



Pend Oreille County
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The Pend Oreille County Board of Commissioners on March 16, 2020 declared a state of emergency in response to the COVID-19 outbreak. For the safety of the citizens of Pend Oreille County and County employees, the Board on March 23, 2020 enacted Resolution Number 2020-13 "Restricting Public Access to County Facilities Due to COVID-19 Pandemic."

On March 23, 2020, Washington State Governor Inslee issued the "Stay Home, Stay Healthy" Proclamation 20-25.

All Pend Oreille County government offices are now closed to the public with limited in-person access by appointment. To compensate for the reduced in-person access to County services we are making as many remote access options to government services available as possible, details are shown on the attached lists.

The Board of Commissioners meetings will remain available to the public via Zoom conference or call-in.

The Board will continue to closely monitor developments both locally and nationally and adapt as necessary to implement measures that both support and protect the citizens of Pend Oreille County. Updates will be provided on the county website, www.pendoreilleco.org, as available.

The Board wishes to thank you for understanding why these emergency measures are necessary and be assured all county employees are working closely to try and implement practices that will enhance the safety of citizens of the County.



PEND OREILLE COUNTY EMERGENCY CLOSURE

For the health and safety of our community members and employees, please use drop boxes, web and telephone services where possible.

WWW.PENDOREILLECO.ORG

ASSESSOR

PO Box 5010
Newport, WA 99156
assessor@pendoreille.org

(509) 447-4312

Closed to the public. Please call or email. A drop box is located in the alleyway of the Old County Courthouse or mail in the Personal Property Renditions and Senior/Disabled renewal/applications.

AUDITOR

PO Box 5015
Newport, WA 99156

(509) 447-3185

Limited in-person services. Many services available online. Please see our website.

Elections: (509) 447-6474
Recording: (509) 447-6473
Licensing: (509) 447-6489

COMMISSIONERS

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Meetings open to the public only via Zoom meeting/telephone;
Zoom meetings: zoom.us/j/5094474119
Meeting ID: 509 447 4119; or via phone
Or Dial by your location: +1 301 715 8592 US or +1 253 215 8782 US. Meeting ID: 509 447 4119

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

PO Box 5066
Newport, WA 99156

(509) 447-4821

Closed to the public. Please call for assistance with building permits, site analysis, or other needs.

COUNSELING SERVICES

PO Box 5055
Newport, WA 99156

(509) 447-5651

Counseling services will be by telephone/tele-health only.

For after-hours Crisis Services please call 1-877-266-1818

DISTRICT COURT

PO Box 5030
Newport, WA 99156

(509) 447-4110

Please call for assistance regarding court dates or questions.

DISTRICT COURT PROBATION

PO Box 5031
Newport, WA 99156

(509) 447-3889

Please call for assistance.

<u>COUNTY CLERK</u> PO Box 5020 Newport, WA 99156	(509) 447-2435	Building will be open to the public from 1 pm-3 pm daily, as well as during any scheduled court hearings.
<u>PROSECUTOR/CORONER</u> PO Box 5070 Newport, WA 99156	(509) 447-4414	Will be available by phone from 8:00am-12:00pm and 1:00pm-4:30pm daily.
<u>PUBLIC WORKS</u> PO Box 5065 Newport, WA 99156 cjackson@pendoreille.org	(509) 447-4513	Closed to the public. District Maintenance buildings are also closed to the public.
<u>SOLID WASTE</u> Deer Valley Transfer Station	(509) 447-3054	Open Thursday-Monday 8am to 4pm. Closed Tuesday & Wednesday.
Usk Transfer Station	(509) 445-0222	Open Sunday & Tuesday only 8am to 4pm.
Ione Transfer Station	(509) 442-3051	Open Wednesday & Saturday only 8am to 4pm.
<u>SHERIFF</u> PO Box 5075 Newport, WA 99156	(509) 447-3151	All inmate visitation suspended. Lobby open for access to inmate commissary kiosk, to report crimes, and sex offender registration. Dispatch and patrol services are fully operational.
<u>TREASURER</u> PO Box 5080 Newport, WA 99156	(509) 447-3612	Closed to the public. We will still process property tax payments, county and district deposits, and excise tax documents will still be processed. A drop box is located in the alleyway of the Old County Courthouse if needed. Please call for assistance.
<u>WSU EXTENSION</u> PO Box 5045 Newport, WA 99156	(509) 447-2401	Will continue educational programs through Zoom Meetings and programs. www.extension.wsu.edu/pendoreille
<u>WEED CONTROL</u> PO Box 5085 Newport, WA 99156	(509) 447-2402	Accepting phone calls daily as staffing allows. Will offer curbside service when necessary.