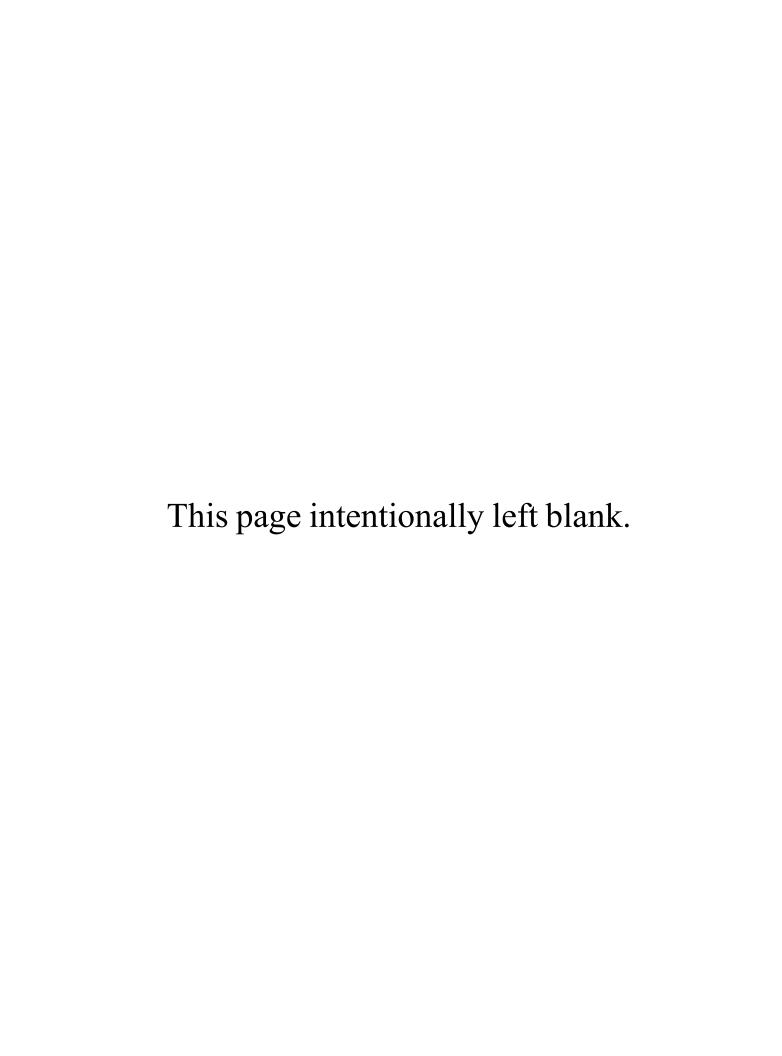
Exhibit E



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Re: Administrative Permits for Transient Use of Residential Property for Remuneration

To Whom It May Concern,

When reviewing planning permits for parcels within the Monterey County Regional Fire District jurisdiction, "PLN" application conditions are based on the current occupancy use and any changes in the parcel development. If the structures on the properties remain as is, and do not have a change in occupancy classification (making it a higher risk use), the project is deemed as "COMPETE WITH NO CONDITIONS" from the Fire District. In these cases, the structures have already been approved and classified as an R3 residential occupancy from the previous codes and regulations. When occupancy classifications remain the same, we do not retroactively apply today's California Fire Code requirements or the current adopted regulations from the California Code of Regulations (SRA Fire Safe Fire Hazard Severity Zone legislation) to them. Only when there are applications for new construction or development permits on these properties would the current codes, standards, and regulations be applied.

Sincerely,

Scott Anderson

Division Chief/Fire Marshal

Monterey County Regional Fire District

