



**Date of Notice:** December 29, 2020

# **NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION**

## **PLANNING DEPARTMENT**

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**PROJECT NAME/NUMBER:** Special Event Permit – Gaslamp Artisan Market 2022

**COMMUNITY PLAN AREA:** Downtown

**COUNCIL DISTRICT:** 3

**LOCATION:** 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue between Island Avenue and J Street, and Island Avenue between 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Avenues and J Street between 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Special Event Permit for an artisan market that would include the temporary use of crafters, merchandise vendors, canopies, tables, and chairs and that would occur on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue between Island Avenue and J Street, and Island Avenue between 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Avenues and J Street between 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> on Saturdays, and Sundays in 2022. The dates for the market in 2022 would include Saturdays and Sundays throughout the year 2022, specifically: Saturday, January 1, 2022; Sunday, January 2, 2022; Saturday, January 8, 2022; Sunday, January 9, 2022; Saturday, January 15, 2022; Sunday, January 16, 2022; Saturday, January 22, 2022; Sunday, January 23, 2022; Saturday, January 29, 2022; Sunday, January 30, 2022; Saturday, February 5, 2022; Sunday, February 6, 2022; Saturday, February 12, 2022; Sunday, February 13, 2022; Saturday, February 19, 2022; Sunday, February 20, 2022; Saturday, February 26, 2022; Sunday, February 27, 2022; Saturday, March 5, 2022; Sunday, March 6, 2022; Saturday, March 12, 2022; Sunday, March 13, 2022; Saturday, March 19, 2022; Sunday, March 20, 2022; Saturday, March 26, 2022; Sunday, March 27, 2022; Saturday, April 2, 2022; Sunday, April 3, 2022; Saturday, April 9, 2022; Sunday, April 10, 2022; Saturday, April 16, 2022; Sunday, April 17, 2022; Saturday, April 23, 2022; Sunday, April 24, 2022; Saturday, April 30, 2022; Sunday, May 1, 2022; Saturday, May 7, 2022; Sunday, May 8, 2022; Saturday, May 14, 2022; Sunday, May 15, 2022; Saturday, May 21, 2022; Sunday, May 22, 2022; Saturday, May 28, 2022; Sunday, May 29, 2022; Saturday, June 4, 2022; Sunday, June 5, 2022; Saturday, June 11, 2022; Sunday, June 12, 2022; Saturday, June 18, 2022; Sunday, June 19, 2022; Saturday, June 25, 2022; Sunday, June 26, 2022; Saturday, July 2, 2022; Sunday, July 3, 2022; Saturday, July 9, 2022; Sunday, July 10, 2022; Saturday, July 16, 2022; Sunday, July 17, 2022; Saturday, July 30, 2022; Sunday, July 31, 2022; Saturday, August 6, 2022; Sunday, August 7, 2022; Saturday, August 13, 2022; Sunday, August 14, 2022; Saturday, August 20, 2022; Sunday, August 21, 2022; Saturday, August 27, 2022; Sunday, August 28, 2022; Saturday, September 3, 2022; Sunday, September 4, 2022; Saturday, September 10, 2022; Sunday, September 11, 2022; Saturday, September 17, 2022; Sunday, September 18, 2022; Saturday, September 24, 2022; Sunday, September 25, 2022; Saturday, October 1, 2022; Sunday, October 2, 2022; Saturday, October 8, 2022; Sunday, October 9, 2022; Saturday, October 15, 2022; Sunday, October 16, 2022; Saturday, October 22, 2022; Sunday, October 23, 2022; Saturday, October 29, 2022; Sunday, October 30, 2022; Saturday, November 5, 2022; Sunday, November 6, 2022; Saturday, November 12, 2022; Sunday, November 13, 2022; Saturday, November 19, 2022; Sunday, November

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Noise associated with the event activities and set-up/dismantling would occur from 7 AM until 6 PM on the dates above. For the 2022 dates listed above, set-up would occur from 7 AM until 10 AM, the market would occur from 10 AM until 4 PM, and clean-up/dismantling would occur from 4 PM to 6 PM. Road closures associated with the event would include 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue between Island Avenue and J Street, and Island Avenue between 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Avenues and J Street between 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> would occur on the dates above from 7 AM until 6 PM.

**ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL:** City of San Diego Mayor-Appointed Designee

**ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** CEQA Guidelines sections 15269(c), Emergency Project, and 15359, Emergency.

**ENTITY MAKING ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** City of San Diego Mayor-Appointed Designee

**STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** This action is exempt pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15269(c), Emergency Project, and 15359, Emergency. This action is necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency, and is also necessary to address a sudden and unexpected occurrence involving a clear and imminent danger, demanding immediate action to prevent or mitigate the loss of, or damage to, life, health, property, or essential public services related to the COVID-19 pandemic. This permit will allow the City to implement actions needed to prevent or mitigate the adverse effects to public health, safety, and welfare related to the spread of COVID-19 by allowing the use of public spaces for COVID-19 safety and economic recovery. Specifically, the use of these public spaces is immediately necessary to ensure that restaurant and retail uses, which are critical to the City's economy, and therefore, have the ability to provide essential services, and have sufficient physical areas to ensure social distancing to prevent or mitigate the spread of COVID-19. If additional spaces cannot be made available for these uses, social distancing would be physically constrained, and could therefore, could result in the spread of COVID-19.

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On November 10, 2021, the City of San Diego made the above-referenced environmental determination pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). This determination is appealable to the City Council. If you have any questions about this determination, contact the City Development Project Manager listed above.

Applications to appeal CEQA determination to the City Council must be filed with the Office of the Clerk within 10 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (**November 18, 2021**). During the Statewide "Safer-at-Home" directive to reduce the spread of COVID-19, beginning March 19, 2020, appeals to the City Clerk must be filed by email or US Mail as follows:

1. Appeals filed via E-mail: Send the appeal by email to [Hearings1@sandiego.gov](mailto:Hearings1@sandiego.gov); your email appeal will be acknowledged within 24 hours. The [appeal application can be obtained here](#). You must separately mail the appeal fee by check payable to the City Treasurer to: City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The appeal filing fee must be postmarked within 5 business days of the date the appeal is filed.
2. Appeals filed via US Mail: Send the appeal by US Mail to City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. Appeals filed by US Mail must have a United States Postal Service (USPS) postmark by the appeal deadline to be considered valid. The [appeal application can be obtained here](#). You must separately mail the required appeal fee by check payable to the City Treasurer to: City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The appeal filing fee must be postmarked within 5 business days of the date the appeal is filed.

This information will be made available in alternative formats upon request.

**POSTED ON THE CITY CLERK'S WEBSITE**

**POSTED: 11/10/21**

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