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## NEWS RELEASE

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### Coronavirus COVID-19

**LOCAL RISK FACTOR: Medium**

#### UNALASKA COVID-19 CASE COUNT:

COVID-19 tests performed locally	756
Cumulative positive persons	10

A new positive test for COVID-19 is reported today in Unalaska. The State of Alaska has been notified and contact tracing will commence. The positive individual is an employee of Pacific Stevedoring, LLC. The company reports the individual arrived in Unalaska via air on June 25, and in accordance with the company's mitigation plan, the individual immediately went into quarantine. After the positive test, the employee was placed in isolation according to guidance from State of Alaska Public Health. The community's risk factor remains medium.

Another positive test is concerning, but the company's mitigation plan, which includes testing at the end of the quarantine period, was successful in identifying a COVID-positive person. City Manager Erin Reinders and IFHS Clinic Director Melanee Tiura take this opportunity to urge everyone to remain diligent in following these protective measures:

- Wash Your Hands Frequently
- Don't Touch Your Face
- Clean & Disinfect Frequently Touched Surfaces Daily
- Wear Face Covering in Public (required in businesses)
- Cover Coughs and Sneezes
- Keep 6 feet from Other People
- Keep Your Social Circle Small
- Avoid Large Gatherings
- No Close Contact with Sick Persons
- Watch for Symptoms & get tested if you develop symptoms

#### STATE OF ALASKA COVID-19 CASE COUNT (Alaska Residents):

New cases reported yesterday	19
Cumulative total cases	1,184
Recovered cases	560
Cumulative hospitalizations	78
Deaths	17

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