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NATIONAL PARK SERVICE Saguaro National Park 3693 S. Old Spanish Trail Tucson, Arizona 85730



IN REPLY REFER TO: Fee Mgt. (520) 733 - 5121

To: Andy L. Fisher, SAGU Chief of Interpretation

From: Shawn A. Hall, SAGU Fee Program Manager

Subject: Fee Exemption for "I Stand with Saguaros" Interactive Dance

Name of person(s) or group: Kimi Eisele and Borderlands Theater Company

Number of person(s) in the group: Multiple participants, usually no more than 2-3 each visit.

Date(s) entering the park: Various dates beginning April 1, 2016 through September 30, 2016.

Purpose of the visit: Provide the opportunity for Kimi Eisele and Borderlands Theater Company to collaborate with Saguaro National Park and bring "I Stand with Saguaros" Interactive Dance to the park. Borderlands Theater will do outreach to bring new audiences to the park to perform a 1 hour "stand" with saguaros, after which their impressions of their time with the saguaro will be recorded. We anticipate several group stands spread out across the remainder of the FY.

SAGU is a full partner in this program and welcome the activity and the new audience outreach.

Consideration for Fee Exemption of the requested activity has resulted in the following:

____Your request is being returned to you because it does not meet the criteria set forth in the Land and Water Conservation Act of 1965.

X In accordance with the Land and Water Conservation Act of 1965; the request and activity meet the criteria that allow for the exemption of charging Recreational Fees and are therefore granted access to Saguaro National Park without charge for the approved date(s).

A copy of this letter (on mobile device or printed) must be presented upon entry to the park by member(s) of the group at either visitor centers or entrance station. A copy will be kept at these locations as reference for the duration the approved Fee Exemption. Please contact our Fee Management Office at (520) 733-5121 or email nps_sagu_fees@nps.gov if further assistance is needed or there are modifications to the approved activity, dates or it is cancelled.

Sincerely,

Shawn Hall

Fee Program Manager

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