

**TELLER COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH
TELLER COUNTY, COLORADO**

**Recommendation for Social Distancing in Response to the
2019 Novel Coronavirus Disease (“Covid-19”).**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Teller County, Colorado, acting as the Teller County Board of Health, issues this recommendation for social distancing in response to the 2019 Novel Coronavirus Disease (“COVID-19”).

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, Governor Jared Polis declared a disaster emergency in the State of Colorado due to the presence of COVID-19 in Colorado.

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, President Donald J. Trump declared a national state of emergency in response to COVID-19.

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. § 25-1-506(3)(b)(V), the Teller County Board of Health has the authority to investigate and control the causes of epidemic or communicable diseases and conditions affecting public health.

WHEREAS, pursuant to C.R.S. § 25-1-506(3)(b)(VII), the Teller County Board of Health has the authority to prohibit gatherings of people when necessary to protect public health.


WHEREAS, the United States Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) defines “social distancing” to mean remaining out of congregate settings, avoiding mass gatherings, and maintaining distance (approximately 6 feet or 2 meters) from others when possible.

WHEREAS, the Teller County Commissioners acting as the Board of Health hereby finds, determines and declares that this recommendation is necessary for the preservation and protection of the public health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of Teller County.

NOW THEREFORE, the Teller County Board of Health hereby recommends that the citizens of Teller County and all those visiting Teller County engage in social distancing in order to help the community limit the spread of COVID-19 and mitigate the potential harm caused by COVID-19. This recommendation shall remain in place until further notice.

Approved this 13th day of March 2020 at an emergency meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Teller County, Colorado, acting as the Teller County Board of Health held at the Tamarac Building in Woodland Park, Colorado.

TELLER COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH



Marc Dettenrieder, Chairman