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<u>UPDATED May 6, 2020</u> – Greetings, drivers! Thank you so much for your patience and understanding. We are pleased to announce that our 2020 motorsports season of Trackcrosses and HPDEs will soon resume. However, we will be implementing a number of precautions to increase safety. As you know, COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that has no vaccine. So these new procedures and commonsense measures are intended to help protect us all.

Our initial list of changes and new requirements is below. We may add to this list as needed in the future. Please review and contact us anytime with questions or concerns. The most important thing is this: **If you aren't feeling well or are showing any signs or symptoms of COVID-19 or any similar illness, please stay home.** And if you cannot fully comply with all these guidelines below, please wait until you're more comfortable before registering:

- 1) Events may be smaller, which means signups will be more limited. Online registration and pre-payment will be required there will be no trackside signups available for anyone. So, now more than ever, please "register early and often."
- 2) Please come by yourself. Crew & guests should not attend. Passengers will not be allowed in your car for ride-alongs at speed or touring laps on track indefinitely.
- 3) Social distancing will be required. Please stay at least 6-8 feet away from other humans on premises at all times. Repeat offenders will be sent home.
- 4) Masks will be required. Please bring and wear a mouth/nose covering at all times except when in your car & wearing your full face helmet with visor down. Loaner or rental helmets will not be available.
- 5) Please remain outside. Expect that buildings will be locked. Bathrooms may be open but please limit yourselves to only 1-2 occupants at a time.

- 6) Wash your hands and use hand sanitizer frequently. Please bring your own soap and hand sanitizer so we don't run out. Gloves are also recommended.
- 7) At the front gate, please bring your own pen for waiver signing, and please touch/hold the waiver clipboard as little as possible.
- 8) In the paddock/when parking, please spread way out, use all the space we have, and put at least 25 feet between you and any other car or person. Please do not share canopies, tools, or anything else.
- 9) Registration & Tech Inspection will be done with much less contact, perhaps simultaneously, and via event staff who will be wearing PPE. Driver stays in car with windows up unless told otherwise. Driver must show Snell helmet sticker (under helmet liner) through window, staff will not handle helmets.
- 10) Our mandatory drivers meetings will be outdoors and will use the PA system or a loudspeaker. Please social distance at all times during this meeting. If you have questions please raise your hand and walk within view of officials. If available, we will also broadcast via FM transmitter so you can listen from your cars.
- 11) On pit road and/or pre-grid and/or skidpad, please sit in your cars when not driving. Please only talk from car to car via windows, please social distance & don't stand together in groups. Again please wear masks at all times unless in car with helmet on.
- 12) Regarding instruction & classroom sessions/other group meetings: all in-car instruction is suspended until further notice. HPDE novice group sessions will now consist of paced laps and/or lead-follow exercises with instructors. Check rides will be handled via lead-follow as well. Our HPDE classrooms & other group meetings will now be held outside and will still require social distancing plus mask wearing.

These new measures are intended to protect everyone's health, and they apply to every person at an event (including all staff – no exceptions.) Those who do not take this seriously and do not comply with these new rules may be sent home without a refund. Everything else should be pretty much the same as before, but please keep in mind that the above list is not necessarily complete yet. **Rest assured that we are still fully committed to helping you have a great safe day of fast driving fun one way or another, but please be patient as we all navigate this newly contagious world together!** Again please accept our most sincere thanks for your understanding. We can't wait to see you at the track again soon - - -

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