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**REF:** Wavelength Drive-In Cinema – Public Rights of Way

To Whom It May Concern,

It has come to the attention of Wavelength Media Ltd that there exists some concern amongst residents of Newquay and Mawgan-in-Pydar that the Wavelength Drive-In Cinema will impede access to Public Rights of Way (Public Footpaths) in the vicinity of the cinema location. Wavelength Media wishes to address these concerns and provide clarification on the arrangements that have been made to ensure paths are accessible for the duration of our occupation of the site.

The Cinema is bordered to the west by Footpath 409/45/1 (the SW Coastal Path). It is bordered to the north by Footpath 409/11/1, and finally Footpath 409/12/1 transects the cinema site between the northwest and southeast corners. These footpaths are illustrated in purple on the appended plan.

Wavelength Media have stated unequivocally to Cornwall Council that access to Footpath 409/12/1 (transecting the site) will not be impeded at any time during the operation of the Cinema. Arrangements have been made to ensure that temporary structures (such as the cinema screen) or indeed any other physical obstruction, including customer vehicles, will not be positioned in a manner that inhibits the footpath.

The cinema staff will be provided with training on the locational detail of the footpath, including points of access and egress from the field. Footpath users will be permitted by cinema staff to enter the field and walk along the route of the path in either direction. The Cinema Manager will monitor staff compliance with this policy, and will ensure any new staff are appropriately trained when required.

To ensure this policy is managed effectively, the footpath route will be marked with water-soluble, grass-friendly line marking paint. This measure will assist our team in ensuring vehicles do not block the route at any time.

In addition to the above measures, further arrangements have been made to improve access to the Coastal Path from Trevarian Hill – and by extension the village of Tregurrian and its associated campsites. A new permissive footpath has been installed along the route shown in the appended plan (dashed line). It is hoped this route will provide convenience and amenity to those wishing to access the coastal path or Watergate Bay.

Wavelength Media wish to clarify that the new permissive path is intended to supplement rather than substitute Footpath 409/12/1 – which will remain open and accessible at all times.

The Cinema Management Team hope that this information goes toward allaying concerns over footpath access in the area, and are committed to continual monitoring of these measures.

Yours Faithfully

Wavelength Media Ltd

