



***Eddie Treviño, Jr.***  
***County Judge***

**For Immediate Release**

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Cameron County Judge

**CAMERON COUNTY EMPLOYEES TEST POSITIVE FOR COVID-19**

Today, July 17, 2020, the Office of Cameron County Judge Eddie Treviño, Jr., has been notified that one (1) employee from the County Clerk's Office, one (1) employee from the Adult Probation Department, three (3) employees from the Public Works Precinct 3 Office, one (1) employee from the Public Works Precinct 1 Office, one (1) employee from the County Court at Law No. 5, three (3) employees from the Juvenile Probation Department, twenty-two (22) employees from the Sheriff's Office, and six (6) employees from the Tax Assessor-Collector's Office have tested positive for COVID-19. Due to privacy laws, Cameron County will not release specific employee information.

The Public Health Department is working closely with elected officials and department heads to continue taking the appropriate steps to keep their employees and the public safe. Constituents are asked to continue to conduct business online by going through the County's website at <https://www.cameroncounty.us/>.

"COVID-19 cases in our County are increasing at a rapid and alarming rate and we ask you to please shelter-in-place and stay home. All area hospitals in Cameron County have exceeded capacity and we fear overwhelming hospitalizations if people don't heed the advice and mandates in place. We all have the responsibility to protect ourselves and each other," stated Cameron County Judge Eddie Treviño, Jr. "Further, to all County employees, please continue to protect yourselves and utilize health and sanitation protocols when out in public to prevent the spread of COVID-19 both at work and at home."

The Cameron County Judge's Office will continue to provide updates as needed.

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