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For Immediate Distribution:

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To All York Rite Masons of Utah:

After much consideration and conversations, it is the decision of the Grand Heads and Chairman of the Sessions Committee due to the pandemic and State of Utah mandates to minimize the spread of COVID 19, the following has been decided:

Annual Grand Sessions: The 2020 Grand York of Utah Annual Sessions has been rescheduled for: **July 9th, 2020 through July 11th, 2020**. They will be held at the Marriott University Park, SLC. All times and events will stay the same. This includes times, meals, room blocks, rates, etc.

St Thomas of Acon Meeting: St. Thomas of Acon will have their meeting Sunday morning on July 12th, 2020 at the Marriott. If you have any questions in regard to this event please reach out directly to Companion/Sir Knight Reed Fanning and/or Jason Varner.

Hotel Reservations Cancellation:

All current Hotel reservations that were booked for the original dates (May) have been cancelled. However, you are welcome to confirm with the Hotel directly for your peace of mind and cancellation confirmation number. You will need to make a new reservation for the new dates in July.

Registration/payments:

For those who already registered/paid online or by mail, it is your option to have these monies returned and the registrations cancelled for a full refund. OR, you can request that the registration and monies be applied to the new dates of July 9th, 2020 through July 11th, 2020. Please let me know ASAP either way.

In addition, since this is so fluid and changes are happening by the day, we wanted to provide the notice ASAP, however, I still need to find out the deadline dates for the hotel in regards to reservations. Registration form and Hotel link is on the Grand York Rite website @ <http://www.utahyorkrite.org/events>. As before you can either register online or print and mail the form to the address below.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause, however, the safety and health of all our Members and families will always come first.

Yours in Christ,

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