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**Public Service Announcement**

DATE: March 12th, 2020

RE: Follow-up to Gov. Inslee's Message

TO: Morton School District Staff, Students, and Community Members

Today at 2:00 PM Governor Inslee announced a directive to close K-12 schools in King, Pierce, and Snohomish counties from March 16th through April 24th. Districts in these counties can continue to provide food services, instructional programs (not in large group settings), and are asked to provide child-care services to health care and first responders.

Morton School District, Lewis County, and the rest of the state will continue to be monitored as this decision may grow over time to affect others. The decision will be based on the spread of the virus and the rates of confirmed cases.

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