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Hidalgo County Residents,

We, the Governing Board of Hidalgo County, are urging our residents to please follow the directives and orders of the Governor of New Mexico and the Department of Health. It is imperative that we as a County are united in fighting this pandemic. We are faced with a public health emergency that should be taken very seriously. As of today, Hidalgo County has zero confirmed cases of COVID-19. That tells us many residents are already complying with social distancing and proper hygiene; we applaud you!

We should all practice social distancing no matter the circumstances; we have to keep our loved ones, our neighbors, our front line workers, and ourselves safe. This is challenging and new to all of us; during our lifetime we haven't faced anything quite like it.

Our local businesses are suffering due to the pandemic. We encourage residents to please support these businesses during this difficult time. Most of our restaurants are offering curbside service for to-go orders, some even offer delivery. The survival and success of local businesses are dependent upon the support of our residents.

The restrictions, closures, social distancing and inconveniences imposed at this time are only temporary. Enjoy this time with those in your home. Life as we knew it will return to a normal state soon. We will get through this together Hidalgo County!

Sincerely,

Anthony Joey Mora, Chairman

John Hatch, Commissioner

Joel Edwards, Commissioner