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**Blue Ridge District**  
NewsFlash



## **Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update #6**

(Sent: March 23, 2020)

Text [LCCOVID19](text:LCCOVID19) to [888777](text:888777) for text message updates

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I hope you and your families are doing well! **If** there's a positive to this pandemic, it has to be that families are spending more time together than they're normally able to do.

While the County continues to take proactive measures to follow or exceed recommended safety measures, my staff and I are working to share relevant and helpful information with you.

**Please continue to take this situation seriously, stay home to the maximum extent possible, and practice social distancing. We will get through this together!**

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# Loudoun County



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## CORONAVIRUS UPDATE

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This link will take you to the County's dedicated Coronavirus webpage where you can find helpful information regarding COVID-19.

[\*\*County Coronavirus Webpage\*\*](#)

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This link provides the latest information regarding County closures and operating status. As of Sunday, March 22, certain features within Loudoun County parks, including playgrounds and athletic courts, are closed. While our public parks remain open for trail and leisure use, playgrounds and athletic courts have experienced heavier than normal use in recent days, impacting the ability of residents to maintain social distancing measures.

[\*\*Current County Closures & Operating Status\*\*](#)

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This link provides the latest answers to frequently asked questions received by the County.

[\*\*County Coronavirus FAQ's\*\*](#)

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This link provides access to pertinent information regarding what local utility companies are doing (Dominion Power, Loudoun Water, etc).

### **What Local Utility Companies Are Doing**

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This link provides access to helpful information for those in need of a variety of services.

### **Help For Those In Need**

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This link provides access to helpful information for those in need of a variety of services.

### **Help For Businesses**

### **Help Applying For Small Businesses Disaster Loan**

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This link will take you to Loudoun County Public Schools dedicated Coronavirus webpage.

### **Loudoun County Public Schools**

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This link will take you to the Governor's daily 11 a.m. Facebook Live video, where he provides updates and takes questions from reporters.

### **Governor's Daily 11 a.m. Press Conference**

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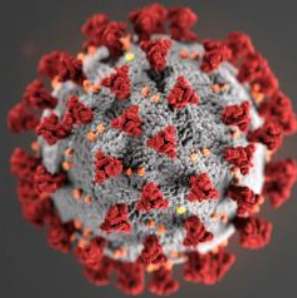
## [Additional Resources](#)

Loudoun Health Department COVID-19 Hotline: 703-737-8300  
(currently open Mon-Fri 9-9, Sat-Sun 9-5)

Virginia Health Department COVID-19 Hotline: 877-275-8343

Call Loudoun Health Department M-F 9-9, S-S 9-5: 703-737-8300

Email Loudoun Health Department: [health@loudoun.gov](mailto:health@loudoun.gov)



### Coronavirus Disease 2019

CDC is responding to the novel coronavirus outbreak.

[Learn More](#)

### [CDC's Coronavirus Web page](#)

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) is the leading national public health institute of the United States. They have a web page about the coronavirus, where they provide guides on how to protect yourself and others, what to do if you get sick, and other related issues, as well as more detailed guidance for schools, businesses, and other specific groups. They also keep track of the latest worldwide updates though they don't have as much Loudoun specific news.

[Visit the CDC Website](#)

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## **Virginia Department of Health's Coronavirus Webpage**

The Virginia Department of Health (VDH) oversees public health throughout the Commonwealth's 35 local health districts. They have a coronavirus web page much like the CDC's, with regular news updates, guides for responding to the virus, and a total count of coronavirus cases in Virginia, updated Mon - Fri at noon and broken down by city or county. The VDH's news and guidance is more specifically focused on Virginia.

[Visit the VDH Website](#)



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## **Johns Hopkins' Coronavirus Resource Center**

Johns Hopkins University's medical teaching and research arm has nationally-recognized expertise in infectious disease and emergency response. They maintain a coronavirus web page with daily situation reports (usually a worldwide snapshot, which doesn't include specific information about Virginia or Loudoun County), as well as guides and information to help you deal with the virus. And unlike the CDC or the VDH, they have an interactive map of all confirmed COVID-19 cases around the world.

[Visit the John Hopkins Website](#)

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All my best,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tony Buffington'.

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