



**Date of Notice:** May 16, 2022

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

**SPECIAL EVENTS DEPARTMENT**

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**PROJECT NAME:** Special Event Permit – Rock n' Roll San Diego 5K

**COMMUNITY PLAN AREA:** Balboa Park and Uptown

**COUNCIL DISTRICT:** 3

**LOCATION:** Balboa Park, Inspiration Point Parking lot, Marston Point parking lot, Presidents Way, El Prado, 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue between Juniper and Upas

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Special Event Permit for a 5K run event and festival in Balboa Park that would include the temporary use of the run route, a stage, portable restrooms, portable recycling/trash containers, tents/canopies, generator, a drone, entertainment, food trucks, fencing/berries, and beer garden that would occur on June 4, 2022. Noise associated with the event activities and set-up/dismantling would occur from 8 AM on June 3, 2022, until 12 PM on June 4, 2022. There would be one stage for announcements/entertainment, and sound amplification would occur at the finish area from 6 AM until 10 AM. Alcohol would be served from 7:15 AM until 9:30 AM on June 4, 2022. Set-up would occur from 8 AM until 4 PM on June 3, 2022. On June 4, 2022, the run would occur from 5 AM until 10 AM, and the event would be dismantled from 10 AM until 12 PM.

The course for the event would begin at Presidents Way and Park Boulevard. See map attached for complete route details.

Road closures would be associated with this event and would include eastbound include eastbound Presidents Way from Park Boulevard from 8 AM on Friday, June 3, 2022 until 9 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Presidents Way between Park Boulevard and Pan American Road East from 6:30 AM until 8 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Pan American Road East between Presidents Way and El Prado from 6:30 AM until 8 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, El Prado between Pan American Road East and 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue from 6:30 AM until 8 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Balboa Drive between El Prado/Laurel Street and Marston Point from 5 AM until 8:30 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Balboa Drive between Marston Point and Juniper Street from 5 AM until 8:30 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Juniper Street between 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Balboa Drive from 5 AM until 8:30 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Northbound 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue between Juniper Street and Balboa Drive from 5 AM until 9 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Balboa Drive between Upas Street and Quince Drive from 5 AM until 9:30 AM on Saturday, June 4, 2022, Balboa Drive between Quince Drive and El Prado/Laurel Street from 8 AM on Friday, June 3, 2022 until 12 PM on Saturday, June 4, 2022. See grid attached for complete street closure details. See grid attached for complete parking closure details.

**ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL:** City of San Diego

**ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** Categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities); Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land); Section 15311 (Accessory Structures).

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

**STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** The City of San Diego conducted an environmental review that determined the project would not have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section(s): Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) which allows for the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing or minor alterations of existing public or private structures or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use; Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land) which allows for minor, temporary use of land that has negligible or no permanent effects on the environment; Section 15311 (Accessory Structures) which allows for construction, or placement of minor structures accessory to existing commercial, industrial, or institutional facilities, including, but not limited to, temporary use items in publicly owned facilities or other facilities designated for public use; and where the exceptions listed in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 would not apply in that no cumulative impacts were identified; no significant effects on the environment were identified; the project is not adjacent to a scenic highway; no historical resources would be affected by the action; and the project was not identified on a list of hazardous waste sites pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code.

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On May 16, 2022, 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 Contact listed above.

Applications to appeal CEQA determination to the City Council must be filed with the Office of the Clerk within 5 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (**May 23, 2022**). During the Statewide "Safer-at-Home" directive to reduce the spread of COVID-19, beginning March 19, 2021, 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@sanidiego.gov](mailto:Hearings1@sanidiego.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 In-Person: The appeal application can be obtained in the Lobby of the City Administration Building located at 202 'C' Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The completed appeal package must include the required appeal fee in the form of a check payable to the City Treasurer to: **City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101**.

If you have any questions regarding the procedures to file the appeal, please contact McKinna Dartez Chrismer at [mdartez@sandiego.gov](mailto:mdartez@sandiego.gov). The revised Public Notice can be found here: [https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/office\\_of\\_the\\_city\\_clerk\\_public\\_notice\\_rev09252020\\_v2.pdf](https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/office_of_the_city_clerk_public_notice_rev09252020_v2.pdf)

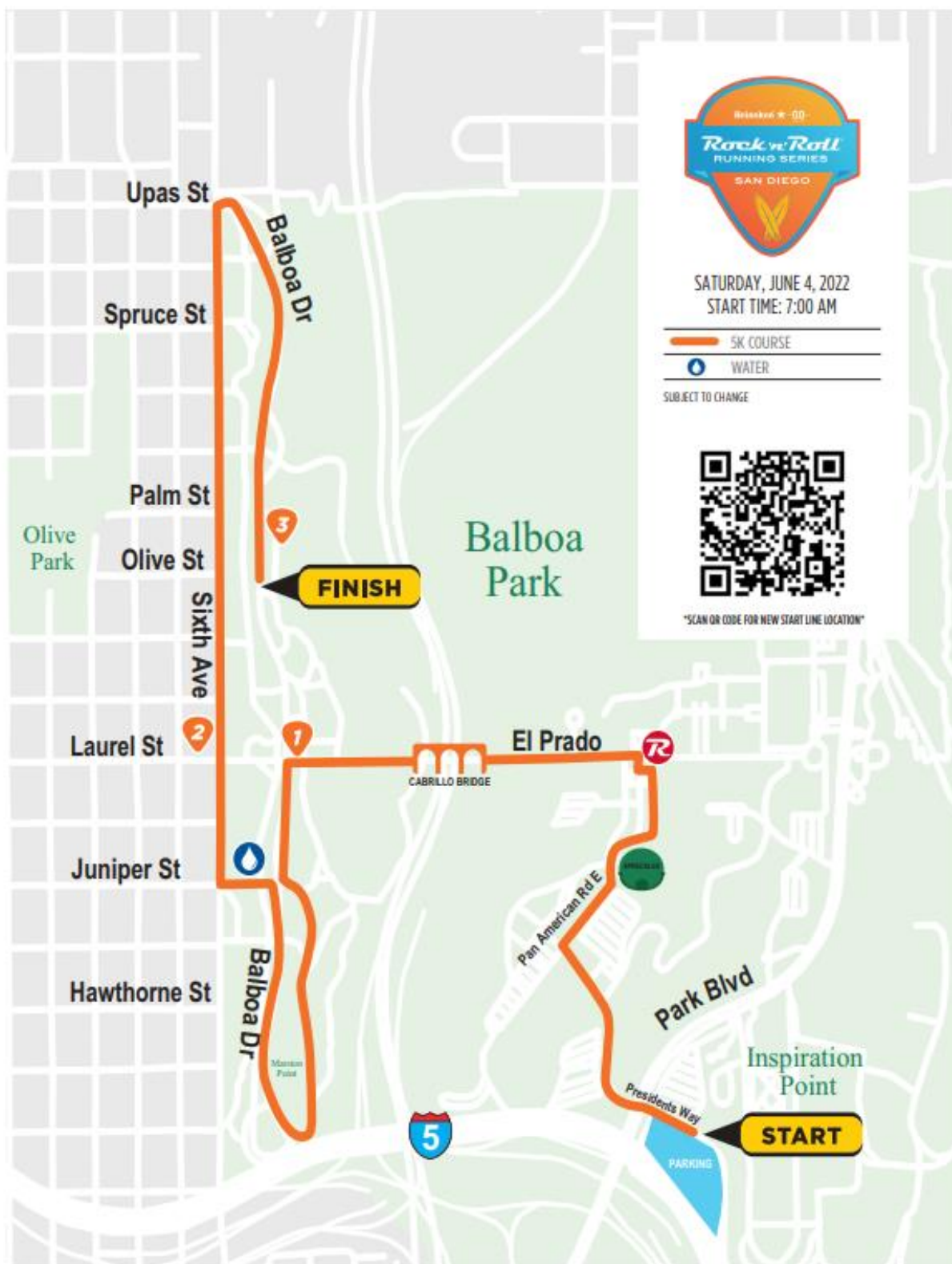
This information will be made available in alternative formats available in alternative formats upon request.

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

**POSTED: 05/16/2022**

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**POSTED: M. Dartez Chrismer**



## Rock 'n' Roll San Diego 5K | First/Last Runner Timeline

### Saturday June 4th, 2022

Runner Start Time	7:00 AM	Lead	Last
Time When Last Walker Crosses Start Line	7:20 AM	Runner	Walker
Street Crossings	Mile	is Here	is Here
<i>START: President's Way &amp; Park Blvd (East Side)</i>	0.1	7:00 AM	7:22 AM
Last walker passes Pan American Plaza & Organ Pavilion Parking Lots	0.2	7:01 AM	7:24 AM
Last walker off of Pan American Rd E	0.5	7:02 AM	7:30 AM
Last runner off of El Prado	0.9	7:04 AM	7:38 AM
<b>MILE 1 - Balboa Drive (south of El Prado)</b>	1	7:05 AM	7:40 AM
<i>RIGHT on Sixth Ave</i>	1.8	7:09 AM	7:56 AM
<b>MILE 2 - Sixth Ave &amp; Laurel Street</b>	2	7:10 AM	8:00 AM
<i>RIGHT on Balboa Drive (back into Park)</i>	2.6	7:13 AM	8:12 AM
<b>MILE 3 - Balboa Drive parallel with Palm Street</b>	3	7:15 AM	8:20 AM
<b>FINISH</b>	3.1	7:15 AM	8:22 AM

### Rock 'n' Roll San Diego 5K- ROAD CLOSURES

STREET CLOSED	SIDE	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPENED
Friday June 3rd, 2022					
Presidents Way (Start Line Staging)	Full Road	Park Blvd	East of Inspiration Point Parking	Fri 8:00 AM	Sat 9:00 AM
Start Line Equipment staging begins on Friday June 3rd at 8AM - Please note Inspiration Point Lots remain open for parking					
Saturday June 4th, 2022					
Presidents Way	Full Road	Park Blvd	Pan American Drive Rd E	6:30 AM	8:00 AM
Pan American Rd E	Full Road	Presidents Way	El Prado	6:30 AM	8:00 AM
El Prado	Full Road	Pan American Rd E	Sixth Ave	6:30 AM	8:00 AM
Balboa Drive	Full Road	El Prado/Laurel Street	Marston Point	5:00 AM	8:30 AM
Balboa Drive	Full Road	Marston Point	Juniper Rd	5:00 AM	8:30 AM
Juniper Road	Full Road	Sixth Ave	Balboa Drive	5:00 AM	8:30 AM
Sixth Ave	Northbound	Juniper Rd	Balboa Drive	5:00 AM	9:00 AM
Southbound Sixth Ave remains open traffic					
Balboa Drive	Full Road	Upas Street	Quince Drive	5:00 AM	9:30 AM
Balboa Drive (Finish Line)	Full Road	Quince Drive	El Prado/Laurel Street	Fri 8:00 AM	Sat 12:00 PM
HIGHWAY	DIRECTION	RAMP CLOSED	EXIT NUMBER	CLOSED	OPENED
SR- 163	Northbound	Quince Drive Off Ramp	1B	5:00AM	10:00AM

### Rock 'n' Roll San Diego 5K- NO PARKS

STREET CLOSED	SIDE	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPENED
Friday June 3rd, 2022					
Presidents Way (Start Line Staging)	Full Road	Park Blvd	East of Inspiration Point Parking	Fri 8:00 AM	Sat 9:00 AM
Balboa Drive (Finish Line)	Full Road	Quince Drive	El Prado/Laurel Street	Fri 8:00 AM	Sat 12:00 PM
Saturday June 4th, 2022					
Inspiration Point South Parking	South Lot	Park Blvd	East of Inspiration Point Parking	5:00 AM	10:00 AM
Presidents Way	Full Road	Park Blvd	Pan American Drive Rd E	5:00 AM	10:00 AM
Pan American Rd E	Full Road	Presidents Way	El Prado	5:00 AM	10:00 AM
El Prado	Full Road	Pan American Rd E	Sixth Ave	5:00 AM	10:00 AM
Balboa Drive	Full Road	El Prado/Laurel Street	Marston Point	5:00 AM	10:00 AM
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Juniper Road	Full Road	Sixth Ave	Balboa Drive	5:00 AM	10:00 AM
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