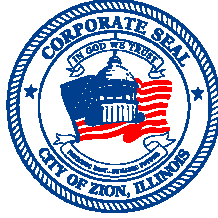


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Over the course of the last few weeks the City of Zion has maintained close contact with the Lake County Health Department in an effort to provide positive and up-to-date information to our employees and residents regarding the Coronavirus (COVID-19). On March 4, 2020 some of our staff attended a briefing presented by the Lake County Health Department to facilitate the following as it relates to the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

Staff and City Officials are closely monitoring all relevant information related to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) as it arises from various sources. Individuals can monitor this information themselves at the following sites:

- Lake County Health Department lakecountyil.gov/coronavirus
- Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/diseases-and-conditions/diseasesa-z-list/coronavirus
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) cdc.gov/covid19
- World Health Organization (WHO) who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019

Additionally, individuals can sign up for the Coronavirus Update Weekly Newsletter at <http://bit.ly/lccovid-19>. In the meantime, you can help protect yourself and stop the spread of COVID-19 by taking the following steps:

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue then throw the tissue in the trash.
- If no tissue is available, cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve or elbow, not your hands.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.
- Stay home when you are sick, except to get medical care.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.

In regards to City services, especially emergency and public health and safety services, we are developing plans to ensure that all necessary services to the public remain uninterrupted. Currently, there are no expected changes to public meetings or office hours (for example, the City Council meeting will commence at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 17, 2020). Any future changes to current operations will be reported through our website (www.cityofzion.com), the City of Zion, Illinois – City Administrator Facebook page, through available printed media outlets and posted at City Hall.

For all other community services and programs (school operations, park district, library and township), please consult their websites or other normal communication outlets for updates.

Sincerely, On behalf of the Zion City Council,

Billy McKinney
Mayor