

# State Legislative Delegation of Douglas County Colorado

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Representative Kevin Van Winkle • Representative Kim Ransom • Representative Mark Baisley

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Douglas County Commissioners  
100 Third Street  
Castle Rock, CO 80104

Commissioners Partridge, Thomas, and Laydon:

It has come to our attention that Tri-County Health has issued a “shelter in place” order, which includes Douglas County. As a result of that order, we urge you to terminate whatever contract exists between Douglas County and that organization.

It is our understanding that at least two of you opposed this heavy-handed application of governmental power. To those who did oppose the action, thank you standing for the constitution and with the majority of your constituents here in Douglas County. We consider it unacceptable that a contracted health agency could somehow ignore the will of a majority of our elected and accountable Douglas County Commissioners.

Moving forward, we urge you to align Douglas County with either El Paso County Health or to create a new health agency that might align with the pending new Judicial District.

Please send a clear, decisive, and immediate message to and for the People of Douglas County.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

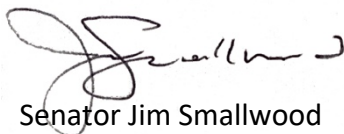
Respectfully yours,



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