

**FIRST CONTINUATION OF RE-ISSUANCE OF RECOMMENDATION
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**RECOMMENDATION FROM the TETON DISTRICT HEALTH OFFICER
GATHER IN HOUSEHOLD GROUPS ONLY**

WHEREAS, Dr. Travis Riddell, MD serves as the Teton District Health Officer pursuant to Wyoming Statute §35-1-306(a); and

WHEREAS, the State Health Officer has issued Statewide Order #2 that limits gatherings to no more than 10 persons and based on recent events in Teton County the Teton District Health Officer is recommending that persons in Teton County should limit their gatherings to only household members; and

WHEREAS, "Household" is defined as a group of individuals who reside in the same residence; and

WHEREAS, as of January 26, 2021 the number of active cases of COVID in Teton County is 259; and

WHEREAS, as of January 25, 2021 there are 8 COVID related hospitalizations in the primary care unit and 2 COVID related hospitalizations in the intensive care unit at St. John's Health in Jackson, Wyoming. St. John's Health has only 6 Intensive Care Unit beds; and

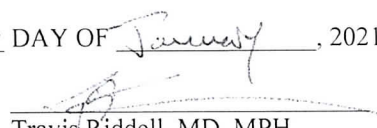
WHEREAS, as of January 23, 2021 the previous seven-day average of new cases in Teton County is 32.4; and

WHEREAS, as of January 26, 2021 the two-week rolling average of test positivity rate for Teton County is 9.17%; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RECOMMENDED, that Gatherings should be limited to household groups in order to help stop the spread of COVID. A "household group" is defined as a group of individuals who reside in the same residence. A "gathering" is any planned or spontaneous event, public or private, bringing together, or likely bringing together, people from outside a person's household group in a single room or a single confined space (whether indoor or outdoor) at the same time. For clarification, persons should continue to go to work and to school, but should not gather outside of a household groups that occur outside of work or school.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This recommendation is shall continue through February 14, 2021.

DATED THIS 27 DAY OF January, 2021.


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Teton District Health Officer