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Press Release 21-006: Additional Positive Prince of Wales
COVID-19 Cases

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On April 21, 2021 the Craig Emergency Operations Center was notified of a total of three new cases on Prince of Wales Island, bringing the two-day case count to eight cases. These cases include:

- Two cases in Craig (both cases are secondary to a known contact)
- One case in a POW Community with less than 1,000 residents

These cases bring the total positive cases for Craig to 16 positive cases since April 2020. Currently there are eight cases (four Craig residents and four residents of POW communities of less than 1,00 persons) that have been reported in the last two days on Prince of Wales.

Since two of the cases on Prince of Wales have been attributed to community spread it is essential that local residents continue to do their best to stay safe and to stop the spread of the infection. Wear face coverings in public settings, maintain a physical distance of 6 feet or more from non-household members, wash your hands, keep social bubbles small, seek testing even with mild symptoms and get vaccinated for those 16 years of age and older

Vaccinations will slow the spread of COVID-19 and reduce the chances of variants of the virus developing. In addition, if you have been fully vaccinated (both doses of Moderna/Pfizer or a single dose of J&J vaccine plus two weeks) you do not have to quarantine if you are identified as a contact of a positive case.

You can contact SEARHC at 755-4800 or PeaceHealth Prince of Wales at 826-3257 if you are symptomatic, need testing for travel (or other testing needs), or want to sign up to be vaccinated. Vaccinations are currently open to everyone 16 years old and older.

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Contact information for City of Craig departments and services.

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Craig City Hall	826-3275	info@craigak.com
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Craig Harbormaster	826-3404	harbors@craigak.com
Craig Police	826-3330	re44@craigpd.com
Craig Public Facilities	826-3408	facilities@craigak.com
Craig Public Library	826-3281	library@craigak.com
Craig Public Works	826-3405	publicworks@craigak.com

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