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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## Local leaders to discuss novel coronavirus (COVID-19) prevention and preparation

**LANSING, Mich.** – Representatives from municipalities and health care systems in Greater Lansing will discuss COVID-19 prevention and preparation.

**Who:** Bryan Crenshaw, Chairperson

**Ingham County** 

Linda Vail, Ingham County Health Officer

Ingham County Health Department

Adenike Shoyinka, MD, Ingham County Medical Director

Ingham County Health Department

Mayor Andy Schor City of Lansing

Several other organization representatives will attend to answer any questions

relevant to their organizations.

**What:** Local leaders will give statements regarding COVID-19 and local preparedness.

**When:** Friday, March 6, 2020, 1 p.m.

Where: Human Services Building, 5303 S. Cedar St. in Lansing (Conference Rooms D/E)

**Why:** Accurate, local information regarding COVID-19 will be shared.

\*\*\*Presently, there are no cases of COVID-19 in Ingham County, nor are there

any cases in the state of Michigan.\*\*\*

**Background:** A new type of coronavirus has been making people sick. This new (novel) type

causes COVID-19. For some people, COVID-19 is a mild illness. For others, it is a

severe illness.

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