**Nippon Dynawave Packaging COVID-19 Business Update**

As we enter the latter half of August, Mother Nature is showing signs of Fall’s rapid approach here in the Pacific Northwest. Our employees at Nippon Dynawave Packaging have been working under the safety protocols associated with operating during the Covid-19 pandemic for five months now. NDP employees have been diligently using the CDC and Washington State Department of Health recommended safety guidelines to successfully operate during this pandemic. Each employee is steadfastly committed to working safely and efficiently despite operating in an upset environment. As a result, our team remains healthy and strong and has produced and shipped orders on time, satisfying the needs of our customers around the globe.

Demand for liquid packaging board, cup stock and pulp have all been brisk throughout this pandemic, as our converting, tissue and paper packaging customers have worked hard to meet the needs of their stakeholders. We expect this demand to remain steady throughout the 3rd and 4th quarter of 2020 as economies around the world begin to reopen.

We are scheduled to complete our total mill maintenance outage in our Longview operations the last two weeks of August. We will continue to ship products throughout the outage and will begin our 2021 planning cycle immediately following, in early September.

Although this pandemic has not yet run its course, and we know there is much more work to be done, we want to thank all our customers for their continued support. We also want to thank the great employees at Nippon Dynawave Packaging for their continued focus and resiliency. Without them this story may have been much different.

We look forward to engaging with you soon on your 2021 product needs. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at 360-425-2150. Be safe and stay healthy!