Community of Galena

The Leadership of Galena did meet on March 18, 2020 to discuss the COVID-19 Situation and we strongly advise all community members to comply with the following guidance.

Travel:

- All non-essential travel to or from outside the community will be restricted as of today March 19, 2020 (if you must travel you must inform the City of Galena).
- For community members returning to Galena, you must self-quarantine for at least 2 weeks, this means do not go to work, and avoid contact with the public and household members.
- We advise all entities to notify their contractors/business partners that we strongly advise against travel to Galena for the next 3 weeks.

Children:

- Keep activities as consistent and normal as possible even if your normal routine changes.
- Educate them on social distancing (6 feet separation).
- If your children are watching television (news), try to watch with them or make sure you are available to answer questions about what they have heard.
- We encourage no visiting friends or relatives.
- Encourage healthy behaviors: eating well, sleeping well, and playing outside.

Elders:

- We encourage Elders to stay home.
- Have a family member check on Elders daily.
- Make sure Elders have a good supply of food, water, medication.
- Should be no visiting or socializing.

There are things people can do to stay healthy and avoid spreading disease, such as:

- Washing our hands.
- Covering our mouths when we cough.
- Not sharing food or drinks.
- Staying home when we don’t feel well.

We know this is a very trying and stressful situation and we are committed to assist and help the community understand the importance of following the guidelines and procedures. If you have any questions concerns or suggestion please contact the City of Galena. (907-656-1301)

Nolan Aloysius – Mayor

Charlie Green – Tribal Chief