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Noise Variance / Permit

Application #: 4358793

Applicant: River Pig Saloon *Ramzy Hattar*
529 NW 13th Ave
Portland OR 97209

Organization: RIVER PIG SALOON

Activity: FIRST THURSDAY

Event Location: ROW – NW 13TH AVE BETWEEN NW GLISAN AND NW HOTY

Dates: Apr 4 , May 2, Jun 6, Jul 4, Aug 1, Sep 5, and Oct 3, 2019

Hours: 4:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Application for the above has been reviewed by the Noise Control Officer, City of Portland, and is hereby:

Approved, with the following conditions:

- A. All live amplification outdoors for this event shall cease at 11:00 p.m. SHARP on First Thursday nights, April 4th, May 2nd, June 6th, July 4th, August 1st, September 5th, and October 3rd, 2019.
- B. Sound levels at any neighboring property will not exceed 70 dBA - with occasional peaks to 75 dBA from 4:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. From 10:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m., sound levels shall not exceed 65 dBA with occasional peaks to 70 dBA, as measured at any neighboring property.
- C. Sound Level Monitoring is required once each hour at the closest neighboring property that has either a direct line of sight to the speakers, or is the most severely impacted neighbor due to their proximity to the speakers. This means the applicant will ensure that a representative will complete sound level measurements once an hour at two or more locations. The locations need to be specified precisely on the log maintained during the event, as well as the log supplied to the Noise Office within 7 days after the event.
- D. The applicant will ensure that a sound level log is maintained for the locations described in the condition above. The log should record the range of decibels noted during a three minute period. The range should span from the minimum level noted to the maximum level noted. If the sound company has a meter available with an Leq measurement capability, they will also record the Leq on the log sheet along with the noted range.
- E. The noise meter used for sound level measurements will be brought to the Noise Office prior to the event for calibration, if it is different than the one used last year.

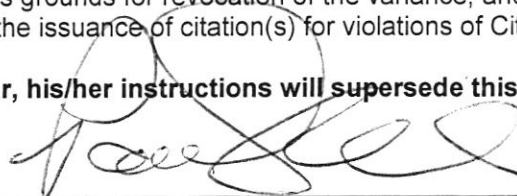
- F. If a noise complaint is received, the applicant will notify the Noise Control Office of the nature of the complaint, and the steps taken to resolve the complaint. Applicant shall call the Noise Control Officer within 12 hours of the receipt of the complaint. The applicant shall also complete a log of the complaints they receive directly on site or at River Pig Saloon. This log of complaints shall be supplied to the Noise Control Officer within three days after the event. These logs can be faxed to the Noise Office at 503-823-3050 with a follow-up call the Noise Control Officer at 503-823-5829 to verify receipt of fax.
- G. Sound levels will be reduced upon receipt of any complaint from the neighbors.
- H. Permit can be revoked by both the Portland Police Bureau and the Noise Control Office.
- I. Complaints are to be responded to in a timely manner. It is important that management of River Pig Saloon have immediate personnel available to respond to noise concerns raised by the neighborhood, the Noise Control Office or the Portland Police Bureau. Event staff will carry portable radios to quickly communicate if sound levels need to be adjusted.
- J. The Noise Control Office notes that the applicant has specified that they have contacted the neighborhood about the event. A reminder notice about the event will be sent out to all neighboring residences and businesses within two blocks of any of the event locations. The notice will include a direct number to reach a responsible party at the office to mitigate noise concerns. The notice shall also include the number for the Noise Control Office. The notice will go out a minimum of three days before the first day of the event. A copy of this notice will be supplied to the Noise Office on the same date it is given to the neighbors.

To the Applicant:

- 1. Carry this document with you during the activity. This is not a permit to make more noise than is minimally necessary for your needs.
- 2. Violation of the conditions of this variance constitutes grounds for revocation of the variance, and denial of future applications, and may also result in the issuance of citation(s) for violations of City Code.
- 3. **If a Police or Noise Control Officer should appear, his/her instructions will supersede this variance and take precedence.**

Date:

April 2, 2019



Paul van Orden, Noise Control Officer