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COVID-19 Status Report Oak Park Village Board of Trustees

To: Village President and Village Board of Trustees

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The memo is a means to share a brief summary of information regarding Village of Oak Park operational activities in response to COVID-19. In most cases, formal public guidance or employee guidance has been publicly disseminated via the Village website or Village social media channels.

New Public Health Guidance

Today, the Village of Oak Park Department of Public Health received notification of the following new COVID-19 cases: 4 Oak Park residents that range in age from <20s to 60s.

Excluding individuals for which street addresses are not yet determined, the State of Illinois reports a total of two-hundred and fifty-nine (259) total Oak Park COVID-19 cases. It is important to note that as patient tracking and case follow-up occurs, individuals listed within the number of Oak Park cases reported may change depending on residency confirmation.

The under 20 case reported today is a teenager who resides with an adult family member who earlier also tested positive.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health is notified of positive tests as established by state and local public health protocol. Because of privacy laws, no additional information can be released about the individuals. It is noted, that privacy precludes location information regarding individuals tested to anyone other than Public Health Officials and First Responders.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health is working closely with officials from the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), investigating and notifying anyone who may have had exposure to the individual who tested positive for COVID-19. Local public health officials, hospitals and first responders are following protocols consistent with the latest guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Cases related to Long-Term Care and Assisted Living Facilities

Today Oak Park Public Health Director Mike Charley reported the nineteenth death of an Oak Park resident believed to be related to the COVID-19 coronavirus. The fatality was a male in his 90s who resided at Berkeley Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center and had earlier tested positive for the virus, but the final cause of death will be determined by the Cook County Medical Examiner. Director Charley expressed his sincere condolences to the resident's friends and family for their loss.

| Facility Name | # of Resident Cases | # of Resident Deaths | # of Staff Cases |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| Belmont Village of Oak Park | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Berkeley Nursing & Rehab Center | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Brookdale Oak Park | 5 | 1 | 7 |
| Oak Park Arms | 6 | 1 | 3 |
| Oasis of Oak Park | 20 | 10 | 5 |

Management Council & Council of Governments (COG)

This week, meetings of both the Management Council and COG were held as part of the continuing dialogue amongst the organizations about coordinated efforts in response to COVID-19.