



## CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

### PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT

**AGENDA DATE:** June 23, 2010

**TO:** Parks and Recreation Commission

**FROM:** Administration Division, Parks and Recreation Department

**SUBJECT:** 2010 West Beach Music and Arts Festival Appeal Update

**RECOMMENDATION:** That the Commission receive a brief report from staff on the status of the 2010 West Beach Music and Arts Festival Appeal.

**DISCUSSION:**

On May 19, 2010, the Commission held a public hearing to address Twiin Productions' Appeal of the Parks and Recreation Department Denial of a Permit for the 2010 West Beach Music and Arts Festival. After lengthy discussion, review, and public comment, the Commission, by a 3/2 vote, granted the appeal and agreed to allow Twiin Productions to put on the 2010 West Beach Music and Arts Festival with a maximum of 8,500 people per day; beginning at 4:00 p.m. and ending at 10:00 p.m. on Friday; beginning at Noon and ending at 10:00 p.m. on Saturday; and beginning at Noon and ending at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday. The Commission also noted that there were issues that needed to be and should be worked out with staff, and stipulated that Twiin Productions hire a professional acoustical consultant so that sound issues such as those experienced over the last few years would be handled in such a way that sound issues will be minimal.

On June 1, 2010, Mr. Tony Romasanta, Owner of Harbor View Inn, filed an appeal to the Parks and Recreation Commission's decision to allow a Music Festival at West Beach in September 2010.

On June 1, 2010, a second appeal to the Parks and Recreation Commission's decision to allow a Music Festival at West Beach in September 2010 was filed by Hilary Kleger, West Beach area resident.

The appeal is scheduled to be heard by City Council on Tuesday, June 29, 2010, at 4:00pm, in City Council Chambers, City Hall.

**ATTACHMENTS:** 1. Tony Romasanta Appeal  
2. Hilary Kleger Appeal

**SUBMITTED BY:** Nancy L. Rapp, Parks and Recreation Director