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**To:**

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Hello to all of our 2020 IUTA WC Racers,

How are you all doing? With another ultra event announcing a postponement to 2021 today, we know you must all be wondering where we are in our planning for the IUTA WC event scheduled for Virginia.

Per previous emails, we are moving forward - planning, holding weekly meetings, etc., hopeful that we will be together in October. Prize money is waiting, and our team is all in. We have had many folks reach out, confirming volunteer positions and we are in full talks / creating action plans on social distancing for pre / during / post - event happenings.

Anything can happen, as we have seen all year. We will be making our final decision mid-August, in alignment with some planned announcements from other countries who are deciding whether to extend travel restrictions. Though we remain hopeful, we are also making contingency plans in the event we have to cancel the WC race. We are discussing all of that, but we want to remind you that refunds will be issued if we have to make that decision. We want to make sure that our racers are not out any additional monies for race entry, as this year has been an expensive undertaking for racers, directors, everyone.

We can't wait to share the racecourse with you again! In the meantime, please reach out to either of us with any questions or concerns you have.

Standing together, always.

Teri and Kirb