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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO CONCERNS

PCD PROJECT MANAGER CONCERNS

“The plan on the festival website is different than what has been submitted”.

Response – The website reflects 2019 festival operations and will be updated to reflect the new map and operations following mitigation of county concerns.

PCD ENGINEERING DIVISION

“Where will the offsite parking be?”

Response – Please see the attached letter from Bass Pro Shops authorizing use of their lot for excess parking.

“A CDOT special event permit will be required.”

Response – In 2019 Colorado State Patrol indicated there was no need for a special event permit for this event. Following the request from El Paso County, Pikes Peak Celtic Festival reached out to Colorado State Patrol’s special event office and discussed with Officer Bobby Jachum. There has not been any further determination of a need for a special event permit by Colorado State Patrol.

“Will there be an extra-duty sheriff deputy onsite for the whole festival?”

Response – Yes, the application has been made and special events application sent to El Paso County for approval of an extra-duty deputy onsite for the festival hours.

Please direct any questions regarding the happening of the festival to my cell at (719) 201-2390.

Most Respectfully,
Joseph Poch
Event Manager