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MOVIN' ON 2020 CANCELLATION DUE TO COVID-19 CONCERNS

<u>UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa., MARCH. 19</u> – Movin' On, Penn State University's annual music festival, has decided to cancel its 2020 festival due to increasing concerns regarding the COVID-19 virus. The festival was set to feature Foster the People, Lil Yachty, Two Friends, and SPA's sponsored act, Sasha Sloan, on May 1st at the IM fields. This decision comes as a result of the CDC's <u>recent recommendation</u> to cancel/postpone large community events that consist of 50 or more people. Movin' On has made this decision out of concern for the health and well-being of Penn State students, faculty, and the community.

As a result of this decision, Movin' On has also canceled all of its events for the remainder of the 2019-2020 academic year, including Battle of the Bands. Battle of the Bands was set to take place on March 26th in Alumni Hall.

Movin' On would like to thank UPAC and our collaborating organizations UPUA, SPA, and ARHS for continuously helping us build this festival every year. Despite these unfortunate circumstances, Movin' On looks forward to working with these organizations to create future festivals filled with diverse music, exciting events, and community involvement. We look forward to seeing you on April 30th for Movin' On 2021.

For more information about Movin' On, please visit www.movinon.org, www.facebook.com/psumovinonfestival, or e-mail exec.movin@gmail.com.

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