

# IMPACT ANALYSIS OF MOTION PICTURE PRODUCTION

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Identifying Number: LEGO Series 2019-000 

Date: May 20, 2019

Type:  Feature Film  TV Pilot  TV Series  Documentary  Commercial  
 Theatrical  Video Game

## IMPACT ON THE INDUSTRY(IES) IN WHICH THE APPLICANT WILL BE INVOLVED:

The production will have a positive economic effect on the following industries: film & TV, tourism, food/beverage, local crew base, equipment rentals and small businesses.

## STATE FISCAL MATTERS, INCLUDING THE STATE BUDGET (REVENUES & EXPENSES):

The production will spend roughly \$533,000 in the state of Rhode Island

The anticipated tax credits will be \$160,000.

## FINANCIAL EXPOSURE OF TAXPAYERS & NEGATIVE FORESEEABLE CONTINGENCIES:

The tax credits will be issued only after it is ascertained that the production meets all of the requirements of the Motion Picture Tax Incentive Program, as defined by law. There are no negative foreseeable contingencies.

## APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF FULL-TIME, PART-TIME, TEMPORARY, SEASONAL AND/OR PERMANENT JOBS, INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION, PROJECTED TO BE CREATED:

The production will create 15 regular series positions and 8 free lance day player positions, as well as use qualified Rhode Island vendors for spending on goods and services.

## GEOGRAPHIC SOURCES OF STAFFING FOR IDENTIFIED JOBS:

The State of Rhode Island

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## PROJECTED DURATION OF IDENTIFIED CONSTRUCTION JOBS:

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There are no construction jobs needed at this time

## **APPROXIMATE WAGE RATES FOR EACH CATEGORY OF JOBS:**

All regular series positions will have a standard weekly rate, while all freelance day players will have a day rate.

## **TYPES OF FRINGE BENEFITS TO BE PROVIDED WITH THE IDENTIFIED JOBS, INCLUDING HEALTH CARE INSURANCE & RETIREMENT BENEFITS:**

N/A

## **PROJECTED FISCAL IMPACT ON INCREASED PERSONAL INCOME TAXES TO THE STATE OF**

**RI:** All crew members receiving a wage in Rhode Island will be required to pay personal income tax based on their income.

Detailed expenditures including individual employee information including Social Security numbers and wages earned, as well as wages earned by loan out companies and Rhode Island qualified vendors, will be sent directly to the Division of Taxation by the production.

## **DESCRIPTION OF ANY PLAN OR PROCESS INTENDED TO STIMULATE HIRING FROM THE HOST COMMUNITY, TRAINING OF EMPLOYEES OR POTENTIAL EMPLOYEES, & OUTREACH TO MINORITY JOB APPLICANTS & MINORITY BUSINESSES:**

Student interns will be hired.

Production required to utilize "Rhode Island qualified vendors" for any purchase of goods and/or services in order to access tax credit.