MARIN COUNTY PARKS PRESERVATION-RECREATION

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION



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Marin County Parks and Open Space District 3501 Civic Center Drive, Suite 260, San Rafael, CA 94903 www.marincountyparks.org (415) 473-6387 **FILED** 

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To: Marin County Clerk 3501 Civic Center Drive, Suite 234 San Rafael, CA 94903

MARIN COUNTY CLERK By J. Cruz, Deputy 21 - 2024 - 150

DATE:August 20, 2024PROJECT TITLE:SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT – Sunday Daydream Volume 4PROJECT LOCATION:McNears Beach Park. 201 Cantera Way, San Rafael, Marin County, CaliforniaASSESSOR PARCEL:184-010-16; 184-030-50; and 184-101-53

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of the Project:** The proposed project consists of granting a special use permit to Lesh Productions, LLC for the Sunday Daydreams Volume 4 at all McNears Beach Park reservable sites and all available parking spaces. The event would occur on August 18, 2024 between 11AM and 7PM. Set-up and take down would take approximately one day on August 17, 2024. Approximately 2,500 participants are anticipated. The event would include amplified sound. The event would include the presale of tickets for site entry, the sale of food, drink, or merchandise, and would include amenities set up outside of reservable group sites.

Public Agency Approving Project: Marin County Parks

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out the Project: Max Korten, Director and General Manager

**Reasons for Exemption:** Marin County Parks has reviewed the special event permit application in the context of McNears Beach Park and has determined that authorizing the permit the event is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act under the following sections of the California Administrative Code:

**Section 15323: Normal Operations of Facilities for Public Gatherings**. The project consists of issuing a special event permit at an existing facility for a public gathering. McNears Beach Park was designed with reservable space for this type of event and there is a past history of the facility being used for this purpose. There is a reasonable expectation that this event would not represent a change in the operation of the facility and that the event would not result in cumulative impacts; significant impacts on the environment due to unusual circumstances; affect the significance of historical resources. The project is not located within an officially designated scenic highway or on a hazardous waste site pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5.

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## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION – LOCATION MAP

McNears Beach Park – Sunday Daydreams Volume 4

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