To the Citizens of the City of Tonasket.

The Governor of the State of Washington has mandated that all people in Washington State are immediately prohibited from leaving their home or place of residence except to conduct or participate in essential activities and/or employment in providing essential business services.

On April 2, 2020, Governor Inslee extended the Stay At Home order until May 4th.

If your business is not an essential business as identified in the "Essential Critical Infrastructure Workers" list, or carrying out minimum basic operations (as defined in Section 3(d) of the Order) for a non-essential business, I urge you to heed the directive and close as a measure of public health safety.

Here is a good list of internet sources to access accurate information: <u>www.cdc.gov/coronavirus</u> <u>www.doh.wa.gov</u> <u>www.okanogancounty.org/ocph</u> <u>www.okanogandem.org</u> <u>www.who.org</u>

It is important that we take the direction of our Public Health Officials seriously. Remember social distancing is about physical space. We have the ability to slow this virus down and help flatten the curve.