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TERMINATION OF SECOND EXECUTIVE ORDER REGARDING
MANDATORY VACCINATION OF CITY FIREFIGHTERS AND PARAMEDICS

WHEREAS, on February 29, 2020, Washington Governor Jay Inslee issued Proclamation 20-05 proclaiming a State of Emergency for all counties in the State of Washington as a result of the COVID-19 outbreak in the United States and confirmed person-to-person spread of the disease; and

WHEREAS, since then, Public Health continues to encourage everyone to be fully vaccinated and to be prudent about the use of masks in indoor settings, but the Director of Public Health Seattle King County has noted that we are now in a different phase of the pandemic compared to where we were; and

WHEREAS, with King County's high level of vaccination booster uptake and lower levels of community spread, hospitalizations due to COVID infection remain at a safe level, making the overall risk forecast lower; and

WHEREAS, I have determined that terminating my Second Executive Order Regarding Mandatory Vaccination of City Firefighters and Paramedics is in keeping with up-to-date recommendations and expertise from Public Health officials, and that any requirements for vaccination imposed by third parties will be addressed on a case-by-case basis;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ANGELA BIRNEY, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM:

The Second Executive Order Regarding Mandatory Vaccination of City Firefighters and Paramedics, issued November 1, 2022, is hereby terminated.

DATED this 6th day of February, 2023.



MAYOR ANGELA BIRNEY

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