

SCHEDULE 1 – REASONS AND CONSIDERATIONS

Having regard to the following:

- Part XVI of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended)
- The Planning & Development Regulations 2001 (as amended)
- the Natura Impact Statement relating to the proposed development.
- the mitigation measures proposed to curtail the potential impacts of the development.
- the reports from internal sections of Sligo County Council.
- the comments and recommendations received from prescribed bodies.
- the Planning Authority's determination under Art. 6.3 of EU Habitats Directive (Council Directive 92/43/EEC and the European Communities (Natural Habitats) Regulations 1997 (S.I. No. 94/1997).

The proposed event would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

SCHEDULE 2 – SCHEDULE OF CONDITIONS

GENERAL:

1. The Event shall comply in full with the proposals, drawings, particulars and undertakings received by the Planning Authority on **29th February 2024** and as amended where required by the conditions below. Any alterations relating to the event shall be agreed in writing with the Planning Authority prior to the event.
2. (a) **Main Stage performance hours shall be as follows:**

| Date | Opening Time | Duration |
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| Friday 31 st May to Sunday 2nd June 2024 | 13.00 hrs | 14.00 – 00.00 |

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- (b) **All other venues performance hours shall be as follows:**

| Venue | Date | Opening Time | Duration |
|-----------------|---|--------------|---------------|
| Wild West Stage | Friday 31 st May to Sunday 2nd June 2024 | 11.00 hrs | 12.00 – 01.00 |
| District 22 | Friday 31 st May to Sunday 2nd June 2024 | 13.00hrs | 16.00 – 02.00 |
| The Church | Friday 31 st May to Sunday 2nd June 2024 | 11.00hrs | 12.00 – 01:45 |
| Circus Tent | Friday 31 st May to Sunday 2nd June 2024 | 11.00hrs | 12.00 – 23:00 |

- (c) Campsite shall open at 9:00am on Friday 31st May and shall close at 2:00pm on Monday 3rd June.
3. The applicant shall submit a **Final Event Management Plan** which shall have regard to and accord with the provisions of this licence and shall be submitted to the Planning Authority for written agreement on or before **Friday 10th May 2024**. The Final Event Management Plan shall include a Major Emergency Plan, Traffic Management Plan, Safety Strategy Statement, an Environmental Monitoring Programme, Noise Monitoring Plan, Clean-up Programme and all management arrangements unless previously submitted to Sligo County Council. The Final Event Management Plan shall be implemented in full.

The applicant shall submit copies of the Final Event Management Plan to all relevant parties, including the H.S.E, An Garda Síochána and Fire Service.

Any alterations to the Final Event Management Plan shall be agreed in writing with the Planning Authority prior to commencement of/ during the event.

BIO-DIVERSITY

4. (a) All mitigation measures detailed in Section 5.1 of the Natura Impact Statement shall be implemented on site.
- (b) The applicant shall submit a copy of the user's agreement signed by all the outdoor adventure providers for the written approval of the Planning Authority and the NPWS on or before **Friday 10th May 2024**. The user agreement with the operators shall include an undertaking to uphold the mitigation measures included in the NIS, including the site selection process, hydrological interactions, visitor management and biosecurity of aquatic habitats. The undertaking should include an acknowledgement of the importance of the conservation status of Lough Gill SAC and the sensitivity and significance of all the habitats of the shoreline, at all times of the year but particularly in bird nesting season.
- (c) A suitably qualified ecologist(s) shall be engaged to carry out monitoring of the event during the period from construction to take down of the concert structures, including during the concert event and planned activities associated with the festival event.

One month after the festival the applicant shall submit to the Planning Authority and the NPWS for their written approval an ecological monitoring report prepared by a suitably qualified ecologist(s) which assesses the potential

cumulative impact and any issues arising as a result of the annual running of the festival adjacent to Lough Gill SAC.

- (d) The proposed temporary floating pontoon shall be fully removed by Monday 10th June 2024.
- (e) Biosecurity measures must be put in place to prevent the spread of invasive species and pathogens for the installation of the floating pontoon at Anna Bay and for all water sports activities. IFI biosecurity protocol is attached for reference.
- (f) There must be no silt discharge into the stream flowing through the site or Lough Gill as a result of site preparation or traffic. Soil protection measures may be required to prevent soil erosion and silt discharges in areas of high pedestrian traffic during wet weather or waterlogged soil conditions.
- (g) The Sligo Anglers Association shall be notified of the proposed event.
- (h) Access to Lough Gill for emergency services, IFI staff and other water users must be maintained at both the pier in Anna Bay and Half Moon Bay, throughout the period of the festival. Traffic management must be put in place here and a clear area for access by other users maintained.
- (i) There must be no discharge of hydrocarbons as a result of this event. An adequately stocked hydrocarbon spill kit must be maintained and available on-site at all times.

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT:

- 5. (a) Details and drawings of the **Final Traffic Management Plan** for the Event shall form part of the Final Event Management Plan and shall be submitted on or before **Friday 10th May 2024** and agreed with the Planning Authority and An Garda Síochána. Traffic Management for the event shall be carried out in accordance with the agreed plan, unless otherwise agreed with the Planning Authority and An Garda Síochána. You are advised to consult with Paul Hampson & Dermot McTiernan, Roads Section prior to lodging the **Final Traffic Management Plan**
- (b) VMS boards shall be placed in advance of the proposed diversion routes. Proposed location shall be submitted for agreement with the Roads Section, Sligo Co. Co.
- (c) The diversion route shall be inspected well in advance of the event to ensure hedgerows/tree branches and grass verges are clear and don't obstruct traffic along the proposed diversion routes. Any proposal to cut back any obstruction

shall be considered in the context of Section 40 of the Wildlife Act 1976, as amended by Section 46 of the 2000 Amendment Act.

- (d) An inspection regime shall be put in place along proposed diversion route to ensure there are no traffic related issues along the route once in operation.
- (e) The adjacent public road network shall remain clear of muck/debris emanating from the proposed car parks in the event of poor weather conditions during the event.
- (f) The public road shall be inspected after the event and any litter/muck/debris left on the public road shall be removed prior to the road being opened to traffic.
- (g) In the event of dry weather the applicant shall ensure adequate dust suppression/ prevention measures are provided within the site.

CROWD CONTROL & SAFETY:

- 6. (a) The event shall be run in accordance with the code of practice for safety at Outdoor Pop concerts and Other Outdoor Musical Events.
- (b) The “Safe Holding capacity” shall not exceed the lowest of the following:
 - i. Entry capacity
 - ii. Holding capacity
 - iii. Exit capacity.
 - iv. Emergency exit capacity
- (c) For the purpose of sizing emergency exits, crowd capacity will include all attendees, guests, visitors, volunteers, staff, sub-contractors and concessionaries. The final event management plan shall outline expected numbers for all categories based on ticket sales and previous event history.
- (d) On or before **Friday 10th May 2024**, the promoter shall submit to the Fire Service for written approval “as built” plans and calculations relating to the number, location and capacity of exits for each of the temporary structures which will accommodate members of the public i.e. marquees, tents and tented structures

Note.

The occupancies for each temporary structure shall be based on an occupancy load factor of 0.3m²/person– this will alleviate the possibility of inadequate egress facilities when areas are used to full potential i.e. during times of inclement conditions or during popular performances.

- (e) Provision of adequate artificial and emergency lighting and exit signage to cover all escape routes (internally and externally) shall be provided. Furthermore, maintained emergency lighting shall be used within marquees, tents and tented structures. All emergency lighting and exit sign power circuits shall be designed and installed so that the failure of any single power supply does not reduce illumination levels below those permitted by IS 3217
- (f) A lighting plan shall be submitted for approval to the Fire Authority on or before **Friday 10th May 2024**. setting out a programme for installation, commissioning and inspection of emergency lighting facilities prior to and throughout the event. Emergency lighting shall be fully functional in all areas one day prior to occupation by members of the public. A signed copy of the lighting certification shall be provided prior to any arranged on site lighting verification audit.
- (g) All exit signage shall be illuminated and of the 'running man' configuration. The size of the signs shall be agreed with the Fire Authority prior to the event and will depend on the associated viewing distances.
- (h) Stewarding and barriers shall be provided at all entrances/ exits to and from the venue.
- (i) Stewarding shall be provided along all emergency routes.
- (j) Security personnel on site shall wear appropriate tabards suitably numbered as to identify each person. A **list of security personnel** and the name of the company to be employed shall be submitted to An Garda Síochána **prior to the commencement** of the event.
- (k) Security at the car parks and campervan parking site shall be in place prior to the car parking opening and shall remain on site until all cars and campers have evacuated the site.
- (l) Full security at the campsite shall be in place from 07:00hrs on Thursday 2nd June 2022 and shall remain on site until all cars and campers have evacuated.
- (m) Adequate CCTV coverage shall be provided throughout the site to the satisfaction of An Garda Síochána.

FIRE BRIGADE FACILITIES:

- 7. (a) An emergency route shall be provided to, from and within the site for emergency vehicles. The emergency access route shall be sign posted, clearly identifiable and kept available for use by emergency service vehicles at all times. Gates on the emergency route shall be manned at all times. If it is proposed to allow access by non-emergency traffic or pedestrians to any part of the emergency route,

procedures for ensuring availability of the **route for emergency vehicles** shall be agreed in writing with the Fire Authority on or before Friday 10th May 2024 and shall be incorporated into the Final Event Management Plan.

- (b) Hard-standing lay-bys shall be provided for site service vehicles along emergency route and access routes (including campsites) adjacent to toilet blocks and any other areas where site service vehicles may need to stop. Other vehicles shall not be allowed to park on these lay-bys. The **emergency access routes** shall be available for inspection by the Fire Authority at least **five days prior to the commencement of the event.**
- (c) Any vehicles obstructing emergency access routes or lay-bys shall be removed immediately.
- (d) The Event organisers shall submit a draft on-site firefighting and water supply plan for approval to the Fire Authority on or before **Friday 10th May 2024.** The draft plan shall include proposals in relation to the following items:
- Location of Fire Extinguishers shall be indicated on the detailed site layout plan, in accordance with I.S. 291:2015 *Selection, commissioning, installation, inspection and maintenance of portable fire extinguishers.*
 - Certification of Fire Extinguishers to IS 291:2015 including for all vendor unit shall be available for inspection.
 - Firefighting personnel: Minimum of 6 personnel including a supervisor on duty at all times basis, with appropriate rest periods and welfare arrangements.
 - Fire-fighting personnel associated supervisor(s) and security staff shall have appropriated level of training.
 - Vehicles: Minimum of 1No. off-road capable vehicle with appropriate firefighting capability.
 - Equipment: All firefighting equipment to have records demonstrating compliance with the UK *Fire Service Manual – Volume 1: Inspection and Testing of Equipment*, HM Fire Service Inspectorate, London, 2003.
 - Response times: Maximum response time to the arena of 3 minutes, campsite 5 minutes, carparks 7 minutes from time of first alarm by event staff.
 - Procedures for calling local authority fire service.
 - Provision of firefighting water supply subject to approval of the Fire Authority.

If in the opinion of a senior fire officer of Sligo Fire Service firefighting or water supply arrangements do not achieve the agreed level of provision, alternative on-site fire cover arrangements may be put in place by Sligo Fire Service at the expense of the event organisers.

- (e) Access all area passes shall be available for all Fire Service personnel.

STAGE AND TEMPORARY STRUCTURES

8. (a) 6No. copies of a finalised site plan at 1:1000 scale shall be submitted to the Fire Authority for written approval on or before **Friday 10th May 2024** indicating the location and name of all temporary structures on site. The plan shall also include the location of LPG Storage areas, generators, fuel stores, observation / lighting towers and emergency routes.
- (b) Each publicly accessible marquee, tent or temporary structure with a capacity of greater than 50 people shall have a laminated notice affixed in a place which is available for inspection at all times by Fire Authority personnel which sets out the following information:
- Name and contact details of person(s) in charge of structure (and their deputies if appropriate).
 - Maximum occupant capacity.
 - Number, location and size of exits (shown on a drawing if appropriate).
- (c) The layout and management of any structure with more than one storey shall be notified to and agreed with the fire authority prior to construction.
- (d) The emergency exits from each structure shall lead to a place of safety and shall be available at all times whilst the structure is in use.
- (e) Marquees, tents and tented structures shall be erected in accordance with manufactures recommendations in a safe position. Therefore, all temporary structures, including stage/s, marquees, concert tents, lighting towers, cinema etc, shall be certified by a chartered structural engineer no later than 4.00 pm the day before it is proposed to use them. Additionally, all temporary structures shall be certified by a chartered structural engineer after adverse weather conditions and after alterations. Certification shall be available on site for inspection by the Fire Authority.
- (f) The construction and use of the marquees shall comply with the *MUTA Code of Practice for Marquees*.
- (g) Test certification for the temporary structure's linings, drapes and roof coverings shall be available on site for inspection by the Fire Authority.
- (h) All electrical wiring, fittings and appliances shall be installed and certified in accordance with IS 10101:2020 & AC1 2020 *National Rules for Electrical Installations* prior to use. Certification shall be available for inspection by the Fire Authority.

- (i) An anemometer is to be fitted at the highest point of the temporary structures and the wind speed to be monitored in the event of high winds. The event management plan shall include a maximum wind speed at which temporary structures must be evacuated. All temporary structures, including stage/s, marquees, concert tents, lighting towers, cinema etc, shall be monitored by a chartered structural engineer throughout the course of the event.

CAMPING & CAR PARKS

- 9.
 - (a) A procedure for ensuring that adequate fire separation distances and emergency access routes are maintained for the duration of the event between campervans / caravans shall be agreed with the Fire Authority at least one month prior to the event and incorporated into the event management plan. This plan shall include specified minimum separation distances, management procedures, staffing and supervision arrangements.
 - (b) Caravan and campervan parking areas shall be kept separate.
 - (c) Inspections of each car park will be undertaken during the hours of darkness by security personnel to remove any unauthorised tents.
 - (d) The final layout of the camping area shall be forwarded for approval to the Planning Authority and the Fire Authority on or before **Friday 10th May 2024**. The access roadways within and around each campsite and campervan area shall be a minimum of 4.5 m wide and provide emergency vehicle access to within 50 metres of all areas of the campsite and campervan area. Additionally, adequate room shall be provided at junctions to allow fire fighting vehicles to manoeuvre.
 - (e) Appropriate fire separation distances shall be maintained between any solid structures in the campsites, details to be agreed in advance of the event with the Fire Authority.
 - (f) Sufficient observation/ lighting towers shall be provided to allow observation of all areas of the campsites. The towers shall be crewed at all times whilst the campsite is open to the public. The personnel manning the towers shall have two-way radios on the security net, arrangements shall be put in place to mitigate the risk of radio communications failure. The observation / lighting towers shall be available for inspection by the Fire Authority at least five days before the event.

FIRE LOAD AREAS

10. (a) Where LPG gas is used, the cylinders shall be secured in cages or compounds to which members of the public will not have access. Certification shall be available for inspection by the Fire Authority for all gas installations.
- (b) Portable gas or petroleum fuelled heaters, petrol driven generators and sky lanterns are prohibited on the site unless specifically agreed in writing with the Fire Authority in advance. Ongoing inspections shall be carried out by the event organisers to ensure this is maintained for the duration of the event.
- (c) The layout of catering and concession units shall be agreed in writing with the Fire Authority at least one week before the event.
- (d) Any open fire (including barbecues) shall be separated from all adjacent structures (including tents or campervans) by a minimum of 6m. The location of all open fires shall be subject to the agreement of the Fire Authority.
- (e) Specific details of any proposed pyrotechnics shall be supplied to the Fire Authority, in accordance with the requirements of the *Guidance Document for Organised Pyrotechnic Displays*.

EVENT CONTROL

11. (a) An event control room / area shall be provided throughout the duration of the build-up, event and break down. The event control room shall be provided with necessary facilities as agreed prior to the event with the Fire Authority to be used as an on-site coordination facility by principal response agencies in the event of a major emergency occurring at the event.
- (b) Nominated members of the event safety management team (i.e. Event Controller and Event Safety Officer or their nominated deputies as listed in the final event management plan), contactable on the event management / security net, are to be on site on a 24-hour basis whilst the campsites are in operation during the event to ensure adequate supervision and management of site safety. Any changes to the event safety management team shall be agreed in writing with the Fire Authority.
- (c) The event controller and event safety officer shall organise and attend an emergency services meeting in the event control room at 10:00 on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, along with a meeting at 15:00 Monday, which will outline the programme for the day ahead as well as reviewing the previous day.

- (d) The adverse weather plan for the event shall be agreed in writing with the Fire Authority at **on or before Friday 10th May 2024** and shall include actions to be taken in the event of severe weather advisories or warnings from Met Eireann.
- (e) All aforementioned certifications shall be retained, and be available for inspection, within the event control room
- (f) All areas of the site shall be ready for inspection for compliance with the event licence conditions and statutory fire safety requirements on the day prior to opening to members of the public. The Event Controller and Event Safety Officer shall provide signed proof that all of the above requirements are in place prior to any area being opened to the public i.e. signed verification that all requirements are complied with the day before areas to the public are opened. Therefore, a signed verification document shall be provided on **Thursday 30th May 2024 at 16:00** for all areas being opened to the public on **Friday 31st May 2024**.

NOTE: if any of the above is not provided, or where there are obvious contraventions of same, the areas in question will be assessed the following evening at 16:00 but these areas will remain closed to the public until all of the conditions outlined above are complied with in full.

- (g) A debriefing session shall be arranged by the applicant **within 8 weeks** following the completion of the event. The applicant shall advise the Planning Authority and all relevant parties of details, times and venues of the debriefing session at least 1 week prior to the scheduled date.
- (h) A comprehensive list of **contact persons** for each relevant stakeholder shall be compiled and circulated by the applicant on or before **Friday 10th May 2024**. Such persons shall be available to contact throughout the duration of the event.
- (i) The applicant shall provide “*access all areas*” passes to named Sligo Fire and Rescue Fire Officers and the named Licensing Compliance Co-ordinators from the Planning Authority commencing at least **3 days before** the event. Suitable access passes to the site during the event shall be provided to other stakeholders and Sligo County Council personnel and any other relevant body/ persons with appropriate accreditation as necessary.

MEDICAL PROVISIONS:

- 12. (a) A **Finalised Medical Plan**, approved by the Health Service Executive shall be submitted to the Planning Authority and the HSE, Emergency Management Office on or before **Friday 10th May 2023**. Any alterations to this Finalised Plan shall be agreed in writing with the Planning Authority in consultation with the HSE prior to commencement of/ during the event.

- (b) All medical personnel that are listed as having roles under the Event Medical Plan are required to be qualified by and registered with the relevant recognised professional body and operate within their scope of practice.
- (c) Any medical / first aid activity at the event shall be recorded, compiled and forwarded directly to the HSE Emergency Management, West Office, within one month of the event taking place. The following information (without names and personal details) should be included:
 - a. Number of patrons accessing medical / first aid services
 - b. Number of patrons requiring actual treatment
 - c. Number of patrons moved to hospital (with dates, times and by whom)
 - d. Types of injury / illness
- (d) This license may be suspended by the Licensing Authority at the request of the Health Service Executive due to issues of public safety in relation to major public health risks. The HSE Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HSPC) provide the most up to date guidance and supporting documents which are available at www.hpsc.ie.
- (e) For Covid-19 in particular, the event must comply with any public health guidance and any conditions for running events (as per www.hpsc.ie and www.gov.ie), which may apply at the time of the event.
- (f) Access to the event shall be facilitated for the Health Service Executive Emergency Management Officer or designate. (If the venue/event has specific accreditation considerations, the documentation required to facilitate access should be forwarded to the Emergency Management Office at least 2 weeks prior to the event.)
- (g) Access to the immediate area surrounding the event shall be facilitated for Health Service Executive Community Services providing domiciliary care services to the population adjacent to the venue.
- (h) Where hospitals, health centres or residential units are located within traffic or pedestrian restricted areas associated with the event, then access for staff, clients and visitors must be maintained throughout the event.

WATER SUPPLY & DRINKING WATER:

13. (a) **At least one week prior to the festival taking place** the following shall be submitted to Sligo County Council for written approval;
- i. Results of bacteriological and chlorine testing of the potable water supplies at the venue.
 - ii. Confirmation of the drinking water monitoring program and drinking water distribution points.
- (b) The applicant shall ensure that a clean potable water supply is provided for the duration of the event which complies with the requirements of the EU Drinking Water Regulation 2023.
- (c) All taps shall be cleaned/disinfected prior to use and disinfected at regular intervals daily over the festival. All pipe work and connections shall be disinfected and flushed prior to use.
- (d) All potable water at the event shall have a residual chlorine level of greater than 0.2 mg/l. Any reduction in the levels of chlorine must be resolved immediately.
- (e) Regular chlorine tests shall be undertaken daily over the event and the location of the tests and time taken shall be recorded. These records shall be maintained and made available for inspection by Sligo County Council on request.
- (f) A suitably qualified and experienced environmental specialist shall be employed for the event. The individual shall oversee compliance with environmental planning conditions, drinking water monitor and reporting and consult with third parties and the planning authority.
- (g) Appropriately sized signage shall be erected to ;
- i. Identify drinking water locations.
 - iii. To inform people that the water at hand sanitising & washing facilities is not for consumption.
- (h) In the Final Event Management Plan the reference to the *European Union (Drinking Water) Regulations 2014 (S.I. 122 of 2014)* shall be updated to reflect the new drinking water legislation, *European Union (Drinking Water) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 99 of 2023)*, and compliance with current standards.

- (i) Where the Event Manager / Promoter proposes any new connection to public water mains, they shall sign a connection agreement with Uisce Éireann prior to any works commencing and connecting to the network.

SANITARY ACCOMODATION / WASTEWATER

- 14. (a) Temporary sanitary accommodation shall be provided within the festival site and its surroundings in accordance with the plans and proposals submitted to the Planning Authority. Provisions shall exceed recommendations of the Code of Practice for the Safety at Outdoor Pop Concerts and other Outdoor Musical Events (Department of Education 1996) in accordance with the plans and proposals submitted to the Planning Authority. All areas of the festival site shall be adequately serviced with toilet facilities including the main arena, main campsite, family campsite, campervan site, carparking areas and staff and trading areas.
- (b) All domestic wastewater, trade effluent, greywater and soiled water generated on site shall be removed off site by an authorised waste disposal contractor who holds a valid waste collection permit for the disposal of the specific wastes concerned. There shall be no direct or indirect discharge of trade effluent, greywater, or soiled water to surface water or groundwater. All trade effluent and soiled water generated on site shall be intercepted and stored for disposal in accordance with the plans and proposals submitted to the Licensing Authority and in accordance with the requirements of national waste legislation.
- (c) IBC wastewater tanks shall be provided on site for the interception, collection, storage and disposal of all trade effluent, greywater and soiled water generated on site. De-sludging/removal of liquid effluents shall be carried out by an authorised waste disposal contractor who holds a valid waste collection permit for the collection and disposal of the specific effluents concerned.
- (d) Storage facilities for all soiled water generated arising at the shower units shall be provided on site in accordance with the plans and proposals submitted to the Planning Authority. All soiled water associated with the shower units shall be transported off site by an authorised waste disposal contractor with a current, valid, waste collection permit for final disposal at an authorised facility.
- (e) Each temporary toilet unit shall be provided with a hand sanitizing unit. Toilets shall also be lit with temporary lighting for evening use.
- (f) Directional signage of sufficient size stating "Sanitary Accommodation" or "Toilets" shall be erected in areas where the public/attendees shall clearly view.
- (g) All sanitary accommodation units and all wastewater IBC storage tanks shall be in-situ 24 hours prior to the commencement of the outdoor event/arrival of

attendees and shall be accessible for inspection by the public health service (HSE) or the Planning Authority. Adequate facilities shall be provided and maintained in the lead up to the preparation and decommissioning of the site to ensure that site staff and employees are accommodated.

- (h) A suitable non-slip surface, adequately drained, shall be provided at all sanitary accommodation areas.
- (i) The event organiser shall ensure that all sanitary facilities are maintained in a clean and hygienic condition throughout the event. Record keeping of the cleaning programme shall be maintained for inspection.
- (j) Separate sanitary facilities to be provided for food workers at a ratio of 1:15 and designated for food workers only. These Sanitary conveniences to be provided with plumbed hand-wash sinks, with hot and cold running water, and suitable hand drying facilities.
- (k) Wastewater collected from the temporary sanitary facilities shall be disposed of in an appropriately licensed wastewater treatment facility in accordance with the requirements of national waste legislation.
- (l) All temporary toilet units located on site shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and recommendations and shall be serviced and de-sludged on a regular basis throughout the event. De-sludging shall be carried out by an authorised waste disposal contractor who holds a valid waste collection permit for the collection and disposal of sewage/sewage sludge.
- (m) All waste fats oils and grease associated with the operation of the catering units on site shall be removed off site in accordance with the requirements of national waste legislation.
- (n) The applicant shall maintain waste disposal records for the disposal of all liquid effluent streams and soiled water for the duration of the event and these records shall be presented to the Planning Authority within **four weeks of completion of the event.**

NOISE

15. (a) The applicant shall comply with *The Noise Council Code of Practice on Environmental Noise Control at Concerts (The Noise Council, 1995)*. The maximum Music Noise Level measured at the nearest noise sensitive locations agreed in advance between the Planning Authority and the acoustic consultant shall not exceed 65 dB(A) over a 15-minute period, at 1 m from the façade of any noise sensitive location during rehearsals, sound checks and the event.
- (b) In accordance with *The Noise Council Code of Practice on Environmental Noise Control at Concerts (The Noise Council, 1995)*: for events continuing or held between the hours 23.00 and 09.00 the music should not be audible within noise-sensitive premises with windows open in a typical manner for ventilation.
- (c) A suitably qualified and experienced noise control consultant shall be appointed in accordance with the plans and proposals submitted to the Planning Authority. The noise control consultant shall liaise between the promoter and the sound engineer on all matters relating to noise control prior to, including sound checks and rehearsals, and during the concert events. The appointed noise control consultant shall continually monitor noise levels at agreed noise sensitive locations, and advise the acoustic consultant accordingly, to ensure that the noise limits are not exceeded. The applicant shall submit for the formal approval of the Licensing Authority a final noise management for the event four weeks in advance of the date of commencement of the event. The final noise monitoring plan submitted shall confirm all proposed noise monitoring locations and noise management strategies that will be employed on site.
- (d) Stages at the festival and speaker system configuration shall be orientated in accordance with the recommendations detailed in the draft Noise Management Plan submitted to the Planning Authority. Noise management on site shall be carried out in accordance with the Noise Management Strategy detailed in Section 3.0 of the Draft Noise Management Plan submitted to the Planning Authority.
- (e) The music noise level shall be measured in accordance with the requirements of Section 3.8 of *The Noise Council Code of Practice on Environmental Noise Control at Concerts (The Noise Council, 1995)*.
- (f) The applicant shall advertise and operate an attended complaint telephone number through which noise complaints can be channelled to enable an immediate response to the complaints to be provided and the noise consultant to assess whether any adjustment to the music noise level is needed. The noise consultant shall advise the sound engineer of any breaches in the prescribed noise limit to enable a reduction in level as appropriate.

- (g) The noise monitoring results, together with a log of any noise nuisance complaints received and action taken to resolve any noise complaints during the holding of the event shall be submitted to the Planning Authority **within 8 weeks of the completion of the festival event.**
- (h) Rehearsals and sound check for the concert events shall only be carried out between the following hours, 10.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. and must be limited in duration to no more than three hours total cumulative duration and shall not take place on any more than two individual days in total in advance of the first concert date and shall comply with the noise limits specified in the licence conditions.
- (i) No activity shall be carried out that is likely to cause a noise nuisance to residents after 23.00 hours, such as erection and dismantling of the stage areas, movement of equipment etc. Details of the times which the above-mentioned activities will be carried out shall be included in the Final Event Management Plan which shall be submitted to the Planning Authority.

CATERING:

- 16. (a) Contact details for the Wild Roots Traders Manager to be provided to the NEHS.
- (b) Only Food Businesses registered with the NEHS be permitted to trade at the Event.
- (c) A list of all food businesses intending to trade at the event, (including those preparing and supplying food to patrons, staff and artists) to be provided to the **NEHS on or before Friday 10th May 2024.** Details to include the Name of the Food Business, Registration No. with NEHS, and Name, address and telephone number of the Food Business Operator. Details can be sent to the above address or email address.
- (d) All new food businesses intending to trade to register their food business online via <https://ehonline.hse.ie/> A unique Premises Registration Number will be assigned to each Registered food business.
- (e) No advertisement of alcohol be permitted in areas targeted at children.
- (f) In the Final Event Management Plan the term, 'Health Board' shall be amended to the current structure of the 'Health Service Executive'.
- (g) Consideration shall be given to the provision of hard standings for food vendors in the event of heavy rainfall and muddy conditions. This is to allow vendors to maintain their stalls/units in a clean condition.

WASTE MANAGEMENT:

17. (a) The management of waste arising from the event shall occur as described in the Draft Event Management Plan save where amended by the following conditions.
- (b) On or before **Friday 10th May 2023** you shall for the written agreement of the Planning Authority a site layout plan showing precise details of the location of the proposed waste compound. You are advised to liaise with Barry Guckian, Environment Section in relation to the above.
- (c) Sufficient and appropriate waste management infrastructure shall be provided for all festival attendees.
- (d) Routine inspection of all waste receptacles shall be carried out to ensure that there is no overflowing of waste from any receptacle.
- (e) Additional waste receptacles should be available to the event organisers in instance where more are deemed to be required in order to prevent environmental pollution or nuisance.
- (f) Waste segregation shall be carried out by all vendors/ concession stands. No build-up of waste shall occur in this area. All vendors involved in the preparation and sale of food shall have a separate collection for food waste.
- (g) All vendors/ concession stand operators are to be made aware of all waste management procedures on the site
- (h) All waste held in the waste storage area shall be stored in a manner which does not give rise to environmental pollution or nuisance through odour, vermin or litter. The waste compound shall be secured to prevent access from the general public and routinely inspected by festival organisers.
- (i) All waste departing the site should travel directly to an authorised waste management facility as detailed in the draft event management plan.

- (j) **Within 28 days of the conclusion of the event**, a waste management implementation report shall be submitted to the environment section of Sligo County Council. This report should detail the following:
- i. Number of attendees over each day/ weekend
 - ii. Quantity (in tonnes) of waste collected- broken down by waste type
 - iii. End destination for all waste types
 - iv. Comment on the effectiveness of strategies used and overall effectiveness of the waste management plan.
 - v. Details of any complaints received in relation to waste management/ litter at the site including corrective actions taken by event organisers.

Archaeology

18. (a) The applicant is required to engage the services of a suitably qualified archaeologist to carry out an archaeological assessment of the development site. No sub-surface work should be undertaken in the absence of the archaeologist without his/her express consent.
- (b) The archaeologist should carry out any relevant documentary research and inspect the site. Test trenches may be excavated at locations chosen by the archaeologist (licensed under the National Monuments Acts 1930-1994), having consulted the site drawings.
- (c) Having completed the work, the archaeologist should submit a written report to the National Monuments Service of this Department. Where archaeological material/features are shown to be present, preservation in situ, preservation by record (excavation) or monitoring may be required. The Department will forward a recommendation based on the Archaeological Assessment to the Planning Authority.

MISCELLANEOUS:

19. (a) A complaints hotline and associated email address shall be in operation from the commencement of the site preparation works associated with the holding of the event until the removal of all structures and associated reinstatement works, and a final clean-up of the site and surroundings, have been carried out at the venue. The complaints hotline and associated email address shall be staffed at all times throughout the period of preparation for the event, the event itself, and the period for the removal of all structures and associated reinstatement works, and a final clean-up of the site and surroundings. A local residents information pack shall be prepared and distributed to local residents prior to the holding of the event. The phone number and email address shall be distributed with the information pack.
- (b) A complaints log of all calls to the hotline and email address shall be maintained including appropriate actions taken and recorded relating to resolution of any complaints received. A copy of this log and a record of all actions taken to resolve complaints received shall be available for inspection throughout the event and a copy of the log shall be forwarded to the Planning Authority on completion of the event.
- (c) In accordance with Section 231(4)(k) of the Planning & Development Act 2000, as amended, the applicant shall maintain adequate **public liability insurance** cover for the event.
- (d) Off-site casual trading shall not be permitted whether or not such use might otherwise constitute exempted development. The Promoter shall liaise with An Garda Síochána in relation to this matter.

ADVICE NOTES:

The above conditions have been applied to ensure the event is carried out in accordance with this licence, in the interest of securing the safety of persons at the place in connection with the event, the provision of adequate facilities for the health and welfare of persons at the place in connection with the event, including the provision of sanitary facilities, the protection of the environment in which the event is to be held, including the control of litter, the maintenance of public order, the avoidance or minimisation of disruption to the neighbourhood in which the event is to take place and ensuring the provision of adequate means of transport to and from the place in which the event is to be held.

This event licence relates to the subject event only and nothing in this event licence shall be construed as negating the applicant's statutory obligations or requirements under any other enactments or regulations.

An Garda Síochána could request the promoters to close the licenced Bars at the Festival site should concerns regarding public safety arise.