

To: Ringette Saskatchewan Members From: Ringette Saskatchewan, Executive Director Date: June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021 RE: NRL 2021-22 Season

As we start to get glimpses of hope for next season, I am excited to share the following with all of you. In collaboration with a Ringette Saskatchewan's NRL Working Group the RAS Board has decided that Saskatchewan is in a state of readiness to have an NRL team for the 2021-22 season.

There are still many unknowns in this process, but at this time we are sharing the steps we will take to establish a plan based on what we know 'today'. The overall idea is to work together with our Associations and stakeholders to set expectations while putting in motion a realistic plan for the 2021-22 season. All relevant information that will guide our next steps can be found at this link: <u>Sask NRL Next Steps</u>

As outlined in these Sask NRL Next Steps, a working group will be created to review and prioritize a list of needs and expectations. This working group's overall goals will be to develop a realistic plan for Ringette Saskatchewan to implement for the 2021-22 season. Please click the link above for the draft terms of reference for this group. If someone in your group is interested in taking part in this workgroup, please let me know at <u>executivedirector@ringettesask.com</u> by June 30<sup>th</sup> so we can finalize the workgroup composition by the intended deadline.

We do not have a crystal ball to predict what will be for next season for all provinces and their NRL teams. However, we know that Saskatchewan will have to be flexible, creative, and willing to adapt to make the upcoming season a reality.

Carrie and I look forward in planning and supporting this process.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

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