Attention Hodgeman County Residents

To best protect our community from COVID 19 here are some recommendations:

The best way to prevent illness is to avoid spreading the virus and to avoid being exposed to the virus. The virus is thought to spread between people who are within 6 feet of each other for at least 10 minutes through droplets from coughing and sneezing.

To reduce risk, everyone should:

- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Stay home if you are sick.
- Cover coughs and sneezes.
- Clean and disinfect surfaces daily.

Symptoms of Coronavirus are:

- Cough
- Fever of 100.0 or higher
- Shortness of breath

KDHE is mandating a 14-day home quarantine for Kansans who have:

- Traveled to California, Florida, New York and Washington State on or after March 15.
- Visited Eagle, Summit, Pitkin and Gunnison counties in Colorado in the week prior to March 15 or after.
- Traveled on a cruise ship or river cruise on or after March 15.
- Traveled Internationally on or after March 15.

How to Home Quarantine:

Those who are under home quarantine should not attend school, work or any other setting where they are not able to maintain at about 6-foot distance from other people.

If a person under quarantine develops symptoms of COVID-19 during their 14-day quarantine period, including a measured fever of 100.0 (F) of higher and lower respiratory symptoms like coughing or shortness of breath, they should contact their healthcare provider and tell them about their recent travel or other COVID-19 exposure.

Please if you are having symptoms call the Hodgeman County Health Department @ 357-8736, as we will be screening by questionnaire.

The Hodgman County Courthouse is closed to the public, if you have business with any of the offices in the courthouse please contact that office to conduct your business over the phone or to schedule an appointment time. If you have business with District Court please call them to handle your business.
Jetmore Food Center would like to reach out to expand their services. To protect the most at risk in our community, they will be expanding their delivery and pick up services. There will be no extra charge for these services and include both communities in Hodgeman County. Everyone is welcome to use front door pick up to limit their exposure to the public. We would like to limit the delivery service to those that are most at risk. Jetmore deliveries will be handled throughout the day. For Hanston, they ask that you order in the morning and the deliveries will be made in the afternoon. Feel free to call 620-357-6554 or 620-357-8718 to place your order, or you can text your order to 620-623-0043, please include your name and address. If you have any questions about their services please call the Jetmore Food Center.

If you are able to support your local restaurants, call to see if they offer curbside service or delivery.

For more information about COVID-19 please visit these Websites:

Cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html or
Govstatus.egov/coronavirus  (KDHE website)

For your convenience here is a list of phone numbers for the courthouse offices:

- County Appraiser (620) 357-8366
- County Clerk & Elections (620) 357-6421
- County Dispatch & Sheriff’s Office (620) 357-8391
- County Health Department (620) 357-8736
- County Register of Deeds (620) 357-8536
- County Treasurer (620) 357-6236
- County Extension (620) 357-8321
- Economic Development (620) 357-5561
- County Attorney (620) 357-6411
- District Court Office (620) 357-6522

Jetmore City Office and City Shop is restricting public access, they are asking that all business be done by phone, online, or their drop box. If you have questions please call the City Office @ (620) 357-8344

Elk Plaza is closed to the public. This includes the gym and fitness center. We ask that only business owners access the building at this time. If you have questions please contact Michelle Walters @ (620) 623-0108