

NEWS

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Change to weekly Board of Health meeting start time and viewing room

Meetings to remain virtual with YouTube live streaming for public

Ada County — The Tuesday, September 1, 2020, Central District Health Board of Health regular meeting will move to a 5:15 pm start time and the public viewing room for the virtual meeting will move to the Ada County Courthouse's 1st Floor Public Hearing Room, located at 200 W. Front St., Boise, ID 83702. Providing a public viewing room with at least one Board representative on-site is a requirement of Idaho Open Meeting Law. At the meeting, the Board will consider moving its subsequent weekly Tuesday meetings to a 5:15 pm start time and hosting the public viewing room at the Ada County Courthouse.

As the weekly Board meetings have garnered significant public interest with both online viewing and in-person representation, meeting attendance has, at times, grown beyond what available meeting rooms at CDH headquarters can accommodate while ensuring adequate space for proper physical distancing. The Ada County public hearing room will accommodate a limited number of people, masks must be worn, and all safety and security protocols must be followed by anyone wishing to attend the viewing room. Any person who does not wish to physically distance and wear a mask will not be allowed to enter, and is invited to observe the meeting through live streaming from their own device. No outdoor viewing option will be available and no verbal public comments will be accepted during the meeting.

Upon the Board's approval, subsequent weekly meetings would also begin at 5:15 pm with the public hearing room available at the Ada County Courthouse unless otherwise noted. Board meeting agendas and minutes can be found at <https://www.cdh.idaho.gov/about-boardofhealth-meetings.php>. Public comments for the September 1 meeting will be accepted up until 5:15 pm on Monday, August 31 and will then be shared with the Board of Health in advance of the meeting.

The meeting will be live streamed on CDH's YouTube page at
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4LJ1BM5Jv3zczecnykXarw/>

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