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**UPDATED GUIDELINES**

**FEBRUARY 19, 2021- UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

To prevent or slow the spread of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), The City of Shishmaref has established the following guidelines for our residents. These guidelines were recommended by the City of Shishmaref, Native Village of Shishmaref, and Shishmaref Native Corporation.

**Travel may be permitted upon approval by the City of Shishmaref for the following: individuals with family ties to the**

**community, essential workers, medical appointments and /or emergencies and outside personnel for any community**

 **emergencies. Inter Village travel will be permitted at this time.**

**Bering Air is requiring documentation of negative results 1-3 days prior to entering the community.**

**Quarantine Requirements for Persons Permitted to Travel to Shishmaref: Persons permitted to travel to SHH shall not automatically be subject to a specific quarantine.**

**Persons who are traveling to SHH from within the Nome Census Area are not required to quarantine. Persons who have received both doses of either the Moderna or Pfizer COVID-19 vaccination and voluntarily request a COVID-19 rapid test when arriving in SHH are not required to quarantine. Continue to wear a mask in public places.**

 **Persons traveling to SHH from outside the Nome Census Area who are not Vaccinated Persons and Vaccinated Persons who do not get a COVID-19 rapid test when arriving in SHH may select one of the following quarantine options:**

**14-Day Quarantine: Travelers who do not voluntarily request testing for COVID-19 in SHH upon arrival shall be subject to a 14-day self-quarantine at their final destination in SHH.**

**7-Day Quarantine: Travelers who; 1) are tested for COVID-19 at the Nome Airport upon arrival; and 2) are tested a 2nd time for COVID-19 7 days after arrival in SHH will be released from self-quarantine at their final destination in SHH if both tests are negative.**

**All individuals should wear a mask in public.**

No large gathering of 150 people or more will be permitted in the community until further notice, excluding the Rec program,

school lunch/breakfast program. BSSD will follow their safety guidelines to ensure the school is properly sanitized.

Residents are encouraged to maintain social distancing.

Residents that have symptoms of cough and fever of 100.4 or higher must call the Shishmaref Clinic to make an appointment

to be seen.

If you have questions or need additional information please contact the City Office 649-3781.

We are asking that all residents comply with these guidelines to protect the health and safety of our community. We will

continue to provide updates as necessary.

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Mayor City Clerk