Benton County Elected Officials

Board Of County Commissioners
- Jim Beaver
- Jerome Delvin
- Shon Small

Assessor – Bill Spencer
Auditor – Brenda Chilton
Clerk – Josie Delvin
Coroner – Bill Leach
Prosecuting Attorney – Andy Miller
Sheriff – Jerry Hatcher
Treasurer – Kenneth Spencer

Local Public Health Officials
- Jason Zaccaria, Administrator
- Amy Person, Health Officer

620 Market Street
Prosser, WA 99350
509-786-5600
Franklin County Elected Officials

Board Of County Commissioners
• Clint Didier
• Robert Koch
• Brad Peck

Assessor – Peter McEnderfer
Auditor – Matt Beaton
Clerk – Mike Killian
Coroner – Curtis McGary
Prosecuting Attorney – Shawn Sant
Sheriff – Jim Raymond
Treasurer – Josie Koelzer

Local Public Health Officials
• Jason Zaccaria, Administrator
• Amy Person, Health Officer

1016 N 4th Avenue
Pasco, WA 99301
509-545-3535
Klickitat County Elected Officials

Board Of County Commissioners

- Rex Johnston
- David Sauter
- Jim Sizemore

Assessor – Crista Schroder
Auditor – Brenda Sorensen
Clerk – Renea Campbell
Prosecuting Attorney / Coroner – David Quesnell
Sheriff – Bob Songer
Treasurer – Greg Gallagher

Local Public Health Officials

- David Kavanagh, Director
- Amy Person, Health Officer

205 S. Columbus
Goldendale, WA 98620
509-773-4612
Skamania County Elected Officials

Board Of County Commissioners
• Bob Hamlin
• Tom Lannen
• Richard Mahar

Assessor – Gabe Spencer
Auditor – Robert Waymire
Clerk – Grace Cross
Prosecuting Attorney / Coroner – Adam Kick
Sheriff – Dave Brown
Treasurer – Vickie Clelland

Local Public Health Officials
• Kirby Richards, Director
• Alan Melnick, Health Officer

240 NW Vancouver
Stevenson, WA 98648
509-427-3700
Yakima County Elected Officials

Board Of County Commissioners
- Ron Anderson
- Vicki Baker
- Norm Childress

Assessor – Dave Cook
Auditor – Charles Ross
Clerk – Tracey Slagle
Coroner – Jim Curtice
Prosecuting Attorney – Joe Brusic
Sheriff – Robert Udell
Treasurer – Ilene Thomson

Local Public Health Officials
- Andre Fresco, Administrator
- Teresa Everson, Health Officer

128 N 2nd Street
Yakima, WA 98901
509-574-1500
Benton County solid waste has cancelled all household hazardous waste collections events until further notice. Offices are currently closed until May 5th unless otherwise extended.

Franklin County planning and building has closed to the public. Operating hours are limited to 8AM to noon, Monday through Friday. They are continuing to process existing applications and are accepting new building permit and land use applications that do not require public hearings or meetings. All other applications are not being accepted at this time. Inspections that are not compliant with essential work under the Governor’s Proclamation are not being conducted.

Yakima County solid waste is limiting the number of self-haulers and accepting only essential waste. Yard waste is not be accepted at this time.

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Benton: Some bids have been pushed out a bit and there are concerns that if work goes too late it will conflict with the end of summer harvest. It will be essential to get public works up and running as soon as possible.
Local Public Health Response

Jason Zaccaria – Administrator
Benton-Franklin Health District
JANUARY - MARCH

Awareness but limited preparedness

Readying public health response

Monitoring of travelers

Coordinating with public health system
MARCH - PRESENT

- Case Investigation
- Isolation and Quarantine
- Community Measures
- Local Agency Coordination
- Communication and Messaging
CHALLENGES AND LOOKING AHEAD

- Reducing restrictions and Phase 2
- Planning for second wave
- Workforce
- FPHS: On-going infrastructure needs
Impact on County Functions

How Has Responding To The Covid-19 Pandemic Affected County Functions?

• Essential needs – i.e. housing/homelessness, solid waste, broadband, transportation, food scarcity, etc.
• Public Safety
• Budget and Finances
Anticipated Needs Moving Forward

- What are key matters needing attention at the county level in order to dial activities back up?
- What problems do you anticipate as we move into our “new normal?”
- What impacts do you foresee on your county budget, staffing, services, etc.?
- How can counties help restart the economy? What do you need in order to assist?
- What scares you right now and looking ahead?
Questions?
THANK YOU

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