

County of Archer COVID-19 UPDATE

June 2, 2020

Archer County still has had only one positive case reported to date. Please keep in mind, someone that has been tested is not required to self-quarantine or self-isolate, even though it is advisable.

Stores and businesses continue to reopen and expand services under recommendations and guidelines set forth by Governor Abbott to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Texas has reported a 33% increase in positive cases statewide, with the number of recoveries at approximately 35%. Deaths associated with this virus have also increased statewide. With this information, please realize that we all need to continue to practice common sense methods to prevent the spread.

Archer County has reopened the doors to the courthouse and annex. Each office may have limitations on walk in traffic, so please call before you come to avoid wait times. Court proceedings started up again yesterday with entrance through the east door of the courthouse only. Each person will be screened before entering for court settings. Sanitization staff will be present for all court proceedings and daily office functions. If you are in need of handicap access, please notify me or the District or County Clerk before your court appearance date, and we will help with your entry into the building.

Local decision makers are having to make some tough calls regarding openings or continued closures. The meetings I have attended are showing local leaders are making decisions based on facts, circumstances, and Governor Abbotts Orders.

If you are feeling sick, and/or are worried that you may be having symptoms of the Corona virus infection, please call the Archer Family Clinic @ 940-574-2580 for screening, possible testing, and isolation protocol.

Thanks to all of the local leaders, local law enforcement, and first responders for their unselfish services.

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