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MENDOCINO COAST RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT Grievance Procedure under The Americans with Disabilities Act

This Grievance Procedure is established to meet the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 ("ADA"). It may be used by anyone who wishes to file a complaint alleging discrimination on the basis of disability in the provision of services, activities, programs, or benefits by the Mendocino Coast Recreation and Park District. The District's Personnel Policy governs employment-related complaints of disability discrimination.

The complaint should be in writing and contain information about the alleged discrimination such as name, address, phone number of complainant and location, date, and description of the problem. Alternative means of filing complaints, such as personal interviews or a tape recording of the complaint, will be made available for persons with disabilities upon request.

A complainant is encouraged to file a grievance within 60 days of the date of becoming aware of any alleged discrimination or access violation. Failure to report an alleged violation within 180 days may impact the complainant's ability to redress his or her grievance. Grievances should be submitted to:

Kylie Felicich ADA/Section 504 CoordinatorMendocino Coast Recreation and Park District300 S. Lincoln Street, Fort Bragg CA 95437Email: kfelicich@mcrpd.usPhone: (707)964-9446

FAX: (707) 964-1813

Within 15 calendar days after receipt of the complaint, Kylie Felicich or her designee will meet with the complainant to discuss the complaint and the possible resolutions. Within 15 calendar days of the meeting, Kylie Felicich or her designee will respond in writing, and where appropriate, in a format accessible to the complainant, such as large print, Braille, or audio tape. The response will explain the position of the Mendocino Coast Recreation and Park District and offer options for substantive resolution of the complaint.

If the response by Kylie Felicich or her designee does not satisfactorily resolve the issue, the complainant and/or his/her designee may appeal the decision within 15 calendar days after receipt of the response to the General Manager or their designee.

Within 15 calendar days after receipt of the appeal, the General Manager or their designee will meet with the complainant to discuss the complaint and possible resolutions. Within 15 calendar days after the meeting, the General Manager or their designee will respond in writing, and, where appropriate, in a format accessible to the complainant, with a final resolution of the complaint.

All written complaints received by Kylie Felicich or her designee, appeals to the General Manager or their designee, and responses from these two offices will be retained by Mendocino Coast Recreation and Park District for at least three years.

Americans with Disabilities Act Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 Grievance Form

Instructions: Please fill out this form completely. A printed or typed response is recommended. Sign and return to the address on last page by email, fax, mail or in person. If you need an accommodation to complete or submit this form, please contact the ADA/Section 504 Coordinator as indicated on this form.

1.	Complaintant:		
	Address:		
	City, State and Zip Code:		
	Telephone: Home:Business:		
2.	Person Discriminated Against: (if other than the complainant): Address:		
	City, State, and Zip Code:		
	Telephone: Home: Business:		
3.	Name:		
	Address:		
	City, State and Zip Code:		
	Telephone Number:		
	When did the discrimination occur? Date:		
	4. Describe the acts of discrimination providing the name(s) where possible of the individuals who discriminated:		
4.	Have efforts been made to resolve this complaint?		
	YesNo		
	If yes: what efforts have been taken and what is the status of the grievance?		

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YesNo		
If yes:		
Agency or Court: Contact Person:		
Address:		
City, State, and Zip Code:	Data Filad:	
Telephone Number:	Date filed.	
7. Do you intend to file with another agency or court?		
YesNo		
Agency or Court:		
Street Address:		
City, State and Zip Code:		
Telephone Number:		
Signature:	Date:	
Return to:		
Kylie Felicich		
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