



AGENDA ITEM NO. 9.a.

The Garden Grove Community Arts Society Inc.
Supporting the Cinematic, Visual, Creative and Performance Arts

May 8, 2015

To The Honorable Mayor & City Council Members

The City of Garden Grove

RE: Request for fee waiver approval

Greetings Mr. Mayor and City Council Members,

The Garden Grove Community Arts Society is proud to announce the dates for the 9th annual "Indie Fest USA International Film & Music Festival" are October 15-18, 2015. This year we will be screening 150 independent films from the US and 16 nations including several award winners from Cannes and Tribeca Film Festivals.

This will be the celebration of our 5th Anniversary in Garden Grove of this exciting and constantly growing community event. This year's celebration will lead into our 2016 "Decade of Cinema" celebration since the festival's founding in 2007.

We are respectfully asking for the City Council to waive the rental fee's for use of the Village Green Community Center on Thursday, October 15th, 2015 so we may use the venue for our opening night Filmmaker & VIP reception.

We are also respectfully asking for the City Council to waive the rental fee's for the city's Show Mobile (portable stage) for the dates of Thursday October 15th, Friday October 16th, Saturday October 17th and Sunday October 18th. As used in 2014 the show mobile again will be the center of attention for musical and dance performances from community artists during all days of the festival. It will also serve as the awards presentation stage on closing night.

Most Sincerely,

Donald Taylor
Co-Chair & Chief Executive
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Approved for Agenda listing

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