

Summer Arts & Music Festival Post Event Report
(CUP-12-17 / SP-12-030)(Humboldt)
Mateel Community Center
February 3, 2023

Summary

Summer Arts & Music Festival took place on June 18 & 19, 2022, in Piercy, CA on the Mendocino/Humboldt County Line per Humboldt County Conditional Use Permit (CUP-12-17 / SP-12-030.)

The following summarized are key monitoring notes from the 2022 festival:

Total event attendance was 4000 and 1600 vehicles with approximately 500 volunteers, vendors, and staff camped at the event.

The project was developed and conducted in accordance with the Plan of Operations submitted to Mendocino and Humboldt Counties.

All permits necessary permits and approvals from other state and local agencies were received. There was some confusion regarding the notification of Cal Fire. This has been clarified and proper notification will be made for each event to all agencies including Cal-Fire.

Traffic and camping plans proved to be very effective. Ingress and egress went smoothly, there was ample parking throughout the event and fire lanes were kept clear. Vehicles with any leaks were directed to parking areas away from sensitive areas. More emphasis on a shuttle program and carpooling measures will take place in 2023.

The project was discussed and coordinated with Mendocino and Humboldt County Sheriff Offices, Garberville CHP and Piercy, Briceland, and Garberville Fire Departments.

Total water use during the Month of June for County Line Ranch was measured at 12,040 gallons. Monitoring reports were not maintained specific to our event in 2022. There will be detailed monitoring reports for 2023 for both events in each county.

No community meeting was held, however, the Mateel Community Center can arrange this in the future.