

## **RADIO DISNEY MUSIC AWARDS – 2018 VOTING GUIDELINES**

### **I. NAME OF SPONSOR(S)**

Radio Disney, a division of ABC Radio Networks Assets, LLC (hereinafter referred to as “**Sponsor**”).

### **II. EVENT DESCRIPTION**

The Sponsor will ask fans to vote for the Radio Disney Music Awards (“**RDMA**”) beginning at 5:00 pm Pacific Time (“**PT**”) on Friday, April 27, 2018 and ending at 8:59 pm PT on Sunday, June 3, 2018 (“**Voting Period**”) on 15 US categories each with a maximum of 5 artist nominees (“**Nominee(s)**”) except for The One, The Buzz and Doubletap categories each of which have 6 Nominees.

All Nominees will participate in competition resulting in the winners being named on June 22, 2018 on or around 3:30 pm PT at the RDMA show at the Dolby Theatre in Hollywood, CA.

### **III. NOMINEES**

Nominees are selected by Sponsor.

All categories (“**Category (ies)**”) and Nominees are as follows:

#### **YOU KNOW YOU LOVE THEM – BEST DUO/GROUP**

- BTS
- Clean Bandit
- Echosmith
- Imagine Dragons
- Maroon 5

#### **THE ONE – BEST ARTIST**

- Bruno Mars
- Ed Sheeran
- Meghan Trainor
- Selena Gomez
- Shawn Mendes
- Taylor Swift

#### **THE BESTEST – SONG OF THE YEAR**

- “Havana” by Camila Cabello
- “Look What You Made Me Do” by Taylor Swift
- “The Middle” by Zedd, Maren Morris & Grey
- “There’s Nothing Holdin’ Me Back” by Shawn Mendes
- “Wolves” by Selena Gomez & Marshmello

#### **XOXO – BEST CRUSH SONG**

- “I Like Me Better” by Lauv
- “Ins and Outs” by Sofia Carson
- “Perfect” by Ed Sheeran
- “Legends” by Kelsea Ballerini
- “Why” by Sabrina Carpenter

### **#SQUADGOALS – FIERCEST FANS**

- BTS Army - BTS
- Mellogang – Marshmello
- Megatronz – Meghan Trainor
- Selenators – Selena Gomez
- Mendes Army – Shawn Mendes

### **THE BUZZ – BREAKOUT ARTIST OF THE YEAR**

- Camila Cabello
- Charlie Puth
- Dua Lipa
- Halsey
- Julia Michaels
- Marshmello

### **THE FRESHEST – BEST NEW ARTIST**

- Bebe Rexa
- Cheat Codes
- Hey Violet
- Lauv
- Why Don't We

### **SO HAPPY – BEST SONG THAT MAKES YOU SMILE**

- “DNA” by BTS
- “I Miss Those Days” by Bleachers
- “No Excuses” by Meghan Trainor
- “One Foot” by Walk The Moon
- “So Much More Than This” by Grace VanderWaal

### **DOUBLETAP – FAVORITE SOCIAL MUSIC ARTIST**

- Alex Aiono
- Carson Lueders
- Chloe x Halle
- HRVY
- Max & Harvey
- Rudy Mancuso

### **STUCK IN OUR HEADS – BEST SONG TO LIP SYNC TO**

- “Look What You Made me Do” by Taylor Swift
- “New Rules” by Dua Lipa
- “Sorry Not Sorry” by Demi Lovato
- “These Girls” by Why Don't We
- “This Is Me” by Keala Settle

### **WHEN THE BEAT DROPS! – BEST DANCE TRACK**

- “Friends” by Justin Bieber & BloodPop
- “Let Me Go” by Hailee Steinfeld & Alesso f. Florida Georgia Line & watt
- “Mic Drop (Steve Aoki Remix)” by BTS
- “The Middle” by Zedd, Maren Morris & Grey
- “Silence” by Marshmello f. Khalid

### **PLAY IT AGAIN! – RADIO DISNEY COUNTRY FAVORITE SONG**

- “Legends” by Kelsea Ballerini
- “Meant To Be” by Bebe Rexha & Florida Georgia Line
- “Take Back Home Girl” by Chris Lane & Tori Kelly
- “Unforgettable” by Thomas Rhett
- “You Broke Up With Me” by Walker Hayes

### **THE BESTEST! -- RADIO DISNEY COUNTRY FAVORITE ARTIST**

- Florida Georgia Line
- Kelsea Ballerini
- Luke Bryan
- Maren Morris
- Thomas Rhett

### **THE FRESHEST! -- RADIO DISNEY COUNTRY BEST NEW ARTIST**

- Carly Pearce
- Devin Dawson
- Jillian Jacqueline
- Jordan Davis
- LANCO

### **MASHUP! -- BEST COLLABORATION**

- Bebe Rexha & Florida Georgia Line “Meant To Be”
- Cheat Codes & Demi Lovato “No Promises”
- J Balvin & Willy William “Mi Gente”
- Kygo & Selena Gomez “It Ain’t Me”
- Zedd, Maren Morris & Grey “The Middle”

## **IV. VOTING PROCEDURES**

### **Fifteen (15) US Categories:**

Listeners will be able to vote during the Voting Period listed above. During the Voting Period, listeners will have the opportunity to vote for their favorite Nominees via computer online or a mobile device at [www.disney.com/RDMAvote](http://www.disney.com/RDMAvote) and [www.disney.com/RDMA](http://www.disney.com/RDMA), and through the Radio Disney mobile app, the DisneyNOW app and its corresponding webpage [www.DisneyNOW.com](http://www.DisneyNOW.com) (individually or collectively “App(s)”), Facebook - [www.facebook.com/radiodisney](http://www.facebook.com/radiodisney), Twitter - [www.twitter.com/radiodisney](http://www.twitter.com/radiodisney), and Google Search (individually and collectively “Voting Method(s)").

Each listener is allowed **unlimited** votes per day on each of the following voter mechanisms: [www.disney.com/RDMA](http://www.disney.com/RDMA), [www.disney.com/RDMAvote](http://www.disney.com/RDMAvote), the Apps, Facebook - [www.facebook.com/radiodisney](http://www.facebook.com/radiodisney), and Twitter - [www.twitter.com/radiodisney](http://www.twitter.com/radiodisney).

Each listener who uses Google Search to vote is allowed a maximum of one hundred (100) votes per day per Category for such Voting Method.

Anyone who resides in a country where voting in a contest is legal may vote.

## **V. HOW AND WHEN WINNERS WILL BE SELECTED AND NOTIFIED**

The winner of each Category will be determined strictly by fan votes. The winners in the US Categories will be announced on Saturday, June 22, 2018 on or around 3:30pm PT at the RDMA show at the Dolby Theatre in Hollywood, CA. The winners will be featured in on-air and online promotional announcements at Sponsor’s discretion. Further announcements will be placed at Sponsor’s discretion on such platforms

as [www.disney.com/RDMA](http://www.disney.com/RDMA), [www.music.disney.com/radio-disney](http://www.music.disney.com/radio-disney), the App(s) and/or other online sites, following the on-air announcements.

## **VI. HOW TO VOTE FOR NOMINEES**

### **NO PURCHASE NECESSARY.**

#### **Fifteen (15) US Categories:**

Except as noted below for Google Search voting, each participant listener may vote on the fifteen (15) US Categories **unlimited times** per day via computer online and/or mobile device, per Voting Method as follows:

**VOTE VIA [www.disney.com/RDMA](http://www.disney.com/RDMA) and [www.disney.com/RDMAvote](http://www.disney.com/RDMAvote):** Participant listeners may look at Nominee photos and vote online unlimited times per day at [www.disney.com/RDMA](http://www.disney.com/RDMA) and/or [www.disney.com/RDMAvote](http://www.disney.com/RDMAvote).

**VOTE VIA THE APPS:** Participant listeners may vote unlimited times per day via the Radio Disney mobile app and the DisneyNOW app and its corresponding webpage [www.DisneyNOW.com](http://www.DisneyNOW.com).

**VOTE VIA FACEBOOK:** Participant listeners who have Facebook accounts may vote unlimited times per day via computer and/or mobile device at [www.facebook.com/radiodisney](http://www.facebook.com/radiodisney) when participant listeners are logged into their Facebook accounts.

**VOTE VIA TWITTER:** Participant listeners who have Twitter accounts may vote unlimited times per day via computer and/or mobile device at [www.twitter.com/radiodisney](http://www.twitter.com/radiodisney) when participant listeners are logged into their Twitter accounts. Valid voting via tweets **must** include @RadioDisney, the pre-determined hashtag of each Category, and the Nominee name (further details and Category hashtags will be on [www.twitter.com/radiodisney](http://www.twitter.com/radiodisney)). Misspellings will not be counted. Artist hashtags are not case-sensitive. Retweets shall count as a new vote for the Nominee & Category specified in the original tweet. **You must post the tweet as public in order for it to be included. Any tweets from a Twitter account whose privacy setting is “private” will not be counted.** Please note that disabling “protected or private mode” will make all of your tweets/posts public and anyone will be able to follow you.

**VOTE VIA GOOGLE SEARCH:** Participant listeners who have a Google account may vote a maximum of one hundred (100) times per day per Category via computer and/or mobile device by searching “Radio Disney Music Awards”, “RDMA Vote” or “2018 RDMA” when participant listeners are logged into their Google accounts. Once you search “Radio Disney Music Awards”, “RDMA Vote” or “2018 RDMA” a voting module will appear at the top of the search results and guide user through the voting process.

In the event of a tie, the tie will be broken by the Administrator based on the number of fan votes received through [www.disney.com/RDMA](http://www.disney.com/RDMA) and the App(s). The decision of the Administrator shall be final and binding.

#### **General:**

Sponsor, Facebook, Twitter, Google, and Administrator and each of their respective direct or indirect parent, affiliates, subsidiaries, related and affiliated entities and each of their respective agents, officers, directors, employees, contractors and their respective successors, licensees and assigns and any other entity involved in the development, administration, promotion or implementation of the vote and these Rules (collectively, “**Released Parties**”) are not responsible for and shall not be liable for failed, partial or garbled computer, phone and/or text transmissions, or for technical failures of any kind, including but not limited to votes that are not processed because of electronic malfunction or damage of any telephone/cable network or lines, online systems, servers, providers, network, hardware or software. No responsibility is assumed for: any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to, or alteration of votes; or failure of any e-mail or electronic votes to be received on account of technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet or at any Website, App(s), or any combination thereof.

Mass votes or voting generated by a script, macro or use of automated devices (“**Mass Voting**”) will be disqualified. You may not use any third party services to vote on your behalf or purchase votes for a particular Category/Nominee. Sponsor reserves the right to modify, suspend or cancel the RDMA in the event the voting in any Category or Categories becomes impaired or compromised as a result of a computer virus, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical problems, Mass Voting or other causes determined by Sponsor at its sole discretion that corrupt the administration, security, fairness, integrity, tabulation, or proper play of the voting. If modified, suspended, or canceled, Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to determine the winner using all non-suspect, eligible votes received up to the time of modification/suspension/cancellation using the judging procedure outlined above. Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to disqualify any individual involved with, and/or void all associated votes it finds to be: tampering with the voting process or the operation of the RDMA or related websites; intending to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any Nominee, Sponsor or any of its representatives; or to otherwise be acting in violation of the Official Rules (“**Rules**”). CAUTION: Any attempt to deliberately damage any website or undermine the legitimate operations of the voting is potentially a violation of criminal and civil laws. Should such an attempt be made, Sponsor reserves the right to seek damages and other such remedies from any such person to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Sponsor reserves the right to modify the voting mechanism, method and/or processes during the voting to account for technical and production issues and to improve the user experience (including, without limitation, by adding to, changing or eliminating a method of submitting votes). Any such changes will be noted in a revision to the Rules and online.

By participating, each participant listener agrees to release, indemnify and hold the Released Parties harmless against any and all claims and liabilities of any kind arising in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, out of such individual’s participation in the voting.

## **VII. RDMA PRIZE**

The winner of each Category will receive an “ARDY” – the official Radio Disney Music Award.

## **VIII. RELEASES**

Participating voters and Nominees agree to the following:

By participating, voting participants and Nominees agree to be bound by the Rules and the decisions of the Sponsor and any contest administrators, which shall be final in all respects.

By participating in the RDMA and/or accepting any prize that they may win, Nominees agree to release Released Parties from any and all actions, claims, injury, loss or damage arising in any manner, directly or indirectly, from participation in the RDMA and/or acceptance or use of the prize.

Nominees authorize the Released Parties to use their name, voice, likeness, biographical data, city and state of residence and materials submitted by Nominees in programming or promotional material, in any media now known or hereafter created or conceived, worldwide in perpetuity, and/or on a winner’s list, if applicable, without further compensation unless prohibited by law. Sponsor is not obligated to use any of the above mentioned information or materials, but may do so and may edit such information or materials, at Sponsor’s sole discretion, without further obligation or compensation.

## **IX. NOMINEES AND GOOD FAITH INTENTIONS**

Sponsor requires all participants and Nominees to act in good faith in all matters relating to the RDMA, voting and other Nominees. To that extent any participant or Nominee acts in a manner that: disparages or damages the RDMA or another Nominee via press, broadcast, online or any other means, including but not limited to deliberately encouraging others to vote against a Nominee; employing or encouraging others to employ Mass Voting mechanisms; or in any way interfering with the planned RDMA and voting

procedures; is cause for disqualification from the RDMA and/or the ability to vote for Nominees. This determination shall be made at Sponsor's sole discretion.

**X. MISCELLANEOUS; WINNERS' LIST**

Void where prohibited. All federal, state and local laws and regulations apply.

Sponsor reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel, terminate, modify and/or suspend the RDMA in the event of tampering or other circumstances, including but not limited to acts of God or civil disturbance that render it impractical or impossible to complete or fulfill the RDMA as originally planned.

**XI. ADMINISTRATOR:** Ventura Associates International LLC, 494 Eighth Avenue, Suite 1700, New York, NY 10001 ("**Administrator**"), an independent judging organization whose decisions are final and binding with respect to this contest.