

**Resolution**  
**Recall the Idaho Legislature for Emergency Session**  
**on Covid19 policy Discussion and Plan to Reopen Idaho**

**Whereas**, the IDGOP Party Platform states in the Preamble many principles and values that, We, Constitutional and Conservative Republicans hold dear<sup>1</sup>; and

**Whereas**, Article III, Section 27, of the Idaho Constitution identifies the powers and duties appointed to the Governor, relating to the continuity of state and local government operations, during “disasters;” and

**Whereas**, Article IV, Section 9, of the Idaho Constitution identifies the Governor’s authority to convene “extra sessions of the legislature;” and

**Whereas**, Idaho Code, 46-1008 states, “The legislature by concurrent resolution may terminate a state of disaster emergency at any time,” requires the Governor to reconvene legislative session; and

**Whereas**, the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) has reported “disaster” data, to Governor Little and the general public, that 35 of 44 Idaho counties have zero confirmed Covid19 deaths, and, 31 of 44 Idaho counties have 7 or less Covid19 positive tests, as of April 21, 2020,<sup>2</sup> and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bonner County Republican Central Committee encourages the Idaho Legislators to petition, the Senate Pro Tempore, the Speaker of the House, and the Governor to immediately convene the legislature to reconsider the Governor’s executive order regarding the Covid19 emergency disaster policy and order, so that all Idaho citizens are represented for consideration of, current and future, county and/or state-wide “disaster” orders.

Adopted this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 2020, by concerned pro-responsible government, Bonner County Republican committeemen.

1 ~ [www.idgop.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/2018-Idaho-GOP-Platform-Updated](http://www.idgop.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/2018-Idaho-GOP-Platform-Updated)

2 ~ [www.bing.com/search?q=idaho+deaths+covid19&src=IE-SearchBox&FORM=IESR3S&pc=EUPP\\_](http://www.bing.com/search?q=idaho+deaths+covid19&src=IE-SearchBox&FORM=IESR3S&pc=EUPP_)