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Anaheim's Disneyland Resort is the Last Disney Theme Park in the World to Remain Closed

ANAHEIM, Calif., (September 25, 2020) — Today, Hong Kong Disneyland is reopening its doors to the public, while the Disneyland Resort in Anaheim remains closed and awaiting health and safety guidelines from Governor Newsom to reopen. Theme parks around the world have been opening for months now and are following strict safeguards to keep their employees and guests safe, without evidence of any COVID-19 outbreaks.

"For six months the Disneyland Resort has been closed and the consequences are dire with our regional tourism industry at a virtual standstill," Todd Ament, President & CEO of the Anaheim Chamber of Commerce, said. "The economic impact to our region is more than \$1.3 billion in lost revenue to the cities, county, and local businesses."

Cities around the Resort are ready to start their economic recovery and need guidelines now. The Disneyland Resort, a centerpiece of the Orange County tourism industry ecosystem, is responsible for about 100,000 jobs in Southern California.

"In Orange County, the number of cases from COVID-19 has been trending down because cities and businesses have invested in infrastructure, safety protocols and operational training to ensure the health and welfare of employees, residents, and visitors," Ament said. "It is time we reopen the Disneyland Resort and start the recovery now."

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