

METROPOLITAN EXPOSITION RECREATION COMMISSION

Resolution No. 26-02

For the purpose of approving rental rates at Portland’s Centers for the Arts (Portland’s) for Fiscal Year 2027-2028.

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission (MERC) sets facility rental rates for the MERC venues, and;

WHEREAS, the Portland’s Booking Department will continue to contract future events to ensure a smooth transition to the new operator beginning July 1, 2027, and;

WHEREAS, the Portland’s Booking Department will begin contracting events for summer 2027 now, and;

WHEREAS, rates for Fiscal Year 2027-2028 are needed in order to contract events occurring in Fiscal Year 2027-2028, and;

WHEREAS, Portland’s seeks increased rental rates for Fiscal Year 2027-2028 per Attachment A.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission:

Approves rental rates for Portland’s Centers for the Arts per Attachment A for Fiscal Year 2027-2028.

Passed by the Commission on April 1, 2026.

Approved as to form:

Chair

By: _____

Nathan A. S. Sykes, Deputy Metro Attorney

Secretary/Treasurer