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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

From: Hunt County Judge

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Re: New Positive COVID-19 Test Result in Hunt County, and
Transfer of Deceased Patient Reporting to Rockwall County

One new positive test result for COVID-19 has been reported in Hunt County. The Hunt County Health Department completed an initial investigation and determined that the individual in question resides in Hunt County. The general information for the patient is as follows:

Tracked Case #58 – Female, aged 0-17, ZIP Code 75402, recovering at home.

Also, Tracked Case Tracked Case #56 – Male, aged 65+, ZIP Code 75474 – has passed away. However, further investigation by the County’s COVID-19 contact tracers shows that this individual had moved to a nursing home in Rockwall, where he contracted the virus and subsequently died. After consulting with the Texas Department of State Health Services, tracking for that case will be transferred to Rockwall County, and will no longer be reported as a Hunt County case. Because this case will no longer be tracked in the Hunt County, the new case referenced above (Tracked Case #58) will not increase the total number of reported positive cases in Hunt County. That number remains at 55 total cases at this time.

Each morning, 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.