

YUMA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

July 9, 2020

Special Meeting Minutes¹

On July 9, 2020 at 3:00 p.m., the Yuma County Board of Commissioners met for a special meeting as members of the local Yuma County COVID Task Force. Chairman Dean Wingfield, Commissioner Trent Bushner, Commissioner Robin Wiley, and Administrator Andrea Calhoon were present throughout the meeting with meeting members joining via teleconference. Also in attendance were various municipal and hospital officials as well as Northeast Colorado Health Department Director Trish McClain.

COVID Task Force – The group reviewed a plan submitted via the City of Yuma for The Orphanage to host public events. The plan was determined to meet all criteria outlined in the current local variance allowances, so no formal action was necessary. No concerns were expressed regarding the plan. The group additionally discussed guidance that had been published earlier in the week regarding metrics and requirements to apply to enter the “Protect Your Neighbor” phase of COVID recovery. Ms. McClain will be providing some additional input to the committee working on the plan submission. Amongst topics of discussion were concerns regarding attestations required by law enforcement. Ms. McClain will be meeting with regional law enforcement in the near future to review the requirements and answer questions and will provide feedback to the task force following those conversations. Commissioner Wiley provided updates on various fair planning topics. McClain noted that the school reopening plan developed by Jennifer Kramer of Wray Community District Hospital and local school leadership has been used as a standard throughout the region.

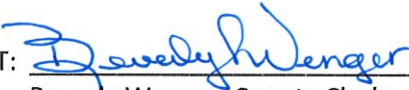
The meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m. The next COVID Task Force meeting will be set for the week of July 13, 2020 based on group availability.



Dean Wingfield, Chairman



Andrea Calhoon, Administrator

ATTEST: 

Beverly Wenger, County Clerk



¹ Minutes prepared by Andrea Calhoon are a summary of discussions, not a verbatim account.

