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**DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000 (as amended)
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS 2001 (as amended)
LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2001 (as amended)**

Planning, Property & Economic Development Department

**NOTIFICATION OF DECISION PURSUANT TO SECTION 231(3) OF THE PLANNING &
DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000 (AS AMENDED) & ARTICLE 192 OF THE PLANNING &
DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS 2001 (as amended) TO GRANT OUTDOOR EVENT
LICENCE**

OUTDOOR EVENT LICENCE REFERENCE NUMBER: OEL 06/2026

To:

Peak Productions
On behalf of
Sasspot Productions Limited T/a Mother
48 Kenure Park
Rush
Co. Dublin

Applicant: Peak Productions on behalf of Sasspot Productions Limited T/a Mother

Proposal: Mother Pride Block Party 2026

Proposed Events: Mother Pride Block Party 2026 on the grounds of National Museum of Ireland, Collins Barracks (NMICB) on Friday 26th and Saturday 27th of June 2026.

Artist: Various Artists

Outdoor Event Licence Ref. Number: OEL 06/2026

Date of Application: 30th of January 2026

In accordance with the provisions of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended), including Part 16 thereof, and the Local Government Act 2001 (as amended), an Order of the Assistant Chief Executive of the Planning, Property & Economic Development Department of Dublin City Council, dated 27th of May 2026 accepted and adopted the Report and Recommendation OEL 06/2026 dated 27th of May 2026, from the Planning Enforcement Manager & Outdoor Event Licencing Officer and further ordered that an Outdoor Event Licence be granted for the reasons and considerations contained in the said Report and Recommendation and the reasons and considerations under and subject to the 20 conditions set out hereunder.

Accordingly, in accordance with the said Order of the Assistant Chief Executive of the Planning, Property & Economic Development Department of Dublin City Council and pursuant to the provisions of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), including section 231(3) thereof, and the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended), including Part 16 and Article 192 thereof, Dublin City Council do hereby **GRANT an OUTDOOR EVENT LICENCE** to the aforesaid Applicant to hold the event; Mother Pride Block Party 2026, on the grounds of National Museum of Ireland, Collins Barracks (NMICB), Dublin 7 on Friday 26th and Saturday 27th June 2026 based on the reasons and considerations under and subject to the following conditions:

1. The plans, proposals and particulars submitted as part of the Licence application shall be complied with, and in particular the draft Event Management Plan received on the 30th of January 2026 and the updated event management plan on 6th of May 2026, shall be complied with other than required by the amendments/additions outlined below.

Reason: in the interests of proper event planning and safety.

2. The Licence application approval permits, the events taking place on the grounds of National Museum of Ireland, Collins Barracks (NMICB) **on Friday 26th of June and Saturday 27th of June 2026 only.**

This event covers Mother Pride Block Party 2026 at NMICB. No other Dublin LGBTQ+ Pride events are covered under this licence approval.

Reason: in the interest of clarity.

3. The approved event shall be conducted in compliance with the Code of Practice for Safety at Outdoor Concerts (Department of Education 1996) where practicable.

Reason: in the interests of proper event planning and safety.

4. A Final Event Management Plan must be submitted by 5pm on the 12th of June 2026 and circulated to all statutory agencies and prescribed bodies. This plan shall include inter-alia, an updated integrated traffic/ Luas management and pedestrian management plan, a final updated stewarding/ security deployment plan and a final production schedule.

Reason: in the interests of proper event planning and safety.

5. The requirements of An Garda Síochána in connection with this event shall be complied insofar as is practical, including a requirement to make a contribution towards the reasonable costs of An Garda Síochána associated with this event.

Reason: in the interest of the maintenance of public order, securing the safety of persons at the place in connection with the event and to minimise disruption to the neighbourhood in which the event is to take place.

6. The applicant shall ensure that there are sufficient stewards/ security personnel and signage on the main roads/ routes immediately outside the venue to direct people both in and out of the venue and area in a safe and orderly manner.

Reason: To ensure the proper safety of attendees and to ensure road safety in the external areas where patrons will be arriving to, queueing and subsequently exiting.

7. The applicant shall liaise with local businesses and residents, informing them of the event details and all reasonable measures shall be taken to best minimise disruption/ disturbance to the local businesses and residents, insofar as is practical to do so.

Reason: in the interest of proper planning and to minimise disruption in the areas that the events are due to take place.

8. The applicant shall continue to liaise with the NTA, Transdev/ Luas, Bus service providers and Irish Rail services in respect of this event to ensure patron and transport safety is maintained during the course of entrancing and egress associated with the event.

Reason: to minimise disruption to the neighbourhood in which the event is to take place, to ensure the proper safety of attendees and to ensure adequate means of transport to and from the event.

9. A strict music curfew of 23:00hrs shall apply.

Reason: in the interest of clarity.

10. Appropriate security/ stewarding checks must be in place at all times to ensure that no underage person is sold or is consuming alcohol on the event site. Signage must be in situ to clearly indicate these requirements. No alcohol may be carried in or out of the site from, or onto the public road.

Reason: to minimise disruption to the neighbourhood in which the event is to take place and public safety and to minimise environmental concerns.

11. A copy of the public liability insurance cover associated with the approved events shall be submitted to Dublin City Council Planning, Property and Economic

Development Department by e-mail a minimum of 14 days prior to the first event date.

Reason: to ensure the maintenance of public liability insurance in association with the events.

12. The requirements of Dublin City Council's Roads and Traffic Section regarding Road Closures shall be complied with. No deviation from the agreed road closures, or times shall be made, other than with the consent of An Garda Síochána.

Reason: in the interest of clarity.

13. The specific requirements of the Emergency Planning Office and the Ambulance Service of the HSE in connection with this event shall be complied with, including the requirements to agree and provide a final fully integrated event medical plan. The applicants appointed Medical Officer/ Coordinator shall liaise directly with the HSE to resolve any further issues relating to medical provision for this event.

Reason: to ensure the provision of adequate facilities for health and welfare.

14. The requirements of Dublin Fire Brigade in connection with this event shall be complied with.

Reason: in the interests of public safety.

15. The requirements of the Environmental Health Section of Dublin City Council in relation to sanitary accommodation, screening, signage and stewarding associated with the event is to be complied with.

Reason: to ensure the provision of adequate facilities for health and welfare and to minimise disruption to the neighbourhood in which the event is to take place.

16. The requirements in relation to noise control and monitoring shall be adhered to, unless any variation is agreed, in writing, with the Environmental Health Section of Dublin City Council.

Reason: to minimise disruption to the neighbourhood in which the event is to take place.

17. The requirements of the Building Control Section of Dublin City Council in connection with the approved events are to be complied with, including a requirement that all temporary structures must be certified by an experienced Chartered Structural Engineer post construction and prior to use. All electrical installations associated with the events must also be certified by an experienced suitably qualified electrical expert. The relevant structural/safety/electrical certificates should be e-mailed to buildingcontrol@dublincity.ie, pat.nestor@dublincity.ie and john.downey@dublincity.ie post certification and prior to the event commencing.

Any funfair equipment associated with the event must be provided in accordance with the Planning and Development (Certification of Fairground Equipment) Regulations, 2025 (as amended). Appropriate notifications must be submitted to Dublin City Council Building Control Division in advance of the event. The relevant safety certificates and notifications must be e-mailed to buildingcontrol@dublincity.ie and copied to pat.nestor@dublincity.ie and john.downey@dublincity.ie.

The provider of any funfair equipment on site shall confirm in writing or e-mail to the event safety officer in advance of opening any apparatus that such apparatus is fully serviceable and is being used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and is free from any modification that is not approved by the manufacturer.

Reason: in the interests of general safety at the event.

18. All reasonable and practicable efforts shall be made to ensure the event is inclusive and accessible to all people, particularly disabled persons.

Reason: in the interests of securing the safety and appropriate accessibility to all persons at the event.

19. Litter and Waste Management and cleaning arrangements shall be agreed in full with the Waste Management Section of Dublin City Council prior to the event taking place and must be submitted as part of the final event management plan.

Reason: to minimise disruption to the neighbourhood, in the interest of proper planning and minimise environmental concerns.

20. If, due to exceptional circumstances, the event or part thereof has to be postponed at short notice, the applicants may hold the event(s) on new date(s)/ times in 2026, only with the prior written approval of Dublin City Council, the Health Service Executive and An Garda Síochána.

Reason: to ensure the safety of participants, workers, spectators and general public.


Anthony Flynn
Assistant Chief Executive
Planning, Property & Economic Development Department
Dublin City Council

Date: 27th of May 2026