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NEWS RELEASE – COVID UPDATE

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COVID UPDATE

The Wrangell Emergency Operations Center (EOC) was notified today, August 31, 2021, of two (2) new positive COVID cases.

- One individual is a Wrangell Resident who tested positive out-of-state and will remain out-of-state until they are no longer infectious. No other information is known at this time.
- One individual is a Wrangell Resident who is symptomatic, has recently traveled, and is a close contact to a recently identified positive case in Wrangell. This individual is in isolation.

Two individuals were released from isolation today by Public Health and are considered recovered.

The current number of active cases in Wrangell is twenty-two (22).

Please take individual steps to protect yourself and your family.

- Isolate yourself if you feel any cold-like symptoms and get tested for COVID-19 as soon as possible.
- Avoid crowded places and gatherings; keep social circles small.
- Stay at least 6 feet away from people outside of your household.
- Have a mask on when you are around people outside of your household – even if you can maintain a 6-foot distance from others.
- Take advantage of free, asymptomatic testing and test regularly.
- Wash your hands often and disinfect commonly touched surfaces and objects.

Stay safe and well Wrangell.

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WRANGELL COVID-19 CASE INFORMATION AT A GLANCE					
Total Cases	Local	Non-Local	Resident Not in Town	Active	Recovered
127	107	11	9	22	105