

STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

PRISONS DIVISION

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TO:

All Incarcerated Individuals

FROM:

Robert Herzog, Assistant Secretary of Prisons

SUBJECT: Free Calls and JPay offerings extended

In our continued response to COVID-19, the Department of Corrections will extend free access to phone calls. All incarcerated individuals will continue to receive two (2) free five (5) minute calls per week through July 31, 2020. As a reminder, if your free calls are not used by the end of the period, ending July 31, 2020, no credit will be given.

From July 12 to Aug. 12, 2020, JPay will continue offering:

- Free Reply Wednesdays. Every time your loved one sends an e-message to you on a Wednesday during this promotional period, the JPay system will include a prepaid reply at no additional cost. You can use the free reply at any time, but you can only reply back to the original sender.
- Two free video visitation calls added to your loved one's JPay account. The free call credits will continue to be replenished each week moving forward until further notice. Your loved one must use the video visitation credits to receive the new ones each week.
- Two free JPay Stamps in your account. The two free JPay Stamps will be replenished every Friday afternoon, so your account will have up to two free JPay Stamps each week. Please remember you must use the stamps to receive the new ones each week.

We understand the importance of maintaining communication with loved ones as the state continues to address the COVID-19 pandemic. We know these extended free services are not the same as seeing your friends and family in person, and once it is safe to resume public gathering, we will communicate plans to resume visitation.

cc: All Superintendents

Robert Herzog, Assistant Secretary