Kimberly High School

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141 Center Street West * Kimberly, ID 83341 * Ph: (208) 423-4170 * Fax: (208) 423-5181 May 3, 2020 Dear Students, Parents and Guardians:

KHS graduation is a time-honored tradition in our community. The Class of 2020 has diligently earned the right to participate in the commencement ceremony. Considering the limitations, we have due to the pandemic, Kimberly School District is making every effort to afford our graduates this opportunity. We have worked closely with public health professionals, senior parents and students, district administration, and government and law enforcement officials and are proud to announce that we will have a modified in-person graduation ceremony for the Class of 2020.

<u>Graduation will be held on May 21 at 7pm in the Kimberly High School parking lot</u>. Each graduate will be allowed <u>one</u> parking spot for their passenger vehicle (no RVs, buses, etc.). The occupants of the vehicle will be limited to the number of the vehicle manufacturer's intended occupancy (confirmed by the number of seat belts in the vehicle). Only the graduate may exit the vehicle and only when called/dismissed by staff to do so. Graduates will not be allowed to make physical contact (hugs, handshakes, fist bumps, etc.) with staff, students and spectators. All other occupants must always remain inside the vehicle carriage (no one may occupy a pickup bed). Safety guidelines will be followed and strictly enforced with the assistance of the Kimberly Police Department. Following the ceremony there will be a parade of graduates through the town of Kimberly before students and families return to their homes.

Please support us as we, together with you, honor your students who have worked so hard to earn this milestone. Due to limited room in our parking lot, and the inability to accommodate crowds or "extra" spectators, please encourage your friends and extended family to watch the livestream so that we can adhere to the safety regulations set forth by the state. We want everyone to be protected and we want this day to be about celebrating this accomplishment. Specific details about graduation will be sent very soon. **Graduates- If you plan to attend the graduation ceremony, please RSVP by May 15th at classof2020@kimberly.edu**.

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