



2025
City of Hermosa Beach
Special Event Permit Application Overview

Event Title: *MindTravel Live-to-Headphones ‘Silent’ Piano Concert*

Impact Level: *II*

Applicant Name: *Erin Zapcic*

Organization Name: *The MindTravel Foundation*

Non-Profit: **NO**(YES)

Event Date(s): *Tuesday, August 19 and Sunday, October 19*

Event Time: *Tuesday, August 19: 6:30pm-8:30pm and Sunday, October 19: 5:00pm-7:00pm*

Event Summary: *Live ‘silent’ piano concert followed by meditation and a question-and-answer portion. All sound would be transmitted through wireless headphones provided to participants.*

Returning Event: (NO)YES

Event Location (Site Map Attached): *South of Pier*

Estimated Number of Participants: *360*

Estimated Number of Spectators: *0*

Age of Participants: *All ages*

Participant Fee: *\$25 for ages 12 and under, \$45 for ages 13 and up if registration is completed two weeks prior to event, \$50 for ages 13 and up if registration is completed less than two weeks prior to event, \$55 for ages 13 and up if completed on day of event, and a “pay what you can” option of minimum donation \$1 may be considered as needed. Prices are subject to fees added on by ticketing platform for those completing registration online. See staff report for information on how one may participate without a donation.*

Parking: *None*

Amplified Sound: *None*

Generator(s): *None*

Fenced Area(s): *None*

Stage(s), Structure(s) or Tent(s): *Pop-up tent*

Security: *None*

Sponsor(s): *None*

Vendor(s): *None*

Filming/Still Photography: *None*

Estimated Fees Payable to the City

Application (Non-Profit) \$704

Category I \$2 per participant and roster provided to the City

**Additional fees to apply due to required staffing and/or services from the City of Hermosa Beach’s Community Resources Department, Community Services Department, Public Works Department, Police Department, and the Los Angeles County Fire Department.*

SITE PLAN: MINDTRAVEL EXPERIENCE

Hermosa Beach, south of the pier

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EVENT DETAILS

Date: Tuesday, August 19, 2025 6:30pm-8:30pm and Sunday, October 19, 2025 5:00pm-7:00pm

Set-up: 4 hrs prior with 4-6 team members

Event Program:

10 min intro

45-60 min piano performance via headphones (non-amplified)

10-15 min Audience Q&A

Break-down: 90 minutes post-show

Technical: This is NOT amplified (wireless headphones provided). No power needs, team will supply batteries (NO generator).

No food or beverage. Audience will arrive and bring their own beach towels/beach chairs

Footprint: Our team is committed to a "leave no trace" production footprint, and will return the site to its previous state immediately following event. All trash will be removed and disposed of properly. Audience will utilize public parking lots and/or street parking, and our messaging encourages attendees to rideshare where possible.