



LANE COUNTY ADMINISTRATION

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May 29, 2020

The Honorable Kate Brown, Governor
900 Court St NE, Suite 254
Salem, OR 97301-4047

Dear Governor Brown:

On behalf of Lane County and Lane County's Board of Commissioners, I am pleased to provide this documentation to demonstrate Lane County's readiness to move into Phase II COVID-19 re-opening, effective June 5, 2020.

Lane County was approved to move into Phase I on May 21, 2020, and has continued to work closely with community partners to expand testing efforts, and to promote physical distancing and hygiene. We are invested in a cautious, data-driven move through re-opening Lane County.

As of today, Lane County has 3 active cases of COVID-19 and zero hospitalizations. Lane County has a strong community collaborative approach to containing the spread of disease, with local partners meeting regularly and working hard to protect the health of the community.

- Lane County continues to work with local first responders, and can attest that they have a 30-day supply of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) on hand.
- We have sufficient staff and resources to test, trace and isolate new cases. Lane County continues to train contact tracers, with 37 individuals readily available if needed, and more than 40 additional individuals having expressed interest and in the training process.
- There are no substantive changes to the responses submitted in the Phase I application.

We are committed to the health and safety of our residents and all Oregonians; therefore we have put together a blueprint that will guide us in monitoring the spread of COVID-19 and outlines our plan to adhere to state guidance reopening. Should data and conditions indicate a need, we are prepared to re-impose physical distancing measures either county-wide or in effected areas.

We appreciate your consideration.

Sincerely,

Steve Mokrohisky
County Administrator

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