THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE COUNTY

RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 013

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO WAIVE THREE (3) DAY'S RENTAL FEES FOR THE SANTA FE COUNTY FAIGROUNDS AND NEGOTIATE A TEMPORARY USE LEASE AGREEMENT WITH PARALLEL STUDIOS FOR AN EVENT TO BE HELD JUNE 16-25, 2023

WHEREAS, the CURRENT New Media Festival, which is produced by Parallel Studios, will be hosting its annual event from June 16, 2013 through June 25, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the festival brings together artists and visitors from around the world to celebrate 21st century art making and blends interactive experiences with beauty and wonder; and

WHEREAS, fifty (50) to sixty (60) artists from New Mexico, across the United States, and countries around the world will present works in Installations (interactive and non-interactive), Outdoor Installations and Projections, Experimental Single Channel Video/Experimental Documentary/Animation, Virtual Augmented/Mixed-Reality Environments, AI Generated or Assisted 2D and 3D work, Robotics/Kinetic/Electro-Mechanical Objects and Installations, Multimedia Performance, Digitally Generated or Fabricated Objects, and Wearables; and

WHEREAS, this year, Parallel Studios has once again requested to rent three buildings at the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds for this event; and

WHEREAS, in 2022 there was a conflict between the agreements with the Folk Art Flea and Parallel Studios; and

WHEREAS, both vendors are regular and satisfied users of the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds; and

WHEREAS, Parallel Studios and Folk Art Flea found a solution that was reasonable and allowed both parties to plan and carry out events in 2022; and

WHEREAS, Folk Art Flea was provided fee waived day(s) pursuant to Resolution 2022-25 as part of the agreement to resolve the double booking; and

WHEREAS, Parallel Studios will also be provided fee waived days to provide consideration for the County's double booking; and

WHEREAS in Resolution No. 2015-103, the Board of County Commissioners (Board) adopted rental fees for the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to expressly authorize the County Manager to waive three (3) days rental fees for the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds and negotiate a Temporary Use Lease Agreement with Parallel Studios for June 16, 2013 through June 25, 2023.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board as follows:

- 1. The County Manager is hereby authorized to waive three (3) day's rental fees for Parallel Studios for use of the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds from June 16-25, 2023. To the extent required by the Policies and Procedures for Temporary Use Leasing of the Santa Fe County Fairgrounds, the Santa Fe County Fairground Rental Fees adopted by Resolution 2015-103 are hereby amended to allow for this one-time waiver.
- 2. The County Manager is delegated the authority to negotiate and execute a Temporary Use Lease Agreement with Parallel Studios to occupy this space for the three-day event.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED ON THIS 31st DAY OF JANUARY, 2023.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE COUNTY

Anna Hansen, Chair

Date: Jan 3/ 3023

ATTESTATION:

Katharine E. Clark

Santa Fe County Clerk

Date: <u>Orn 31 25</u>

Approved as to form:

Jeff S. Young

Santa Fe County Attorney

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COUNTY OF SANTA FE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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I Hereby Certify That This Instrument Was Filed for Record On The 7TH Day Of February, 2023 at 08:50:33 AM And Was Duly Recorded as Instrument # 2006148 Of The Records Of Santa Fe County

> Witness My Hand And Seal Of Office Katharine E. Clar County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM

