



Chanute

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Neighbors and visitors to Chanute,

There is no denying that the COVID-19 pandemic has made its way to our community. Businesses have temporarily or even permanently closed, activities and get togethers have been postponed and much uncertainty still surrounds us. The overall health and well being of our neighbors and success of our local businesses are top priorities of the Chanute City Commission.

Therefore, the Chanute City Commission strongly suggests individuals living in and visiting Chanute to adhere to the following recommendations:

- Avoid unnecessary events where people from multiple households gather
- When out and about in the community, practice social distancing (staying at least 6 feet away from others who are not from the same household as you)
- Wear a face covering
- Practice hand hygiene (washing hands with soap and water for at least 30 seconds along with the use of hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol)
- Avoid unnecessary travel outside of the community

The Chanute City Commission is making this recommendation in response to comments and suggestions from local, state and federal health officials. Adhering to the practices recommended above might not fully stop the spread of COVID-19 in our community but it seems to be a good start. We are in this together.

For additional information on what local, state and national agencies suggest, helpful resources include:

- Neosho County Health Department
<https://neoshocountyks.org/index.php/health-department>
- Kansas Department of Health and Environment
<https://www.coronavirus.kdheks.gov>
- Center for Disease Control and Prevention
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

The Chanute City Commission thanks you for taking care of yourself and your neighbors.

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