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PRESS RELEASE

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From: Hunt County Judge

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Re: 23 New Positive COVID-19 Test Results in Hunt County and One New Death

23 new positive test results for COVID-19 were reported in Hunt County on October 29, 2020. The Hunt County Health Department completed an initial investigation and determined that the individuals in question reside in Hunt County. The general information for the 23 new patients is below. Hunt County will include up-to-date hospital numbers in the daily report.

The new death was a 50-65 year-old male from Greenville 75401, who was previously reported as Case No. 1754.

The new cases are from the following areas: Greenville 75401 – 9; Greenville 75402 – 3; Quinlan 75474 – 3; Caddo Mills 75135 – 2; Lone Oak 75453 – 2; Commerce 75428 – 1; Terrell (north) 75160 – 1; Wolfe City 75496 – 1; and Celeste 75458 - 1.

Each day, the County will release and post on its website a new set of numbers and charts showing the total number of cases, including the status and ZIP Codes of those cases. The state's website includes a map which may be accessed at "dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus" by clicking on the "Texas Case Counts" link.

The State's COVID-19 fatality numbers exceed the locally-reported numbers of deaths. The State's reporting can be accessed by clicking on "Fatalities over Time by County" on www.dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus/additionaldata. As of this evening, the state shows 45 COVID-19 fatalities of Hunt County residents. This divergence is due to the way the State calculates COVID-19 deaths, which in part uses death certificate information not yet available to the County. When Hunt County releases its morning reports, it will show the number of State-reported deaths (45), the number of deaths certificates filed with the County (including non-citizen deaths) (42), and the number of County-citizen deaths that the County Health Department has been able to independently confirm (33).

It has been reported that there are a number of COVID-19 positive cases at the campuses of Texas A&M at Commerce. Information related to those case can be accessed at new.tamuc.edu/coronavirus.

New Hunt County COVID-19 Tracked Cases, as of 10:00pm October 29, 2020: “RAH” means “Recovering at Home,” “HOSP” means “Hospitalized,” “(R)” Means “Reassigned,” and “DECD” means “Deceased.”

Case	Age	M/F	ZIP Code	Status
2056	50-64	M	75401	RAH
2057	50-64	M	75401	RAH
2058	65+	F	75402	RAH
2059	50-64	M	75401	RAH
2060	0-17	F	75135	RAH
2061	18-30	M	75401	RAH
2062	50-64	F	75401	RAH
2063	31-49	M	75401	RAH
2064	31-49	F	75428	RAH
2065	65+	F	75474	HOSP
2066	50-64	F	75453	RAH
2067	50-64	M	75160	RAH

Case	Age	M/F	ZIP Code	Status
2068	50-64	F	75474	RAH
2069	50-64	F	75402	RAH
2070	31-49	F	75402	RAH
2071	31-49	F	75401	RAH
2072	50-64	M	75496	RAH
2073	50-64	F	75474	RAH
2074	18-30	F	75458	RAH
2075	0-17	F	75401	RAH
2076	31-49	F	75135	RAH
2077	18-30	F	75401	RAH
2078	65+	3	75453	HOSP