NOTICE: IMPLEMENTING NEW BOARD MEETING PROCEDURES EFFECTIVE 3/13/2020

The health and safety of our community and staff members are at the forefront of our minds as we navigate county business in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. It is critical that we take prompt and decisive action based on the best information we have today that aligns with our goal of slowing the spread of the virus and protecting our staff and community members to our best ability.

In accordance with the Chair's <u>Declaration of Emergency</u>, the rules associated with Board of County Commissioner meetings will be temporarily altered as necessary measures to align with local and state social distancing guidance.

Effective immediately, the following social distancing protocols will apply to board meetings and briefings:

- No more than 50 people will be permitted in the boardroom. Presenters and essential personnel will be prioritized;
- Keep a physical distance of 3 feet from other people around you at all times during the meetings. Additional chairs will be provided to the extent practicable;
- View board meetings via livestream rather than in person as feasible;
- Oral testimony will be permitted, however, we strongly encourage that public testimony be submitted in writing or other electronic means.
 Testimony can be submitted to <u>boardclerk@multco.us</u>.

These rules will change as needed given the evolving needs surrounding this pandemic. We greatly appreciate your understanding as we work to keep our community safe.