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Your daily update includes the following…

1. Buchanan County, per health department data, recorded 3 new positives in the last 24 hours for a current total of 63 confirmed and 5 probable cases of COVID-19.
2. A total of 614 employees were tested at Triumph Foods yesterday.
3. Mosaic's latest daily testing update (updated approximately 9am daily) per their website indicates… 1,650 tests conducted, 107 pending, 54 positives (all outpatient) and 1,489 negatives. Six new positives were recorded over the past 24 hours at Mosaic. It is relevant to note that the increase in testing and pending numbers is due, in part, to surgical screenings for selective surgeries waiting to be done. Mosaic's emergency department has been busy.
4. In case you did not see this CNN article posted earlier this afternoon that indicates the president is expected to sign an executive order under the Defense Production Act to compel meat processing plants to stay open amid the coronavirus pandemic. Read the article by clicking on this link. https://www.cnn.com/2020/04/28/politics/defense-production-act-executive-order-food-supply/index.html
5. We posted on social media earlier today that should anyone wish to make a comment on the status of the Declaration and Order prior to the work session on Thursday, they could do so by emailing covid19@stjoemo.org. All comments received by 8am on Thursday will be forwarded to council prior to the work session. As of now, 35 new emails have been submitted.
6. Thanks for the feedback on the plan to reopen the city. Bryan is working on incorporating your comments for further review at the work session on Thursday.

As always, let me know if you have any questions. Thanks!

Mary