

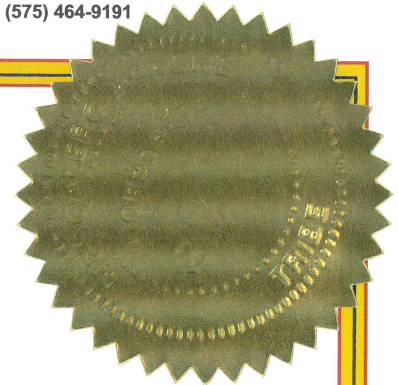


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MESCALERO APACHE TRIBE MESCALERO, NEW MEXICO EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-05

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS that pursuant to the power vested in me by the Revised Constitution of the Mescalero Apache Tribe and the Mescalero Apache Tribal Code, having declared a state of emergency on the Mescalero Apache Reservation at the request of the Mescalero Apache Tribal Council and in order to slow the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19), do **HEREBY PROCLAIM** that the following restrictions shall apply beginning Monday, May 25th at 12:00 A.M. and remain in effect until Sunday, June 7th at 11:59 P.M.:

A. STAY-AT-HOME ORDER

All individuals shall remain at home except as provided below:

1. On Tuesdays and Thursdays, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 2:00 P.M., one individual from each home may leave to purchase food and other necessities.
2. Only the affected individuals may leave in the event of an emergency (defined as a serious, unexpected, or dangerous situation requiring immediate action, including a medical condition that requires immediate treatment).
3. Individuals may tend to their own yards, gardens, pets, and livestock.
4. Individuals are not required to remain indoors but must limit movement beyond the immediate area of their residence or homesite.

5. Individuals may exercise in a way that requires one to leave the immediate area of one's residence, such as running or hiking provided that such individuals comply with the prohibition on mass gatherings and requirement that facemasks be worn established in Executive Orders 20-02 and 20-04.

B. CLOSURE ORDER

1. All business and other public establishments, including churches, shall be closed.

2. All Tribal and other governmental offices shall be closed to the public. Employees shall work from home as much as possible. Essential Tribal employees may be required to report to a location out in the field or at Tribal Administrative Offices, as a part of their duties, on an emergency basis and are exempted from this stay-at-home order for such purpose. This closure does not apply to essential healthcare facilities.

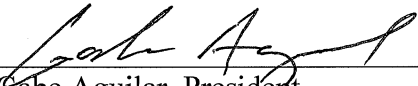
3. New Mexico County voting sites located on the Reservation may remain open and registered New Mexico voters eligible to cast a vote at these voting sites are allowed to vote without penalty.

B. EXISTING RESTRICTIONS CONTINUE

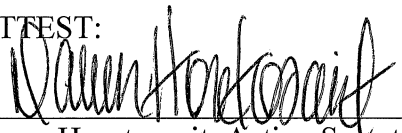
These restrictions supplement and add to those existing restrictions listed in Executive Orders 20-02 and 20-04, which shall remain in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER DECLARED that any person who shall violate any of the above restrictions may be subject to criminal penalty, pursuant to Section 10-16-10 (D) of the Tribal Code, or removal from the Reservation, in the case of non-Tribal Members; and Tribal employees or employees of Tribal enterprises may be subject to disciplinary action including and up to termination.

DONE at the Administrative Offices of the Mescalero Apache Tribe, Mescalero, New Mexico this 23rd Day of May, 2020 at 10:00 A.M.



Gabe Aguilar, President
Mescalero Apache Tribe

ATTEST:


Dawn Hosetosavit, Acting Secretary
Mescalero Apache Tribe