

# Manitoba Soccer Association Inc.

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Dear MSA Members,

It was announced today by the provincial health authorities that the **Winnipeg Metropolitan Region** has been moved into the province's Critical (Red) level beginning Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020. The official move to the critical level does not begin until Monday, but after further consultation with affected Members, we have determined that it is in the best safety of our community to move that region of the province into **no sanctioned soccer activities effectively immediately. All sanctioned soccer activities must be postponed beginning today, October 30<sup>th</sup>.**

All other areas of the province (**Northern, Interlake Eastern, Prairie Mountain, Southern**) have been moved into the province's Restricted (Orange) level and will be in Stage 2 of the Manitoba Soccer Return to Participate Indoor Guidelines and Recommendations effective immediately.

The Manitoba Soccer Association office will be closed, and staff will be working from home beginning Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>. Should you have any inquiries, please reach them by email.

This announcement supersedes yesterday's update. The new restrictions put in place by the provincial health authorities are for a minimum of two weeks, and we will update our membership on a weekly basis. We will consider the return to training and start of the indoor season during the weekly reviews and updates.

Please remember that we must all continue to work together to mitigate the risk of COVID-19 in our entire community.

Héctor Vergara  
Executive Director