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2ND FILMING NOTIFICATION LETTER

Dear Resident & Business,

Further to our recent letter regarding our plans to film on Waterloo Place and Calton Road from Friday 6th – Wednesday 11th September 2019 for the upcoming feature film entitled "**FF9",** I would like to update you on our plans and to inform you of the agreed parking restrictions we plan to implement, in order to facilitate our filming over the dates in the approximate schedule below. I have attached a map detailing our parking suspensions for your perusal.

As previously mentioned, the scenes involve vehicles travelling at speed and various stunt work, and as such requires us to implement road closures along Waterloo Place and Calton Road; the road closures will be in place from 2th September 0600hrs to 12th September 2200hrs (all dates and times inclusive) to facilitate preparation works. The closure will be implemented on Waterloo Place, between the traffic lights at the Leith Street junction and the mini-roundabout on Regent Road (please see attached map), and on Calton Road between Leith Street and Waverley Station during prep, and up to New Street on filming days. We will be leaving access into Waverley Station and the car parks on Calton Road, as well as Calton Hill for residents and deliveries.

We are also planning to film a small driving scene along Regent Road on the 10th & 11th, which will require us to extend the road closure to the Easter Road / Abbey Mount junction on these days. Access will be maintained into Calton Terrace for residents, and again into Calton Hill for residents and deliveries. Deliveries should approach traffic management for access.

We will not restrict access to private residences, hotels, offices or Calton Hill. However, for safety reasons during our filming hours we will be holding pedestrians during takes for a few minutes at a time, before safely escorting through. Those who do not wish to wait will have the option to follow the diversion on Calton Hill. During the prep days we will be able to keep the pavements open for access, and this will be managed by our location security and marshals.

There will be two cranes on Waterloo Place, which are needed for our stunt work. From the 2nd these will be rigged and used for stunt rehearsals, ready for filming from the 6th. We will have barriers around the cranes during preparation to create a safe working zone. Please see the reverse of this letter for approximate positions.

Please also be aware that bus diversions will be in place between the 2nd – 12th September, and information on this will be published on the TTRO. It is our suggestion that taxi drop off / pick ups take place on Calton Hill.

Approximate Schedule

Prep – 0800hrs – 1800hrs **Monday 2nd – Thursday 5th September**
Film – 0700h – 2100h **Friday 6th – Wednesday 11th September**
Strike – 0800hrs – 1800hrs **Thursday 12th September**

Parking

In order to facilitate the shoot we will be parking some of our essential technical vehicles in the area. During the prep and strike phase, vehicles will be parked on Waterloo Place and Calton Road within our closure. During the filming days we will park our vehicles in suspended bays along Regent Road, and will be making use of The Old Royal High School car park. Any suspensions will start from the night before to facilitate the arrival of our vehicles.

We are liaising with Film Edinburgh and the council and they have expressed no reasons to object to our proposal. The Police have also been informed and we will have Police presence with us during our shooting hours. I do appreciate that our presence will have an impact on the community but we are working hard to keep disruptions to an absolute minimum.

We have hopefully met many of you in person to discuss individual requirements; we do understand that this area is both residential and commercial and as such we are keen to engage with everyone in the neighbourhood to ensure we can address any potential issues. We would be very grateful if you could contact us at your earliest convenience to advise if you have any activity we should be aware of on any of the aforementioned dates, whether this be an event, maintenance, deliveries, or sub-contractors working.

Our contact details are displayed at the end of this letter and we would very much appreciate your feedback and comments. As our filming plans develop we will continue to update you with the relevant details.

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and please do not hesitate to contact myself or my colleague on the details below should you have any questions about our project.
Filming of any kind cannot work without the cooperation of the community. Your patience and understanding is much appreciated.

Yours Faithfully,

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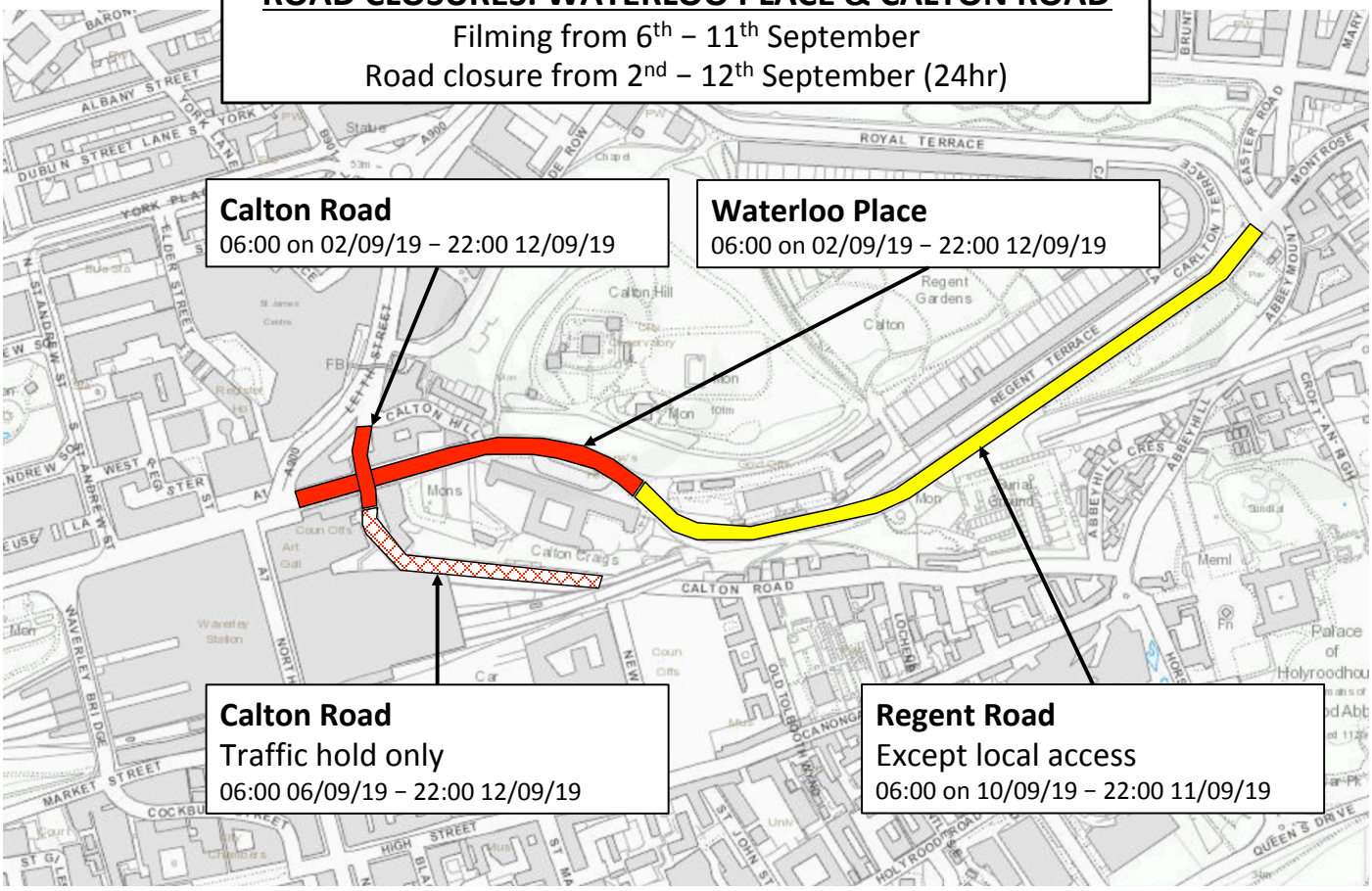
ROAD CLOSURES: WATERLOO PLACE & CALTON ROAD

Filming from 6th – 11th September

Road closure from 2nd – 12th September (24hr)



PARKING SUSPENSIONS

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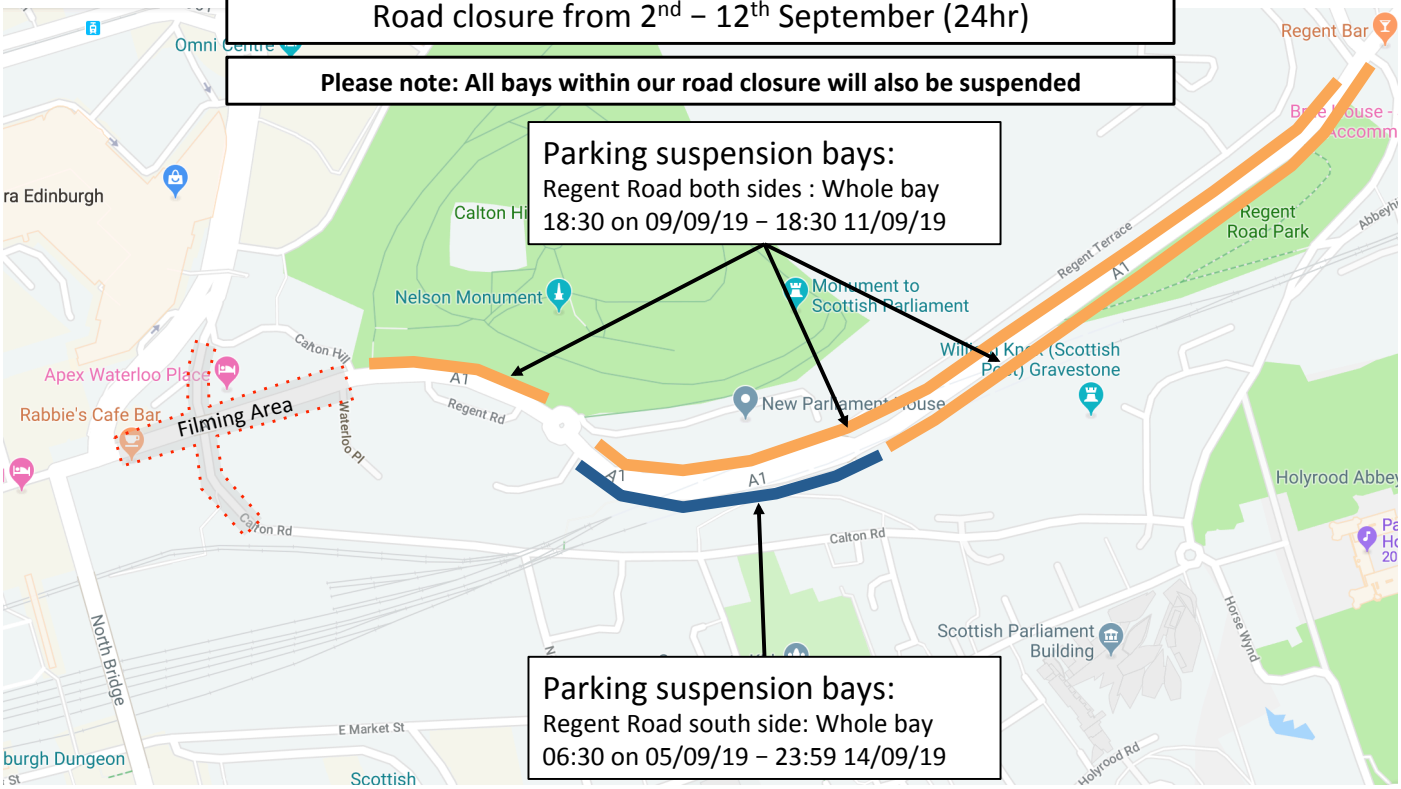
Please note: All bays within our road closure will also be suspended