

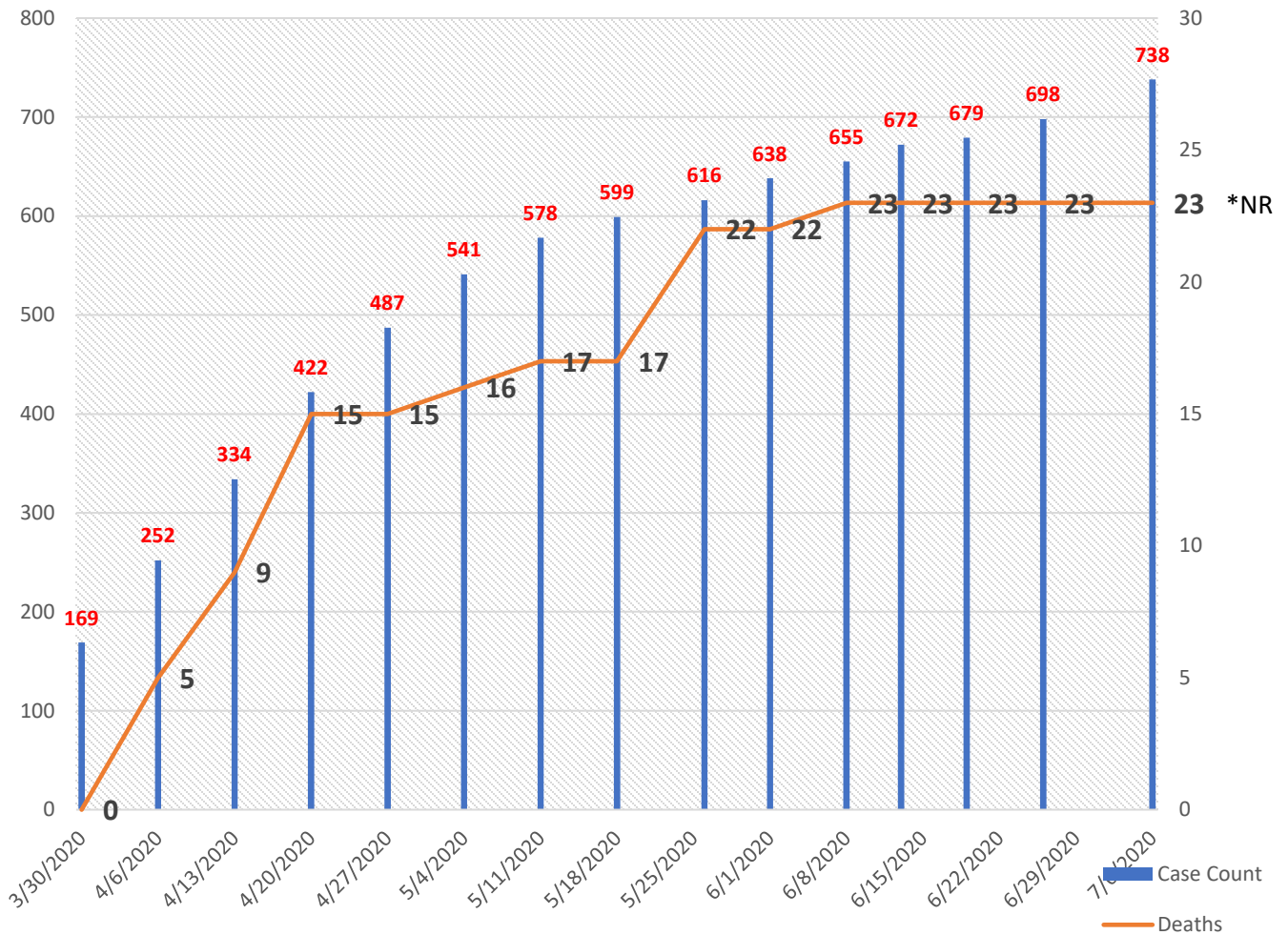
COVID-19 Council Update

July 13, 2020

Current Statistics as of 07/13/2020:

- Snohomish County – 4,274 confirmed and probable cases (+277 from 6/29/20)
 - 175 deaths countywide (+5 from 6/29/20)
- Washington State – 35,898 confirmed cases
 - 1,359 deaths statewide
 - Total tests administered statewide 612,706 with 5.9% positive
- City of Lynnwood – 738 Cases – 661 recovered (+31 from 6/29/20)

Lynnwood Trending



*Statistics and data compiled from the Snohomish Health District website and the Washington State Department of Health website.

Status Update:

- Staffing numbers, and levels of illness, have remained consistent throughout the pandemic. Police and jail staffing numbers are still required daily by the Department of Emergency Management.
- Free COVID-19 Testing in Lynnwood: Harborview Medical Center/ UW Medicine in collaboration with WAGRO Foundation and The Lynnwood Food Bank will be offering FREE COVID-19 testing every Friday starting July 10th, 9:30am - 12pm and 1:00pm to 3:00pm in the Lynnwood Food Bank parking lot. Please call 206-902-8477 to make an appointment. Anyone can be served, but the focus is on homeless, residents of shelters and transitional housing and the undocumented community.
- Low Income Face Coverings: Lynnwood has received 23,000 face coverings from the State's Military Department to be distributed to individuals under the 200% Federal Poverty level. For a family of four – 200% Federal Poverty level is an annual income of \$51,500 or less. To date we have distributed 16,250 face coverings.
 - Drive through distribution event: 2,100
 - Lynnwood Food Bank: 6,000
 - Jean Kim Hygiene Station: 100
 - Neighbors in Need: 100
 - Korean Senior Centers: 300
 - Verdant Health Commission: 50
 - Volunteers of America Drive Through Lynnwood Pantry: 600
 - Nourishing Network: 6,000
 - Edmonds Community College Food Pantry: 1,000
- The City of Lynnwood is set to receive up to \$1,188,000 in Federal CARES Act funding to address COVID-19 related expenses. Funds may be used for costs incurred by our city in response to the COVID-19 public health emergency during the period of March 1 through October 31, 2020.

Total CARES Act Funding Relief Programs: \$700,000

BUSINESS RELIEF FUNDS - \$500,000

Goal: Provide economic support to small businesses (10 employees and under) in the City of Lynnwood impacted by COVID-19.

- Grants of \$10,000 to City of Lynnwood small businesses affected by COVID-19
- Funds may be used for existing operating expenses, including business rent or mortgage, payroll, utilities, inventory, marketing, and improvements to meet social distancing requirements.
- Grants launched on Wednesday, June 17th with application deadline of Friday, June 26th at 4:00pm.
- We received 176 applications.

- Applications will be scored and funds distributed by mid-August.

COMMUNITY RELIEF FUNDS - \$200,000

Goal: To target relief efforts to our Lynnwood community members most affected and negatively impacted by COVID-19. Housing has been an ongoing area of focus for the City Council and Administration. Our relief efforts should be focused on keeping individuals and families in their homes through rent/mortgage assistance efforts.

- Can be used for rent or mortgage for those who can demonstrate financial hardship due to COVID-19
- Grants between \$500-\$1,000 per household (we will work with the non-profit to determine the most appropriate amount)
- Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Lynnwood and the Communities of Color Coalition has been completed. A press release will be sent shortly announcing the availability of funds and how residents can apply.