Procedure for Drive Through Testing for COVID-19

<u>Introduction</u>

All persons in home quarantine will be tested at Bradley's between 08:00 and 09:00hrs, on the date specified by the Proper Officer.

Testing will be conducted by a medical professional.

Security will direct those arriving at Bradley's, one vehicle at a time, through the gate.

Personal vehicles will enter and turn 180 degrees to face the exit gate and stop (near the IT room). Testing will commence with people remaining in their vehicles. Note PPE will not be worn by those in their own vehicles. This is low risk as the individual or family undergoing testing:

- will be in a bubble in their own vehicle.
- will only come into contact with the Proper Officer/Facilitator carrying out the swabbing; the Proper Officer/Facilitator will be in full PPE.

Those arriving for testing by bus will have donned PPE when they get on the bus at their homes. These people will alight from the bus to be tested, with appropriate distancing measures in place.

During the daily health calls on Day 12, the Operations Manager will:

- Confirm with each household whether they have their own transport available or whether they require transport to be arranged. In the latter case, this information shall be conveyed to the Bronze Lead in resourcing to arrange transport.
- Read the steps below to each person and ask if they fully understand the process, and the penalties for contravening the above guidance. Their compliance will be recorded.

Instructions given to persons who are in home quarantine who will drive their own vehicles to Bradley's:

- You will be provided with a small sign to fix to your windscreen. An example is shown overleaf.
- You must leave the house, get straight into your vehicle and drive directly to Bradley's.
- While you are driving to Bradley's you must not leave the vehicle at any time, you
 must not engage with anyone en route.
- You do not have to wear PPE whilst travelling (as enclosed in the vehicle and in a family 'bubble').
- You are to ensure you have sufficient petrol to get you from your home to Bradley's and back (owners/drivers will be asked to confirm this on the daily call on Day 12).
 If there is not sufficient petrol, alternative arrangements can be made to use the

- buses provided by SHG.
- Please carry a mobile phone with you for use in the event of an emergency.
- If your vehicle should break down, please inform staff at Bradleys on telephone 25911, advising them that you are taking part in drive through testing and that you require assistance. Do not directly contact a garage. A vehicle will be despatched to collect you. Your own vehicle must be guarantined for 72 hours.
- Leaving your vehicle breaks quarantine. You will be subject to the same severe penalties as those applied if you breached the boundary of your property, or breached the perimeter fence at Bradley's.
- Once you have been tested you are to drive straight home.
- When you return home you are to continue quarantining within the boundary of your property until you are notified of your test results and next steps.

<u>Instructions given to persons in home quarantine being transported by bus to Bradley's:</u>

- You must leave the house in PPE and get straight into the bus which will drive directly to Bradley's. If you do not have PPE, PPE will be provided for you by the bus driver (Ops Manager will ensure sufficient and appropriate PPE is given to the bus driver before bus departs Bradley's to collect pax)
- While you are being driven to Bradley's you must not leave the vehicle at any time, you must not engage with anyone en route outside the bus.
- You are to wear PPE whilst travelling and maintain maximum practical distancing between yourself and others on the bus (members of your 'bubble' are excluded).
- Leaving your vehicle breaks quarantine. You will be subject to the same severe penalties as those applied if you breached the boundary of your property, or breached the perimeter fence at Bradley's.
- You will be directed by a health professional or Bradley's Manager when you arrive at Bradley's as to the order and procedure of testing.
- You will be returned to your home by bus, wearing PPE at all times, maintaining maximum physical distancing between you and other passengers.
- Once you are dropped off at home from the bus you are to continue quarantining within the boundary of your property until you are notified of your test results and next steps.

Results

Results from the tests undertaken will be available the following day. The results will be conveyed in writing by the COVID-19 Co-ordinator.

Arrivals will only be released from quarantine on Day 14 if they test negative for COVID-19.







We are helping to protect St Helena THIS VEHICLE IS TAKING PART IN THE HOME QUARANTINE PROCESS.

Do not directly engage with or approach occupant(s).