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Reverend Robert Dekker
3072 Savannah East Drive
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RE: July 4th Freedom Rally

Dear Reverend Dekker:

I have reviewed and considered your correspondence dated June 30, 2013, in which you requested permission to have a peaceful July 4th Freedom Rally on the beach area east of the Boardwalk at the end of Rehoboth Avenue this Thursday morning, July 4th.

Permission is hereby granted to conduct a Freedom Rally, as follows:

Location: The public beach area east of the Boardwalk at the end of Rehoboth Avenue

Date: July 4, 2013

Time: 9:30 a.m. to approximately 10:40 a.m.

While I have every expectation that the event will be well managed and peaceful, please be mindful that this permission does not waive the observance of any municipal, county, state, or federal law, and to the contrary, the event must be compliant with all applicable laws and regulations. Specifically, as with any event of this nature, it is difficult to predict attendance, and a large crowd can be difficult to control. Consequently, I encourage the event planners to become familiar with the following non-exhaustive list of City code provisions, which are available in their entirety through the City's website (www.cityofrehoboth.com):

- § 120-24. Limitations on unlicensed soliciting
- § 189-8. Maximum noise levels
- § 189-9. Noise disturbance
- § 198-21. Disturbing the peace
- § 198-22. Unlawful assemblies
- § 198-25. Disorderly conduct

It was a pleasure to meet you, and I thank you for your interest in the City of Rehoboth Beach. As you may be aware, a number of local, regional, and national publications have recently ranked the City's beach and Boardwalk among those most prominent in the United

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States. We look forward to the 2013 summer season, and the continued peaceful enjoyment of our cherished natural resource.

Wishing you the very best.

Sincerely,



Gregory J. Ferrese

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