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TO: Interested Parties
FROM: Dan Van Ogle, Associate Superintendent
SUBJECT: SCCC Restricted Movement due to COVID-19

Stafford Creek Corrections Center (SCCC) is currently responding to a recent increase of positive COVID-19 cases. As of December 4, there were 85 confirmed positive COVID-19 individuals and we expect that number will rise over the weekend.

Over the course of the last few days, living units have been placed in quarantine status in an effort to limit additional exposure. Positive COVID-19 cases continue to rise and resulting in the need to take additional actions to limit potential exposure to the incarcerated population.

Today, SCCC went into Restricted Movement status to prevent the spread of COVID-19. This change will impact our incarcerated population's ability to attend regularly scheduled programs, call-outs and services.

These steps are meant to minimize the short and long-term impact that our response will have on our incarcerated population. It is our hope by taking these measures that we can mitigate potential exposure and reduce the amount of time it will take to get back to a new normal with our operations.

We understand that this pandemic and the changes in our procedures can be stressful for incarcerated individuals and their loved ones. On behalf of the entire staff of this institution, please know that every step taken is to ensure those under our jurisdiction are safe and healthy.