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TO: Interested Stakeholders

FROM: Governor Jay Inslee

DATE: June 2, 2020

SUBJECT: Phase 2 Drive-in Theater Requirements – Proclamation 20-25

This memorandum serves as the criteria for re-opening drive-in theaters under Phase 2 and is effective June 2, 2020.

After consulting with stakeholders, we have developed the comprehensive Phase 2 – Drive-in Theater COVID-19 Requirements. These requirements apply as long as Gubernatorial Proclamation 20-25, or any extension thereof, is in effect or if adopted as rules by a federal, state or local regulatory agency.

“Drive-in theaters” are outdoor cinema structures primarily used to screen films while filmgoers watch from their vehicles. “Drive-in theaters” also include any concession stands that serve the operation.

This memorandum supersedes any conflicting provision and stands in the place of any omission in the Appendix to Proclamation 20-25, “Essential Critical Infrastructure Workers.”

Drive-in theaters may resume operations immediately if:

- a) **They can meet and maintain all requirements, including providing materials, schedules and equipment needed to comply; and**
- b) **They conduct only those activities that are allowed under their county’s phase status.**

General questions about how to comply with safety practices can be submitted to the state’s Business Response Center at <https://coronavirus.wa.gov/how-you-can-help/covid-19-business-and-worker-inquiries>.

All other violations related to Proclamation 20-25 can be submitted at <https://bit.ly/covid-compliance>.