keep the slow of the spread while helping both our county's businesses and the mental health and well being of our population. We have been closed down for over a month and local businesses cannot take much more before they have to close their doors for good.

I appreciate your time and consideration..

Warm Regards,
Tami & Gary Merlo
West Coast Martial Arts
1132 Suncast Ln #2
El Dorado Hills
(916)220-2563

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4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Re-Open El Dorado County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Re-Open El Dorado County

1 message

Melissa St. John <msaintj@yahoo.com>
Reply-To: "msaintj@yahoo.com" <msaintj@yahoo.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:05 PM

I am in favor of re-opening El Dorado County, moving into Phase 2 of the shelter-in-place order. Please consider moving forward.

Respectfully,

Melissa St. John
Cool, California

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Covid 19 upcoming meeting



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Covid 19 upcoming meeting

1 message

Laurel Walker <mrsljwalker@yahoo.com>
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To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:47 AM

Good afternoon. As a citizen of El Dorado County, I would like to encourage a reopening of regular business ASAP. Because our county has reported only 43 virus cases and no deaths, we do not need an army of contact tracers. I believe a diligent team of ten or twenty county health employees could handle thorough contact tracing with a "quarantine the ill" approach. While still discouraging tourists and day trippers from other counties, this may be a safe and sane way to return our vibrant economy to good health. Thank you for your consideration of my opinion.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Reopening our county



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Reopening our county

1 message

darryldebhansen <darryldebhansen@sbcglobal.net>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:21 AM

PLEASE move on to Phase 2 of reopening our county! Enough is enough! We need to get back to work.
Thank you,
Debbie Hansen

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Opening



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Opening

1 message

Carol Leth Stone <stonecottage2s@gmail.com>
To: Edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:34 AM

No! We are doing well so far. I am in every risk group, so this is literally vital for me.

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Phase 2 Reopen County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2 Reopen County

1 message

Bonnie Grimm <begrimm1120@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:26 AM

My husband and I are writing to encourage you to petition the state to reopen businesses in El Dorado County. We are both in the high risk category and understand the risks involved of catching COVID-19, but the risk to our friends and neighbors who face financial ruin and hardship does not justify keeping the economy shut down. After a month of shelter in place, and the media attention, we are all aware of the virus and consequences. Those at high risk, like us, can continue to take precautions when out in public. The curve has flattened, treatment has improved, and the public has been well educated about risks and precautions. It is time to loosen up restrictions and move forward. We can't afford to stay frozen with inaction any longer. Let our community get back to work.

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - No to phase 2



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

No to phase 2

1 message

Christy Breeden <taribor@hotmail.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:27 AM

Dear El Dorado County Members,
My family does not agree with El Dorado County skipping Phase 1, and going directly to Phase 2. While we have been lucky and had very little cases, we would like it to stay the way! Phase 2 risks the spread of COVID19 too quickly! This is too soon!
Sincerely,
Christy Breeden
Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Going directly to Phase 2



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Going directly to Phase 2

1 message

christalone@cbcplacerville.org <christalone@cbcplacerville.org>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:27 AM

The El Dorado County Board of Supervisors:

Please ask Governor Newsom to allow our county to go directly to Phase 2 of the federal guidelines when you meet to vote today, April 28th at 1:00 PM.

Thank you sincerely for your service to our county.

Sincerely, Rev. Paul O Anthes

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Lifting Restrictions



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Lifting Restrictions

1 message

Kelly Meredith-Saunders <animalover.vegan@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:29 AM

Hello.....I am writing this to advocate for the opening of the Lyons Park tennis courts. Playing tennis is considered a very, very low risk activity. The FDA has stated that the risk of contracting COVID-19 through contact with groceries is very low and no recorded cases of transmission through groceries. How much lower the risk (as compared to groceries) when new balls are used, which all tennis players do, and everyone sterilizes their hands and wipes down their equipment before and after playing (which was being done by the groups using the courts). The Ultimate Frisbee groups next to the tennis courts have never been told they cannot play. They do not practice social distancing—grouping very close together the entire time and they pick up each other's Frisbees to return to the owner—I have watched them. The tennis players at Lyons Park are responsible people who have been adhering to social distancing guidelines. With 5 active cases in a county of 193,000 people, it would not seem logical to continue the shutdown of such a low risk, yet enjoyable activity,

Thank you,

Kelly Meredith-Saunders

Sent from my iPad



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

The common sense plan to reopen America!!!

1 message

Mike <spitfire2871@comcast.net>
To: Edcemail <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:57 AM

The Common Sense Plan to Re-Open America!!!

- If you are sick or think you may be, even common cold or sniffles STAY HOME!!!
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- Place a screener at the entrance to all establishments with ample traffic who will take the temperature of and inquire in regards to any cold or flu like symptoms in a dignified and non-offensive manner prior to entry. While limiting and monitoring attendance to a safe number determined by the health department
- Anyone in public exhibiting any cold or flu like symptoms is subject to immediate quarantine at their own expense at an economical hotel or something suitable
Anyone asymptomatic will not be a threat to society they will not be coughing sneezing or emitting droplets into the air
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- Using this as an outline along with continuing social distancing and sanitizing, we should be able to safely reopen over 99% of America excluding hotspots and some industries where social distancing is not feasible.
- We have had enormous loss of life.
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- So many people around the world are losing or have lost their jobs, careers, businesses, their dignity, the future of the next generation, the value of our assets and everything that we along with our forefathers have worked so hard for our entire lives. We are terrified as it vanishes before our very eyes.

- We must avoid the great depression 2.0!!!!!!

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- We must reopen NOW!!!!!!

- . Every day the shut down continues we lose more life liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Opening Up



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Opening Up

1 message

Sue Robbins <suerobnn@gmail.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:41 AM

Please don't even consider lifting the state's restrictions at this time. As a retired registered nurse, it is my belief we should follow the lead of our Governor.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Opening up parts of El Dorado county with less restrictions

1 message

Eric Hardt <erichardt2121@yahoo.com>
Reply-To: Eric Hardt <erichardt2121@yahoo.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:36 AM

Eric

Eric Hardt
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Cool, CA 95614
Eric's Mobile phone: 408-614-1191
Eric's email: erichardt2121@yahoo.com

I live in the Auburn Lake Trails. I would like to see the virus restrictions open up somewhat. I see many hiking trails closed up that don't make sense and then a whole lot more people congregating in the few that are open. I drove up to Stumpy meadows recently, the last third of the road has considerable debris on road and the parking to the lake is closed. This is not a place where many congregate. I know many are getting cabin fever and need to get out and enjoy the beautiful weather we are having.

My biggest concern is the many small businesses that are closed, and many are on the verge of closing forever. I am sure many can be opened up with less restrictions.

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Lift the QUARANTINE. GO TO PHASE 2



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Lift the QUARANTINE. GO TO PHASE 2

1 message

RONALD PEEK <ronaldpeek@sbcglobal.net>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:41 AM

Dear Mr. Ashton,

I understand you are the CEO for El Dorado county Public Health Dept. Ron and Sylvia Peek are in favor of you lifting the stay at home order effective April 30th Please advise Governor Newsome to begin Phase 2.

Sincerely,

Ronald & Sylvia Peek

Ronald & Sylvia Peek

1720 Dormity Road

Rescue, CA 95672

530-677-4050

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Fwd: OPEN OUR COUNTY!!!



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Fwd: OPEN OUR COUNTY!!!

1 message

Tracy Constable <uno13@yahoo.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:44 AM

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Tracy Constable <uno13@yahoo.com>
Date: April 28, 2020 at 10:12:17 AM PDT
To: edc.cob@edc.gov.us
Subject: OPEN OUR COUNTY!!!

PLEASE!!!!

We want Church!! We want our small businesses back!!! We want our economy back!!!!!!



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2

1 message

snfoster1 <snfoster1@netzero.net>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:07 AM

Please allow our county to move into Phase 2. Some precautions could take place - masks required & 6' social distancing. We need to help save our small businesses by letting them reopen.

Sincerely,
Sandy Foster

Sent via the Samsung Galaxy Note5, an AT&T 4G LTE smartphone

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Open up EDC!

1 message

Carolyn O'Connor <nspctrjn@hotmail.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 11:04 AM

We are almost beyond the point at which small businesses will be able to open at all!

Viruses have always been with us and no vaccine can eliminate them. Herd immunity can only be achieved if healthy people are allowed to mix and the sick and compromised are quarantined.

And now our food supply is in jeopardy. It is time for resistance to the insanity and bring rationality back to El Dorado county.

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - The Common Sense Plan to re-open America



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

The Common Sense Plan to re-open America

1 message

Mike <spitfire2871@comcast.net>
To: Edcemail <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:55 AM

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EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2 Support

1 message

Sam Houston <shqts@me.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:59 AM

El Dorado County Board of Supervisors -

I am writing this letter in a show of support. I ask you to please vote in favor of sending the letter you have prepared to the Governor requesting he allow the County to transition to Phase 2 and lift the stay-at-home orders.

El Dorado County members have been responsible and safe and have kept the number of Covid-19 cases to a minimum. As I write this letter there are only 5 active cases in the entire County. Due to its rural nature, members of El Dorado County have social distancing naturally, but we need to open our businesses and remove government restrictions. It is time to remove the restrictions and allow our citizens to make responsible choices that are best and safest for them.

People with autoimmune issues, the elderly and anyone with a high risk can continue to follow the stay-at-home guidance while allowing the rest of the County to conduct business in a safe and responsible manner.

Thank you for taking a stand for the best for El Dorado County.

Sincerely,

Sam Houston

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Phase 2



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2

1 message

Richard Denton <rmikden@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:58 AM

El Dorado County needs to progress to phase 2 of the Federal guidelines.

Sent from my iPad



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2 Support

1 message

Nicole Houston <nhcpa@me.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:55 AM

El Dorado County Board of Supervisors -

I understand you have a meeting scheduled this afternoon to vote on submitting a letter to the Governor requesting he relax the stay-at-home orders for El Dorado County and allowing the County to transition to Phase 2.

I am writing to show support of your decision. El Dorado County is rural and most people are socially distant naturally. We have been responsible through this pandemic and have kept the cases of Covid-19 to a minimum. The members of our County are suffering more from the stay-at-home orders than from Covid-19.

I have not been impacted like most people, I already work from home and have not lost any income. I say this so you know I am not writing out of desperation for myself. I am writing this for the health and benefit of El Dorado County.

Businesses are struggling and cannot navigate the various stimulus packages from the CARES Act. I am an accountant and have spent the last three weeks helping clients apply for the PPP (Payroll Protection Plan) loan. Few businesses in EDC will be able to get the loan, because they bank with our local El Dorado Savings Bank, which is not an SBA lender. By supporting a local bank, our local business cannot even apply for the loan. Additionally, many businesses in our county can't afford the large accounting costs needed to help them complete the application and provide all the supporting documentation required through the process. I have donated countless hours trying to help businesses in our county because I want them to succeed.

However, even if a business is able to obtain the PPP loan, the funds are to be spent to cover payroll costs; they do little to help the business with operating costs. I wonder how many businesses will not survive this stay-at-home order. The likelihood for each business to recover diminishes with each day they are required to remain closed.

The sooner our El Dorado County is able to lift the statewide stay-at-home order and move to Phase 2, the sooner we can begin to heal and rebuild.

Thank you for being willing to stand up for what is best for our County, even amidst outside pressure.

Sincerely,

Nicole Houston

4/28/2020

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EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Public Comment re Support - 4/28/2020

1 message

Michelle Rand <michelle.rand18@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:58 AM

Board of Supervisors,

I am in full support of opening our city and county to phase two of the country reopening plans. I believe if we practice what we have been taught in these past few months regarding social distancing and proper cleaning habits, we can reopen to lessen the financial burden this virus has created on our city and county. If individuals feel uncomfortable with leaving their dwellings because of COVID-19, then let them stay in! Fear is causing our economic downfall and beginning stages of starvation. People WILL fall victim to death in more ways than just "catching COVID-19". Please reopen!

Thank you,

Michelle

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Re-open EDC Please



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Re-open EDC Please

1 message

Angela Tregembo <atregembo@hotmail.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:44 AM

I am writing this email to please urge you to request EDC going to phase 2 from the Govenor. Our small businesses definitely need this! Our COVID 19 numbers are low and we are all learning how to practice social distancing and other recommended protocols.

Thank you for considering the best needs of your residents,

Angela Tregembo



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

County reopening

1 message

nikkireid340@gmail.com <nikkireid340@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:37 AM

Dear County Officials,

As a resident of El Dorado County, I respectfully ask that we entertain opening at Phase II. It has been scientifically and statistically proven that Covid isn't as deadly as initially thought. I was more than happy, along with my fellow Americans, to temporarily close all non-essential businesses and immediately cease non-essential travel so our hospitals and Country could prepare for what we thought was an extremely deadly virus. Now that we know this isn't the case and our County specifically impacted far less than others, I humbly ask that we end the economic suffering for our citizens but moving straight to Phase II. Obviously those with compromised immune systems should be encouraged to stay home. And let it be reminded people still have the personal choice to self quarantine should they choose.

Thank you for hearing our concerns,

Nikki and Adam Bell
916-990-5788
2561 Sunny Hill Road
Rescue, CA 95672

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2

1 message

Janet Kenneweg <wjkck@msn.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:39 AM

BOS

We support transitioning to Phase 2 of the lifting of California's stay at home order. Of course doing so with caution and social distancing requirements. Please don't require masks in public like Yolo County. People need to be able to make certain choices.

Thank you for serving us during this difficult time.

Janet and Wayne Kenneweg

Diamond Springs

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EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Lifting the lockdown in El Dorado county

1 message

Ray Bangle <rbangle@mathenysears.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:29 AM

Dear Board Members- I am writing to urge the Board of Supervisors to adopt the opinion of the EDH county Health Officer and let the current lockdown lapse. Clearly the danger to the public does not outweigh the infringement on civil liberties that the citizens of this county are enduring. This especially applies to the children who are not even allowed to use parks. The police powers of the government should not exceed the least amount of restriction necessary to reasonably protect the public. With so few cases virus cases in our county, the restrictions on the people far exceed what could be considered reasonable. This is especially true because most cases are not that medically significant.

The approach to combatting the virus should be surgical in the California. Those areas most adversely effected should have restrictions. EL Dorado County is not one of the areas.

Thank you.

Raymond Bangle III

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For Public Comment at the scheduled Board Meeting on 4/28/20 - Agenda Item 20-0617

1 message

Heather Fraser Hurtt <hfraserhurtt@yahoo.com>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:28 AM

Reply-To: Heather Fraser Hurtt <hfraserhurtt@yahoo.com>

To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Cc: "bosone@edcgov.us" <bosone@edcgov.us>, "nancy.williams@edcgov.us" <nancy.williams@edcgov.us>

To the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors -
CC: John Hidahl - County Supervisor; District 1
CC: Nancy Williams - El Dorado County Health Officer

For Public Comment at the scheduled Board Meeting on 4/28/20 - Agenda Item 20-0617

I was dismayed reading the Sacramento Bee article this morning that the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors and Health Officer is planning to let the County "Stay at Home" order expire on Thursday.

"...the "vast majority" of residents and businesses have done well in adhering to state and local orders, El Dorado County's public health officer on Tuesday announced the countywide stay-at-home directive will expire this Thursday."

I would like to know under what data and infection models this decision is being made? What other States, Counties, and Countries are you following to inform your decisions? Where are the testing measures that support this expiration of this order? How do you propose that residents act in the wake of this, particularly with the State's orders remaining in effect? How will you advise us? And are you willing to take the full responsibility that these action will have on your constituents and community?

Do you realize that El Dorado County (and our State) may not have a large infection rate or rate of death precisely because we have strictly adhered to these orders? How will you address large gatherings that are already happening but will only grow with this order expiring and the subsequent "ok" from the county that it's fine to get together?! Do you understand already what tremendous pressure is being put on our recreation facilities and State Parks and how this is putting our Rangers at risk? If you are in doubt, just drive down Green Valley Road any given day and see the cars and people lining up to trek down to Folsom Lake.

Our County Health Officer and Supervisors have a huge responsibility and obligation to be leaders in this pandemic. I am sad to conclude that economics over people is once again the value that you are choosing in the wake of this tragedy of 50,000+ American lives already forfeited, and millions more affected.

Your statement that:

"The local order will not be extended, but residents will remain "guided primarily by the Governor's Order," the county said in a news release."

is a political passing of the buck and I am disappointed in all of you, and particularly our County Public Health Officer, Dr. Nancy Williams. It seems that she has also been unduly influenced by the political winds of this County.

I hope that the whims of the constituents who are ill-informed and care more about their own short-sighted gains at the expense of our community's health and wellbeing will not prevail. Our leaders need to be brave and do the right thing now, in the face of this pandemic. It seems that this action is short-sighted and as ill informed as the public's focus.

I ask that you consider the science, the experts, and the far-reaching effects of your actions. Instead of focusing on this "action," you should be working with our State and Federal officials and health officers to:

- Get the recommended testing measures to our county residents so that we can continue to track, report, and care for those who will continue to get sick.
- Develop specific plans and give guidelines for our most vulnerable residents (our demographics on the county do not bode well for additional risks)
- Ensure that social distancing is put into any public spaces where we are interacting. From what I have observed, this has not been given due attention throughout our County.
- Ensure that our hospital and medical facilities can handle the inevitable uptick in infections - AND - not rely on the spill-over to Sacramento and other surrounding counties to take care of this (i.e. Kaiser hospitals do not have a presence in our county; Marshall does not have a large capacity for ICU beds and so Sacramento County would bear the brunt of our high-care patients)
- Ensure, monitor, and coordinate with medical experts around the world on treatments for COVID-19 and bring those to our county medical systems.

Bottom line: we do not have effective or accessible testing. Our plans completely hinge on this. The primary job of our government is to protect the people. If you aren't putting that first, you are not serving us, period.

You should understand that people will only begin to frequent businesses and respond to the "opening" of these businesses when they feel safe.

I hope that you will be considering SPECIFIC measures to COMMUNICATE to the public what the expectations are regarding their following of the State orders (not otherwise undermining said orders) and dial back public openings and events, based on the evidence of infection and death throughout our region - and not just in our County seat in Placerville. We have been lucky so far - largely due to the measures put into place! Now is not the time to be signaling that we can relax. The data is beginning to show an overall decline but we know that since people in our State and throughout the country can move freely, this virus will also travel back to a location near us soon. I hope that you will all be ready to reconcile your recommendations today with those risks.

Respectfully,

Heather Fraser Hurtt
El Dorado Hills - Resident



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Board Meeting April 28, 2020

1 message

Steven Leuice <casturcaresonhim@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:27 AM

Dear Board Members,

It's my privilege to pastor a church on the river in Lotus. We love our community, neighbors and local business!

I understand you are meeting to discuss moving El Dorado County to Phase Two of the Federal Cov-19 Recovery Plans.

I wholly support this recommendation. It demonstrates a practical, common sense approach which has been sadly lacking nationwide.

We can protect those who the recent facts demonstrate are most at risk while at the same time protect the livelihood of local families and businesses. It's not an either-or question. We can do both.

You, our local leaders, can best weigh the risks and benefits for our immediate community. Thank you for serving.

May God grant you wisdom, grace, consensus and courage!

Grace and Peace,

Steven Leuice- Mother Lode Church

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - please reopen our county



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

please reopen our county

1 message

The Cordingleys <thecordingleyfamily@onemain.com>
Reply-To: The Cordingleys <thecordingleyfamily@onemain.com>
To: EDC BOS <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:32 AM

YES! Please reopen our county and go directly to phase two.

-Suzanne Cordingley
Auburn Lake Trails, District 4

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Reopen El Dorado County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Reopen El Dorado County

1 message

ktschrock <ktschrock@att.net>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:26 AM

As a resident of California for 53 years and a resident of El Dorado County for 13 years I am all for opening El Dorado County. The numbers her in our county do not warrant the current restrictions. Those that are not ready can remain in their shelter in place.

Let's let Governor Newsome know how we feel.

Reopen California AND especially El Dorado County!

Thank you,

Tami Schrock

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Phase 2 Re-opening



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2 Re-opening

1 message

Chuck <cbcool46@yahoo.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:21 AM

I would like to support the re-opening of businesses in El Dorado county following the Federal Guidelines of Phase 2

Chuck Bloss, Cool CA.

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Please open



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Please open

1 message

jconstable@reagan.com <jconstable@reagan.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:20 AM

My family lives in the city of Cool. We would agree to the re-opening of our county and state. ASAP

Constable
2561 Hidden Gold Ct.
Cool Ca
95614

Thank you.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Church Services

1 message

heinjoe <heinjoe@aol.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:24 AM

Good Morning,

My name is Steven Heinbach, one of the members at Cool Community Church.

I think we all had a great group effort in protecting ourselves individually and others in our County from this very serious Virus. The County had some very good guidelines which were essential and I'm in full support of.

One important thing though that I feel is that the Churches in the area are ready to open again so that we can serve the community. I feel like it is important now to go back to our Churches and have our weekly sermons.

I feel that the Church has done our part in helping to protect its members and attendees, and we will continue to partake in these efforts.

We have to remember that a good healthy church is what constitutes a good healthy community. I feel it is time for us to have our Sunday gatherings and other gatherings throughout the week so that we can assist in being that healthy community.

Thank You,

Steven Heinbach
Heinjoe@aol.com

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

comments from a concerned resident re stay-at-home orders expiring

1 message

Mike Rowell <mikerowellcsr@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:18 AM

The following was posted on Facebook in El Dorado County Watch:

Friends in El Dorado County - please read this and send an email ASAP to show support. Our county officials are trying to open the county in a safe manner but they need to our support.

El Dorado County is having a special board meeting this afternoon at 1pm to discuss requesting the governor to allow our county to proceed directly to Phase 2 of the Federal Guidelines for reopening. Please e-mail your thoughts on this reopening to the following e-mail address as soon as possible to encourage our representatives to make the right decision here. Here's the e-mail address:
edc.cob@edcgov.us.

Our representatives need our support!

While I'm happy to be able to leave the house to visit friends or families in a way that maintains social distancing (outdoors or in areas with no shared surfaces), I think any "re-opening" needs to be accompanied by clear safety guidelines. There are still 1,000+ cases in Sacramento County, and other neighboring counties have significantly more cases than El Dorado County.

In my opinion, social distancing needs to continue, for the most part. Restaurants should still be discouraged from dine-in services, movie theaters should remain closed, and retailers should be encouraged to maintain social distancing protocols. El Dorado County should continue to discourage neighboring California residents from entering the county, as well as advising locals to stay within our local borders as much as possible. If there is a subsequent spike in local cases of COVID-19 while the statewide stay-at-home orders are still in place, blame will fall onto leadership in local government (and local hospital administrators who concurred with letting the stay-at-home order expire) for failing to maintain appropriate cautionary measures.

At the very least, there should be guidelines on acceptable sizes for gatherings...

On the other hand, I think it makes sense to allow local residents to resume entering our local parks and outdoor spaces, within reason, with continued guidance on maintaining social distancing (six feet of space, avoidance of using shared surfaces, etc.)

Thank for your time!

Sincerely,

Mike Rowell, RDR, CRC
Real-time Captioner | Certified Shorthand Reporter #13494 (California)
(530) 957-0326

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Keep what gov says keep closed



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Keep what gov says keep closed

1 message

Ada Crosby <crosbyada@icloud.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:12 AM

Keep closed. 82 year old wants to remain safe

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Shelter in place



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Shelter in place

1 message

sjcurry1954@yahoo.com <sjcurry1954@yahoo.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:11 AM

As a resident of El Dorado County I'd like To say please open up our county it's time thank you very much
Steve Curry
1985 smith flat rd
Placerville ca 95667

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Keep the county safe!



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Keep the county safe!

1 message

Lee Hartman <leehartman@outlook.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:10 AM

Hi,

I wanted to be brief, but wanted to let my opinion be known and represented.

It is far too soon to reopen, and skipping any phases in the haste of returning to normalcy is negligent and unsafe. As of yesterday, less than 2,000 tests had been conducted, which is a small fragment of this county's population. Our local hospital is not prepared to treat an influx should we reopen too soon or in a way that endangers us. Please do not let those who yell the loudest, and want to get back to business, silence those of us who want to be safe. All of our isolation will be for nothing if this isn't done in a responsible way.

Thank you,
Lee Hartman

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Open our county



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Open our county

1 message

Elizabeth La Verne <elizabethlaverne@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:08 AM

It is time

It is time for our community to regain some semblance of normalcy. Our community is a small one trust us to govern ourselves and to know when to stay home. Ease us into a transition rather than cripple the economy that many people depend on to support their families. Are you willing to support them give more aid locally? Give people back their pride. Don't let us be lumped in with LA or the bay area. We ask that you use logic and give us back our constitutional rights and freedom that govern this great nation.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Open el dorado county!! open california

1 message

Terri <terri@lasertune.com>
Reply-To: Terri <terri@lasertune.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:58 AM

Lets be productive, its time to go back to work, life and the next phase here. We've all been safe and sound. Lets get back to living

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.”

Proverbs 3:5

Psalm 27:14 "Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord."

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Please reopen El Dorado County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Please reopen El Dorado County

1 message

Joshua Geiss <joshgeiss@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:00 AM

To Whom It May Concern:

I am reaching out to you asking you to proceed directly to Phase 2 of the Federal Guidelines for reopening El Dorado County. Our population is not dense, we have had very minimal impact to our population, and the families and businesses of El Dorado County are suffering as a result of the closure. We are ready to reopen. My wife and I have had two businesses close as a result of this pandemic and now we are facing the tragedy of possibly needing to sell our home or worse, let it go into foreclosure. We have a baby on the way and I need to get back to work. My family has respectfully followed the Shelter in Place guidelines even though I believe this is an infringement on our constitutional rights. Please proceed directly to Phase 2 of the Federal Guidelines. Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,
Josh Geiss
Resident of Cool, CA

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Opening Eldorado County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Opening Eldorado County

1 message

James Moody <jfwmoody89@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:04 AM

Hello my name is James Moody, I live in Plaverville Ca. I am very against Eldo counties decision to reopen the county. At the risk of everyone that lives here. Please reconsider.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Moving Forward

1 message

Rebecca Pratte <beckynjasonpratte@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:13 AM

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing this email for the hope and purpose of moving forward into Phase 2 of easing back into gathering together as a community. While we all understand the severity of the Covid-19 virus, we also understand the freedom that comes with the ability to make decisions for ourselves as not only Americans, but human beings. As we know, some will not be ready to return to gathering together so soon, but for those of us that are, we understand it is far from over and are very aware we have a long road of getting back to anything close to the normal life we used to know. We have a strong, loving community that cares deeply for one another and those around us, and by taking the correct measures and precautions to keep those and make those we gather with to feel as safe as possible, it is our right to be able to gather together once again in fellowship.

Thank you for your consideration and deliberation; we know you have everyone's best interest in your hearts.

God Bless
Rebecca Pratte

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Reopen El Dorado County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Reopen El Dorado County

1 message

Jason Hilton <jhilton555@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:14 AM

Hello,

I am writing to plead with you and your committee to reopen our local businesses! We have one of the lowest numbers of COVID19 cases in the entire state. Please contact Governor Newsome and tell him that we need to open our businesses now, not in 1-2 months. If this Shelter In Place continues any longer, we will lose everything!

Thank you,
Jason Hilton
Cameron Park Resident



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Rescind the Stay At Home Order

1 message

Bryan Saulsbury <bryan@voicesbybryan.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us
Cc: lori.parlin@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 10:16 AM

I am a resident of El Dorado County for the past 4 years and would like to offer my input as to the Governors order of stay in place. El Dorado county has done a fantastic job with our response to Covid 19. There are VERY few cases and ZERO deaths. One of the reasons I chose to live in this county is the rural feel, with less population things here operate much differently than the city centers. We are way more self sufficient and don't rely on the Government to do everything for us. We are much more independent and self-reliant. You can't keep everyone locked down, those that choose to live in Urban densely populated areas have different requirements and habits. Please consider not only protecting us from the virus but also protecting us from economic calamity. If the issue is others not cleared coming to our community and spreading the virus, maybe we should have our park rangers and local law enforcement post signage stating our county is not under restriction but anyone from out of the area is not allowed to recreate here until their lockdown is lifted. We can id those in stores or restaurants/bars and kindly ask them to leave if they are not local to El Dorado County. Let's not throw away our constitutional rights to avoid a virus. Liberties are hard fought and very dear, protect our rights and we will protect our health.

Regards,

Bryan Saulsbury

2750 Ringtail Road Georgetown CA 95634

925.768.7080

bryan@voicesbybryan.com

www.voicesbybryan.com

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Guidelines for Coronavirus



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Guidelines for Coronavirus

1 message

sby <sby813@gmail.com>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:55 AM

To: edc.cob@edcgov.us, Lori Parlin EDC DIST V COMMISSIONER <bosfour@edcgov.us>

Dear Supervisors,

I am not sure why you feel the need to rush to Phase 2 of the virus guidelines. I strongly urge you to not push for this change. We must continue to be careful and wise about our actions.

Sincerely
Susan Yewell
Cool, CA

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Please reopen El Dorado County

1 message

Angela Geiss <angelkakes80@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:52 AM

To Whom It May Concern:

I am reaching out to you asking you to proceed directly to Phase 2 of the Federal Guidelines for reopening El Dorado County. I work for a large healthcare organization in Northern California and I have been heavily involved in COVID-19 surge planning and other implementations around COVID-19 and yes, I still want El Dorado County to reopen. Our population is not dense, we have had very minimal impact to our population, and the families and businesses of El Dorado County are suffering as a result of the closure. We are ready to reopen. Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,
Angela Geiss
Resident of Cool, CA



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2 for El Dorado County

1 message

Kevin & Aleta <gilbertska-chca@comcast.net>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:49 AM

Hello,

We are residents of El Dorado County and would greatly appreciate the governor re-opening El Dorado County to phase 2. El Dorado County has proven to comply with restrictions and shows in our statistics on Covid-19. Thank you.

Kevin and Aleta Gilbert

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Phase two



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase two

1 message

Lynn MacDonald <macdonaldlynn@sbcglobal.net>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:49 AM

We've had enough. The data is in, and we are ready to move on. Please recommend that we move at least to phase two immediately!!!

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Please let us get back to work, consider going to chaise to

1 message

Cynthia Garcia <swtbrzgr@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:41 AM

Good morning distinguished Board of Supervisors members,
I have been a resident of Cool for 30 years and have worked hard to build up my farm and my career as well as my reputation, and I am imploring you to allow us to get back to work by instituting community wide phase 2 of the federal guidelines.

I'm very concerned about financial sustainability and I need to get back to work. For the good of our community, our county, and our state we need to get back to work. We cannot continue to deficit spend our way out of a looming economic disaster. Please allow us to get back to work by instituting phase 2 of the federal guidelines.

I look forward to the outcomes of your special board meeting today at 1 PM, and appreciate your time and consideration in reviewing my request.

Have a blessed day, Cindy Garcia

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Sent from my Gmail account. [Cindy Garcia](#)

Emails regarding my work with the Law Enforcement Chaplaincy-Sacramento: This email and any attachments thereto may contain private, confidential, and privileged material for the sole use of the intended recipient. Any review, copying, or distribution of this email (or any attachments thereto) by other than Law Enforcement Chaplaincy - Sacramento or the intended recipient is strictly prohibited. If you are not the intended recipient, please contact the sender immediately and permanently delete the original and any copies of this email and any attachments thereto.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Re: COVID-19 Special Mtg 4/28, Store Hours for At Risk, Relief Funds for Restaurants/Bars and Workers, Vegetation Mgmt, Postponed Greenstone Rd Closure, Dollar General Project Hearing

3 messages

Barbara Rogers <bdriskellrogers@hotmail.com>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:32 AM

Barbara J. Rogers

From: Barbara Rogers <bdriskellrogers@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2020 5:36 PM
To: 'Lori Parlin' <lori.parlin@edcgov.us>
Subject: Re: COVID-19 Special Mtg 4/28, Store Hours for At Risk, Relief Funds for Restaurants/Bars and Workers, Vegetation Mgmt, Postponed Greenstone Rd Closure, Dollar General Project Hearing

Hello,

I see that Sam's Club, [2495 Iron Point Road, Folsom CA](#) has been left off the Updated Store Hours for Populations.

Please be advised that Sam's offers the following days/times for Seniors to shop:

Every Tuesday and Thursday 7:00 am to 9:00 am

Also Seniors can park in the designated area adjacent to the Tire Shop and take advantage of our personal shoppers.

An Associate will go out to the members car, get their list and do the shopping for them. This is a wonderful service for seniors not wishing to go inside the store.

Every Sunday 8:00 am to 10:00 am

Early shopping for all FIRST RESPONDERS (fire/ambulance/law enforcement/nurses/doctors, etc.)

I would appreciate it if this information was included in the list provided in the BOS packet/agenda.

Thank you.

Barbara Rogers

From: Supervisor Parlin District IV <BOSFOUR@service.govdelivery.com>
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2020 2:02 PM
To: bdriskellrogers@hotmail.com <bdriskellrogers@hotmail.com>
Subject: COVID-19 Special Mtg 4/28, Store Hours for At Risk, Relief Funds for Restaurants/Bars and Workers, Vegetation Mgmt, Postponed Greenstone Rd Closure, Dollar General Project Hearing

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COVID-19 Update Special Board Meeting 4/28/20 1:00pm

COVID-19 Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors will be held Tuesday 4-28-2020 at 1 pm.

Chief Administrative Officer recommending the Board:

- 1) Receive an update from County Counsel regarding the County's obligation to adhere to orders from the Governor;
- 2) Receive an update from Dr. Nancy Williams, Public Health Officer, on the current status of COVID-19 in El Dorado County and surrounding counties and her plan for a phased re-opening approach;
- 3) Authorize the Board Chair and the Public Health Officer to sign the attached letter to the Governor requesting approval for El Dorado County transition to Phase 2 of re-opening the county for individuals and businesses; and
- 4) Provide direction to staff on any additional actions that should be taken at this time, including whether to send a letter to the Governor requesting approval to relax his current stay-at-home orders in El Dorado County. (Est. Time: 2.5 Hr.)

The agenda is posted here and will include instructions on how to listen and participate in the online meeting. <https://eldorado.legistar.com/View.ashx?M=A&ID=782877&GUID=F1361260-0CFD-4E89-B4EA-9CF943768B1E>

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Updated Store Hours for Vulnerable Populations

These stores are offering special services and designated days/hours for seniors and vulnerable populations.
Please Note: Store hours and services are subject to change at any time.

EDH: El Dorado Hills
CP: Cameron Park
PV: Placerville
PP: Pollock Pines
SLT: South Lake Tahoe

STORE	SERVICES	SPECIAL HOURS/DAYS
Bel Air EDH: 916-933-0518 CP: 530-676-0512	Offering "Senior Essentials" bags. Store workers will assemble a combination of dry goods and fresh goods in one bag for either \$20 or \$35. Available for curbside or in-store pickup. 65 years or older. Curbside Pick Up for Prescriptions: Reserved for seniors and at risk populations.	All Day
Costco Folsom: 916-850-1000	Designated shopping hours for members ages 60 and older and for those with physical impairments.	Every Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. <i>Food Court closed during this time</i>
Forklift CP: 530-672-9090	Designated shopping hours for guests ages 65 and older and those guests who are at-risk due to health conditions.	Every Tuesday/Thursday 6:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Grocery Outlet PV: 530-642-1533 SLT: 530-542-1077	No Special Hours for vulnerable populations.	N/A
Kmart SLT: 530-541-8971	No Special Hours for vulnerable populations.	N/A
Mar-Val Georgetown: 530-333-2245	Designated shopping hours for seniors.	Every Tuesday/Thursday 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Nugget Market EDH: 916-933-1433	Designated shopping hours for guests ages 65 and older and those guests who are at-risk due to health conditions.	Every Tuesday/Thursday 6:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Placerville Food CO-OP PV: 530-621-3663	Designated shopping hours for guests ages 65 and older, pregnant women and at risk populations. Curbside pickup for \$5 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call in 9am-12pm, pick up 1pm-5pm or send an email to pfccurbside@gmail.com	Every Day 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Raley's EDH: 916-933-0518 PV: 530-622-6800 SLT: 530-541-5160 Emerald Bay Rd. SLT: 530-544-3417 Lake Tahoe Blvd.	Offering "Senior Essentials" bags. Store workers will assemble a combination of dry goods and fresh goods in one bag for either \$20 or \$35. Available for curbside or in-store pickup. 65 years or older. Curbside Pick Up for Prescriptions: Reserved for seniors and at risk populations.	All Day
Safeway EDH: 916-939-9456 CP: 530-676-6930 PV: 530-295-2972 PP: 530-647-7440 SLT: 530-542-7740 Stateline, NV: 775-586-8387	Designated shopping hours for seniors and those guests who are at risk due to health conditions.	Every Tuesday/Thursday 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. <i>South Lake Tahoe and Stateline, NV Stores:</i> Every Tuesday/Thursday 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Save Mart PV: 530-622-1291 Broadway PV: 530-626-7530 Missouri Flat Rd.	Designated shopping hours for guests ages 60 and older and those guests who are at-risk due to health conditions.	Every Tuesday/Thursday 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Target EDH: 916-605-0184	Reserving the first hour of shopping for vulnerable guests, including those over 65 years old, pregnant women or those vulnerable or at-risk.	Every Tuesday/Wednesday 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Walmart PV: 530-621-2917	Designated shopping event for guests ages 60 and older. Starts one hour before the store opens. Pharmacies and Vision Centers will also be open during this time.	Tuesday's 6:00 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.

These stores are offering special services and designated days/hours for seniors and vulnerable populations.

Please note: Store hours and services are subject to change at any time.

For the latest go here:

<https://www.edcgov.us/Government/hhsa/Pages/EDCCOVID-19-Older-Adults.aspx>

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Be a Good Neighbor – But Keep Your Distance



As you safely reach out to your neighbors to see how they are doing during the COVID-19 pandemic, have you asked them if they may need a little extra help with creating #DefensibleSpace around their home or property? Perhaps they are experiencing physical, medical or financial limitations right now. It's going to take neighbors and neighborhoods working together...but apart...to be ready for wildfire.

Learn more about El Dorado County, CA - Government Vegetation Management & Defensible Space Ordinance: <https://www.edcgov.us/Government/CAO/VegetationManagement>

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POSTPONED
Greenstone Road Closure

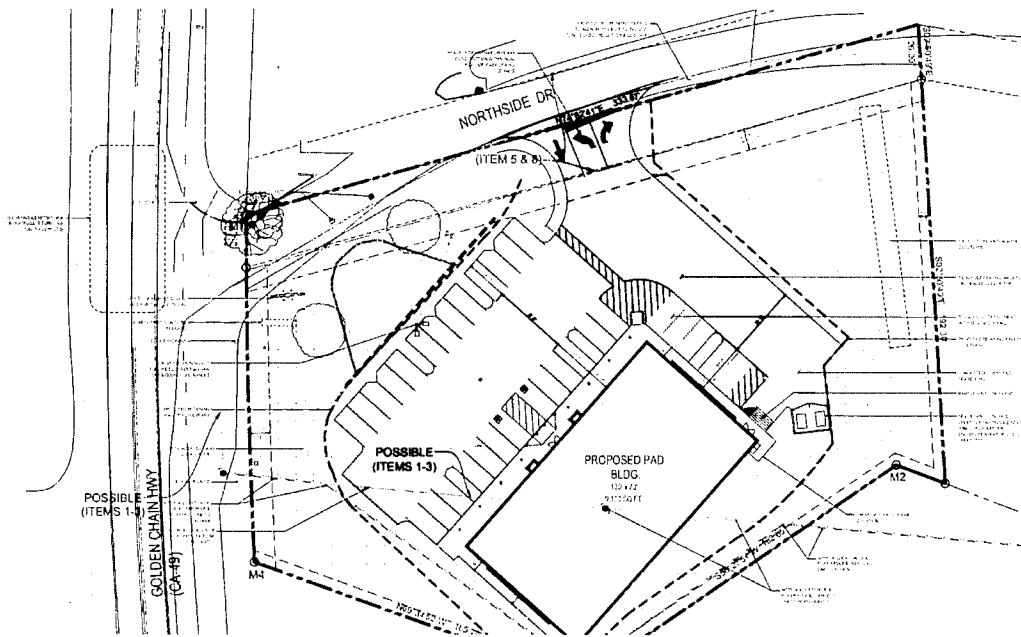


GREENSTONE RD AT SLATE CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT ROAD CLOSURE Davidson Rd. to Quail Valley Rd.

(PLACERVILLE, CA) – El Dorado County Department of Transportation announces that the full closure of Greenstone Road has been postponed. The full closure of Greenstone Road between Davidson Road and Quail Valley Road is necessary in order to safely remove and reconstruct the bridge at Slate Creek as well as to realign the roadway approaches. The planned closure was scheduled to occur between April 20, 2020 and September 16, 2020. There is an active bird nest under the existing bridge that is protected by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C.703 et seq.), so the County's Contractor must wait to remove the bridge until the nest is no longer active. Greenstone Road will remain open until such time work can resume at the bridge site. Changeable message signs placed on Greenstone Road will be used to update motorists of the road closure. The County sincerely appreciates the cooperation and patience of motorists that use this roadway and we apologize for any inconvenience as a result of this project. For questions regarding this construction, please contact the County at (530) 642-4977.

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**Dollar General Retail
5/28/20 Public Hearing**



The County of El Dorado Planning Commission will hold a public hearing in the Planning Commission Hearing Room, 2850 Fairlane Court, Placerville, CA 95667 on **May 28, 2020, at 8:30 a.m.**, to consider the following: **Design Review DR19-0006/Cool General Retail** submitted by WOODCREST REV, STEVE POWELL for the proposed construction and operation of a 9,100 square foot commercial retail building and associated driveway, parking lot, utilities, signage, and landscaping improvements. The property, identified by Assessor's Parcel Number 071-500-037, consisting of 1.69 acres, is located on the east side of California State Highway 49, south of the intersection with Northside Drive, in the Cool Rural Center, Supervisorial District 4. (County Planner: Evan Mattes, 530-621-5994) (Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared)* The draft mitigated negative declaration for DR19-0006 addresses environmental issues including Aesthetic/Visual, Agricultural Land, Air Quality, Archeological/Historical, Biological Resources, Drainage/Absorption, Forest Land/Fire Hazard, Geologic/Seismic, Minerals, Noise, Population/Housing Balance, Public Services/Facilities, Recreation/Parks, Schools/Universities, Septic Systems, Sewer Capacity, Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading, Solid Waste, Toxic/Hazardous, Traffic/Circulation, Vegetation, Water Quality, Water Supply/Groundwater, Wetland/Riparian, Growth Inducement, Land Use, Cumulative Effects, and Wildfire, Energy. No hazardous waste sites are located within the vicinity of the project. Mitigation has been identified which would reduce potentially significant impacts to a level of insignificance.

Agenda and Staff Reports are available prior at <https://eldorado.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>

All persons interested are invited to write their comments to the Planning Commission in advance of the hearing. In light of COVID-19, all persons may be required to observe and participate in the hearing remotely as in-person attendance may be restricted depending on the current COVID-19 recommendations as the hearing date approaches. For the current remote options, including whether in-person attendance is allowed or a potential change in hearing location if in-person attendance resumes, please check the meeting Agenda no less than 72 hours before the meeting, which will be

posted at <https://eldorado.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>. If you challenge the application in court, you may be limited to raising only those items you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing. Any written correspondence should be directed to the County of El Dorado Planning and Building Department, [2850 Fairlane Court, Placerville, CA 95667](#) or via e-mail: planning@edcgov.us.

*This is a notice of intent to adopt the negative declaration or mitigated negative declaration that has been prepared for this project and which may be reviewed and/or obtained in the County of El Dorado Planning and Building Department, [2850 Fairlane Court, Placerville, CA 95667](#), during normal business hours or online at <https://edcgov.trakit.net/eTRAKIT/Search/project.aspx> by typing the first word of the project name in the search box. A negative declaration or mitigated negative declaration is a document filed to satisfy CEQA (California Environmental Quality Act). This document states that there are no significant environmental effects resulting from the project, or that conditions have been proposed which would mitigate or reduce potential negative effects to an insignificant level. The public review period for the negative declaration or mitigated negative declaration set forth in CEQA for this project is thirty days, beginning April 28, 2020, and ending May 27, 2020.

To ensure delivery to the Commission prior to the hearing, written information from the public is encouraged to be submitted by Thursday the week prior to the meeting. Planning Services cannot guarantee that any FAX or mail received the day of the Commission meeting will be delivered to the Commission prior to any action.

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A List of Relief Funds for Restaurants, Bars, and Food Service Workers



A LIST OF RELIEF FUNDS FOR RESTAURANTS, BARS, AND FOOD SERVICE WORKERS

HELP FOR RESTAURANTS

Dining Bond Initiative

Like government-issued war bonds, the Dining Bond Initiative seeks to bring in immediate cash in exchange for future restaurant purchases. Diners can buy gift certificates sold at a 25 percent discount (\$100 worth of food for a \$75 bond) to be redeemed in the restaurant within the next month or two, depending on how individual restaurants decide to honor the bonds. The program is open to all restaurants.

James Beard Foundation Food and Beverage Industry Relief Fund

The JBF Food and Beverage Relief Fund is gathering donations from everyday diners as well as corporate donors to distribute micro-grants to independent businesses.

Southern Smoke Foundation

Houston chef Chris Shepherd's [Southern Smoke Foundation](#) is accepting donations from well-wishers and applications for funds from restaurants and restaurant employees.

Give Local and Local for Later

Give Local and Local for Later are aggregating lists of restaurants promoting gift card sales while their doors are closed. Many restaurants are banking on gift cards to help defer costs until the pandemic subsides.

RESTAURANT STRONG FUND

Samuel Adams and The Greg Hill Strong Fund to 20 total states to aid the restaurant workers impacted by the COVID-19 closures. Following the success of the Massachusetts launch in mid-March, Samuel Adams is donating over \$2,000,000 to kickstart funding in Arizona, California, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Massachusetts, Maine, Michigan, North Carolina, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Vermont.

CORE (CHILDREN OF RESTAURANT EMPLOYEES)

dedicated to serving food and beverage service employees with children, who are faced with a health crisis or a natural disaster and require support and in need of our help. As the world faces the biggest pandemic in our lifetime, we want to continue to honor our mission by providing support to food and beverage service employees, with children, who have been medically diagnosed with COVID-19. Documentation is required. If you are diagnosed with COVID-19.

HELP FOR RESTAURANTS AND DELIVERY WORKERS

Restaurant Workers' Community Foundation

The RWCF, which works [across a number of labor issues](#) in the restaurant industry, launched the RWCF COVID-19 Emergency Relief Fund. The fund collects donations to provide relief to individual workers affected by the coronavirus and to create zero-interest loans to businesses.

ROC Disaster Relief Fund

The nonprofit Restaurant Opportunities Centers (ROC) United has set a target of \$500,000 for its emergency relief fund, which seeks to help documented and undocumented restaurant workers who lose their jobs during the pandemic.

Another Round, Another Rally

ARAR usually offers scholarships and grants to support underrepresented groups in the hospitality industry, and the nonprofit is currently collecting funds for all types of workers affected by COVID-19. The group is distributing \$500 grants to those who have lost jobs or hours because of the pandemic.

Spill The Dish

Spill The Dish offers a database of financial aid that combines donor funds with resources from government agencies and non-profits. It allows users to search by state, and breaks down results for restaurant workers, business owners, and individual donors. Users can also add new donation programs to the database.

The Seasoned Relief Project

Hospitality job search platform Seasoned began tipping workers \$100 each for sharing their stories about how COVID-19 has affected them. The company has expanded their fundraising goal to \$1,000,000 to continue paying workers and is looking to partner with other relief funds to help distribute money.

HELP FOR BARS AND BARTENDERS**USBG Bartender Emergency Assistance Program**

The United States Bartenders Guild is helping bartenders affected by the virus through its emergency assistance program. The guild is getting help from Jameson Irish Whiskey, which has pledged \$500,000 toward the effort. SipScience, an analytics company focused on the hospitality industry, has also launched a [GoFundMe](#) to raise \$100,000 for the USBG National Charity Foundation.

[USBG Application](#)

LOCAL FUNDS**Restaurants Care**

Restaurants Care is an established emergency assistance fund for California restaurant workers.

Thank you to our Chamber Champions...

Note: All sites have links!
Sources: Eater.com, the Mountain Democrat
If you have any information about other groups collecting donations, please reach out or leave us a tip

Dining Bond Initiative: <https://supportrestaurants.org/>
James Beard Foundation Food and Beverage Industry Relief Fund: <https://www.jamesbeard.org/relief>
Southern Smoke Foundation: <https://southernsmoke.org/support/>
Give Local and Local for Later: <https://givelocal.co/>

RESTAURANT STRONG FUND : <https://www.restaurantstrong.org/apply-for-grant/index.html>

CORE (CHILDREN OF RESTAURANT EMPLOYEES):

<https://coregives.typeform.com/to/SnZmOQ>

Restaurant Workers' Community Foundation: <https://www.restaurantworkerscf.org/>

ROC Disaster Relief Fund: <https://rocunited.org/relief/>

Another Round, Another Rally: <https://anotherroundanotherally.org/>

Spill The Dish: https://www.spillthedish.com/covid_search.php

The Seasoned Relief Project: <https://www.shareyourstory.work/donate>

USBG Bartender Emergency Assistance Program: <https://usbgfoundation.networkforgood.com/>

USBG Application: <https://www.usbgfoundation.org/beap>

Restaurants Care : <https://restaurantscare.org/>

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Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:36 AM

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EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:38 AM

To: Barbara Rogers <bdriskellrogers@hotmail.com>

Hi Barbara,

The meeting ID for today is 956 7484 8883. You can go to zoom.com and then click on join meeting. You can listen to audio through the computer or you can call in to listen at 530.621.7603.

Thank you. Appropriate public comment provided for upcoming agenda items will be added to the corresponding file.

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Re: COVID-19 Special Mtg 4/28, Store Hours for At Risk, Relief Funds for Restaurants/Bars and Workers, Vegetation M...

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4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Re-opening ElDorado County



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Re-opening ElDorado County

1 message

jeff parkhurst <intel_guy_2000@yahoo.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:20 AM

Just wanted to state that I am very happy you are taking up the discussion of moving El Dorado county to Phase 2 and considering requesting the governor to allow us to do so. I strongly support this effort. Thanks for your consideration...

Jeff Parkhurst
Cool, Ca

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Reopening



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Reopening

1 message

Sally Dyck <dyck.sally@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:25 AM

My husband and I are in support of reopening El Dorado county. with zero cases in the North county area it seems prudent that we allow people to get back to work. Thank you for considering our thoughts.



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2

1 message

Dave Robertson <drlcsw@yahoo.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:14 AM

Please ask our governor to allow us to relax restrictions - continuing safe practices- so our economy can pick up. Thank you

Dave Robertson

Pilot Hill

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Agenda Item #1 for Today's Board of Supervisor's Meetign

1 message

Drew Buell <drew@coolchurch.org>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:15 AM

I am writing on behalf of the people of Cool Community Church, a church of 300 located in Cool, CA. We strongly urge the board of supervisors to request the governor to allow our county to proceed directly to Phase 2 of the Reopening process. We have remained quiet, compliant, and submissive throughout the duration of this "Stay at Home" Order, but we do strongly feel that our religious liberties have been grievously infringed upon and are requesting that the board of supervisors do everything in its power to provide relief from the current "Stay at Home" Order.

Sincerely,

Drew Buell
www.coolchurch.org
Cool Community Church App

4/28/2020

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EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

(no subject)

1 message

Kathy Rounseville <kathyr86@att.net>
To: "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:16 AM

To Whom it May Concern,
We are in favor of terminating our county lockdown and opening up the economy to normal. Sam and Kathy Rounseville

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Yes !! To ending shelter in place .



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Yes !! To ending shelter in place .

1 message

Kim Robertson <kimrlcsw@yahoo.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:19 AM

Elected officials,

I completely support ending this shelter in place . The worse is over . I'm actually going to get the antibody test this week . Our county was affected so much earlier starting in the fall before there was testing .

Please release us !

Kim Robertson

Sent from my iPhone

4/28/2020

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EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

(no subject)

1 message

donna cantrell <tnmamadonna@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:09 AM

Sincerely hoping we can proceed with the opening of our area. Especially Church services. Thank you.

4/28/2020

Edcgov.us Mail - Phase 2



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Phase 2

1 message

Amy Buell <5coolbuells@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 9:05 AM

Please allow El Dorado County to proceed into Phase 2 of lockdown. The number of active cases in our county is so low and the economy needs to be rebuilt again. I fully support Don Ashton and his proposal.

Sincerely,
Amy Buell

Sent from my iPhone



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Support for Agenda Item #1 EDC BOS 04-28-20

1 message

Todd White <toddwhite2006@hotmail.com>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 9:32 PM

To: Brian Veerkamp <bosthree@edcgov.us>, "edc.cob@edcgov.us" <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Cc: TERRY L GHERARDI <liberty_x@sbcglobal.net>, Douglas Williams <cedarpinesresort@hotmail.com>

Good evening Chairman Veerkamp & Board Clerk,

I hope you are doing well!

Attached is a letter of support for Item #1 on tomorrow's (04/28) EDC BOS agenda. Our Party is in support of your proposed letter to Governor Newsom in regards to re-opening the local economy. We are also in support of the proposed guidelines.

Our Party's Executive Director Terry Gherardi & our Business Owner Representative Douglas Williams is included on this e-mail.

Please distribute this letter to all of the members of your Board.

Thank you,

Todd White
(530) 417-0807



Support for Agenda Item # 1 04-28-20.pdf

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April 27th, 2020

El Dorado County Board of Supervisors
330 Fair Lane
Placerville, CA 95667

Dear Chairman Veerkamp & Board Clerk,

Thank you for continued work in and with the community. It continues to be appreciated. Our Party is in complete support of your proposed letter to Governor Newsom to re-open the local economy. We also applaud the hard work that you have put into the guidelines for re-opening local businesses and organizations. It goes into the detail necessary in order for local businessmen and businesswomen to re-open and allow their employees to get back to work. People are suffering economically and we are glad you have noticed this and taken it to heart.

Our Party is ready, willing, and able to help support the economy to re-open and to help people remain healthy. Since the local economic shutdown, our Party's members have been busy delivering food, face masks, making phone calls to vulnerable populations, and doing our best to support our local restaurants and businesses financially. Please do not hesitate to reach out to us, should you need further input and/or assistance.

Sincerely,

Todd White
Chairman, EDC Republican Party
P.O. Box 1656
Shingle Springs, CA 95682
(530) 417-0807
toddwhite2006@hotmail.com



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

letter re: ending shelter in place

1 message

Lorraine King <lorraine.king@sbcglobal.net>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 10:00 PM

To: John Hidahl <bosone@edcgov.us>, Clerk of the Board EDC <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Supervisor Hidahl:

I have learned that the EDC Board of Supervisors will be holding a Special BOS meeting tomorrow 4/28 at 1pm to discuss and vote on sending a letter to Governor Newsom allowing EDC to move forward to phase 2 and reopen non-essential businesses. I urge the Board to use caution in moving forward for El Dorado County. While we are quite fortunate in not having had many cases of COVID 19, we also don't know the real story as we have had so little testing done.

We need to be sure that we follow the recommendations of the scientific and medical professionals and not act based on hunches. We are part of the greater Sacramento area and need to base our decisions on a regional basis as we are so interconnected.

We are not protected or less vulnerable simply because we live in a rural county.

Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lorraine King

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Lorraine King

(916) 220-2872

Lorraine.king@sbcglobal.net



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Reopen El Dorado County

1 message

Lori Lindsley <lori.lindsley@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 4:58 PM

Dear Sirs, counties all over N. CA are requesting the Governor allow them to reopen. I am requesting that El Dorado County does the same.

The curve is more than flattened in EDC, our citizen's other health needs are suffering, and decade's old businesses are about to go under.

As a populace, we can handle wearing masks responsibly, and we can reduce the number going into stores. There is no reason to drag this out.

Personally, we are near the end of our funds. We don't want charity. We want to work. Please stop this insanity.

Respectfully,
Lori Lindsley



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Wine Industry Comment on Agenda Item: 20-0617 Version: 1

1 message

lexi boeger <lexiboeger@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 4:31 PM

Agenda item: 20-0617 Version: 1
Meeting date: 4-28-20
Please read to attendees if possible.

Dear Board of Supervisors,

My name is Lexi Boeger and I am the president of the El Dorado Winery Association. Regarding easing COVID19 restrictions for business in El Dorado County I have the following concerns, especially as a large tourism generating industry. We are all well aware that our county has not been hit very hard by the virus and that's a great thing, but it should not give us a false sense of security. We have not been hit hard because of state wide shelter-in-place controls. If you allow us to open up our tourism areas (such as Apple Hill, the wine region, South Lake Tahoe and Main Street) it is going to become an attraction for visitors in virus-hit communities desperately looking to get out of the house and go do something. This will bring the virus to our door. Moreover- it's not just the county or city that is going to look irresponsible- the bad PR will fall directly on the heads of our industries. Our valued customers, who are reasonable people doing their best to support social responsibility, are going to see the El Dorado Wine Region as ignorant and selfish. The bulk of our visitors come from the Bay Area and Reno- two areas we know have a higher incidence of cases.

I can't tell you how difficult it has been for the EDWA board to take a very strong leadership stance and ask our wineries to adhere to the strictest of interpretations of the state recommendations. We want desperately for our small or struggling wineries to survive this. The fact is that if you ease restrictions many of our wineries will not be able to resist opening, and no one can blame them. This is going to create tension between wineries as well as with the local community who will see us as purposefully attracting non-local traffic for financial gains while endangering all. Making a premature decision to open up to the public will only give short-term financial relief while contributing to a drastic extension of the virus's lifespan.

If it were possible to have county business be open safely **ONLY TO LOCAL CUSTOMERS**, that would of course be ideal. However, the logistics necessary to stop the influx of traffic would be impossible to pull off. And putting some kind of ID check in the laps of businesses wouldn't be effective either, because no business is going to turn down a customer who already made the trip up and the damage is already done in terms of exposure. Instead, I urge you to make the harder decision of conceding to the higher authorities and their western states plan.

I don't envy your position and I deeply appreciate the hard work you all do. Leadership is not about making the easy decisions- but the hard ones.

Thank you for listening,
Best,
Lexi

Lexi Boeger
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Placerville, CA 95667

phone: 530-622-8094
fax: 530-622-8112

4/27/2020

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lexi@boegerwinery.com



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

4-28-20 Special Board meeting - re: Covid 19 Phase 2 reopening

1 message

Frank Porter <fspsm520@gmail.com>
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us


Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 4:33 PM

Good afternoon,

Please include the attached letter with the agenda file for tomorrow's (4/28/20, 1pm) EDC BOS special meeting.

Thank you,
Frank

Frank Porter
Vice-Chair, Campaign Services & Candidate Development
Acting Chair (during Josh Elder's military deployment)
El Dorado County Democratic Party
Mobile: 916-380-9352 www.edcdems.org

 **4-27-20 BOS letter - COVID 19 reopening.pdf**
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EL DORADO COUNTY DEMOCRATS

April 27, 2020

El Dorado County Board of Supervisors

Cc: Board Clerk: edc.cob@edcgov.us

Re: Special Board meeting, April 28, 2020, re: COVID 19 Phased Re-opening

Dear Board Chair Veercamp and Members of the EDC Board of Supervisors:

I learned today that the EDC Board of Supervisors will have a Special Meeting tomorrow at 1pm to discuss and vote on sending a letter to Governor Newsom allowing EDC to move forward to a phase 2 reopening of non-essential businesses.

El Dorado County is testing about 50 people per day for COVID 19. The good news is that the State of California will soon provide two (2) new testing sites in recognition of our county's need to significantly boost testing capacity. That's a positive development for all El Dorado County residents and businesses.

However, I'm deeply concerned that the County Board of Supervisors would consider any kind of reopening of non-essential businesses when in El Dorado County less than 1% of the county residents have been tested. When we get these two additional testing sites up and operational in the next few days, we'll start to see an increase in testing beyond 50 per day. Right now, you have extremely limited test results upon which to make any informed decisions. Further, a significant early re-opening of county non-essential businesses, especially restaurants and bars, would likely result in a surge of visitors from outside of El Dorado County, thereby increasing the likelihood that El Dorado County becomes the next COVID 19 hotspot. The photos of the mismanaged re-opening of beaches in Orange County this past weekend should serve as a precautionary sign of the consequences of pre-mature re-opening of non-essential business/services.

As I understand, South Lake Tahoe does not want to pursue a phase 2 re-opening at this time due to uncertainty in their local hospital capacity. On the west slope, I understand that Marshall Hospital is supposedly supportive if the county decides to pursue phase 2 reopening, mainly because Marshall anticipates that the Arco Arena temporary hospital will be available to handle the surge capacity. However, if Marshall's projections are based on continuing the current 'shelter in place' / non-essential business guidelines, then re-opening soon will undermine those surge hospital capacity projections.

While we're all eager to see all El Dorado County businesses reopen and return to some sense of normalcy, I urge prudent caution in taking premature action to ease up on the current "Stay at home" guidance and restrictions on non-essential businesses.

Sincerely,

Frank Porter, Chair (Acting)
El Dorado County Democratic Party



EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

The vote to open El Dorado County - decision and letter to the Governor

1 message

Jill Blue Keith <jill@jillbluekeith.com>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 4:13 PM

To: edc.cob@edcgov.us, roconnell@cityofplacerville.org

To: Board of Supervisors and City of Placerville

It is my wish for the Board to postpone this vote for a few weeks. My reasoning is:

1. Two new testing facilities will be opening in El Dorado County giving increased test results that will include individuals without symptoms.
2. From listening to the Governor today it sounds like rural areas will start opening up in a matter of weeks.
3. People from other locations, that have increased virus numbers, will be driving up here, spreading the virus.
4. Most people would rather be cautious when opening our county versus opening early.
5. California has a larger source of information and scientists than El Dorado County, it would be prudent to work with the State on the opening of business.
6. Why take the chance to stress the health system if you don't need to.

I'm still wondering why the rush, why can't we work with the State.

Thanks for listening,
Jill Keith

With appreciation,

Jill Blue Keith
408-394-8867 (call or text)
jill@jillbluekeith.com