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**NEWS BRIEF: Colusa County Clarifies Data on COVID-19 Deaths.**

Over the last two days, Colusa County has reported two additional COVID-19 (Coronavirus) related deaths on its public dashboard, bringing the total number of COVID-19 related deaths in Colusa County to 18.

The 17<sup>th</sup> death occurred in April, and was added to the dashboard on May 18<sup>th</sup>. The 18<sup>th</sup> death occurred in December 2020, and was initially reported as a Yolo County death before being reclassified to Colusa County and added to the dashboard on May 19<sup>th</sup>.

“Our case rate continues to improve in Colusa County, and these unfortunate deaths should not be cause for additional alarm” stated Elizabeth Kelly, Colusa County Department of Health and Human Services Director. “The methodology for assigning cases and reporting data often lags, and can lead to confusion. We wanted to provide transparency on these deaths, and express our condolences to both families.”

The Colusa County COVID-19 Information and Resources webpage can be accessed here: <https://www.countyofcolusa.org/771/COVID19>.

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