

RESOLUTION NO.: R-2009-044

Authorizing consumption of beer and wine at Main Street Latin Festival

WHEREAS, GG Productions ("Sponsor") is sponsoring the Main Street Latin Festival in the 1300 and 1400 blocks of Main Street between Hampton Street and Lady Street and the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Washington Street between Sumter Street and Assembly Street, from 11:00 a.m. until midnight on Saturday, September 26, 2009; and,

WHEREAS, the Sponsor has requested permission for the temporary closing and use from 5:30 p.m. Friday, September 25, 2009 until 8:30 p.m. Sunday, September 27, 2009 of the 1300 and 1400 blocks of Main Street between Hampton Street and Lady Street and the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Washington Street between Sumter Street and Assembly Street, for staging of the event to be held from 11:00 a.m. until midnight on Saturday, September 26, 2009; and for patrons to consume beer and wine at the event during the hours of 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 26, 2009; and,

WHEREAS, it has been determined that such an event would be in the public interest; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council this 15th day of July, 2009, that the sale of beer and wine beverages is authorized between the hours of 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 26, 2009; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all musical performances and use of sound-amplifying devices shall end by 10:00 p.m.; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all vendors be restricted to stationary location; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that only pedestrian traffic will be allowed within the area. All other traffic, including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mopeds, bicycles, skate boards, and horses, except police horses, is prohibited. All pets shall be prohibited. Coolers, glass bottles, breakable glasses and/or cups, large bags and backpacks shall be prohibited; and,

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that during the designated time the closed portion of the 1300 and 1400 blocks of Main Street between Hampton Street and Lady Street and 1100 and 1200 blocks of Washington Street between Sumter Street and Assembly Street, with the exception of the parking areas, adjacent off-street parking areas and other areas posted as to not allow alcoholic beverages, shall be declared to be a Public Park and provisions of Chapter 15, Parks and Recreation, Sec. 15-1, 15-2 and 15-3, Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina are in effect. Pursuant to Chapter 14, Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, Article IV, Offenses Against the Public Peace and Order, Sec. 14-99, 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina, the 1300 and 1400 blocks of Main Street between Hampton Street and Lady Street and 1100 and 1200 blocks of Washington Street between Sumter Street and Assembly Street, with the exception of the parking areas, adjacent off-street parking areas and any other areas posted as to not allow alcoholic beverages, is deemed to be the site of a public festival at which alcoholic beverages may be consumed and the prohibition against possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages set forth in Sec. 14-99 shall not apply. Possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages shall be permitted only in containers provided by vendors within the areas designated.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that no solicitation or transactions be made in violation of Sec. 14-32, 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina.

Requested by:

CG Productions _____



Mayor

Approved by:


Interim City Manager

ATTEST:

Approved as to form:

City Attorney

Introduced: 7/15/2009

Final Reading: 7/15/2009


City Clerk

DATE: June 21st, 2009

NAME OF REQUESTOR GG Productions Inc. 2317 Sunset Blvd. West Columbia, SC 29169

EVENT NAME/PURPOSE (i.e., St. Patrick's/Charity Fund-raiser) Main Street Latin Festival

DATE(S) OF EVENTS: September 26th, 2009

LOCATION OF EVENT
(i.e., Amphitheater area of Finlay Park; 1200 and 1300 blocks of Main Street)

1400 Block of Main Street, Downtown Columbia, SC



STREET(S) TO BE CLOSED
(i.e., 1200 and 1300 blocks of Main Street and 1100 and 1200 blocks of Lady Street)

1300 and 1400 Blocks of Main Street
1100 and 1200 Blocks of Washington Street

HOURS FOR STREET(S) TO BE CLOSED
(i.e., 5:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.)
ALLOW TIME FOR SET UP/CLEAN UP

Closing Friday September 25th, 2009 at 5:30pm until Sunday September 27th, 2009 at 8:30pm

HOURS OF EVENT
(i.e., 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.)

11am until 12pm midnight

HOURS OF SERVICE OF BEER/WINE
(Service should end one-half hour prior to end of event, i.e., event is 6-10 p.m., beer/wine service is 6-9:30 p.m.)

11am until 11pm

Please submit requests by mail, e-mail or fax at least **sixty (60) days in advance of the event** to allow for preparation and review of the Resolution and scheduling on Council's agenda. Requests may be sent by e-mail (sharidisc@columbiasc.net), fax (737-4250) or mail, POB 147, Columbia, SC 29217. A draft Resolution will be prepared and forwarded for your review as well as the Police Department Special Events office and to Parks and Recreation if the event is to be held in a City park.

PLEASE NOTE: **This form should only be used for public events where beer and/or wine are to be sold and consumed on City property** (i.e., Five After Five, St. Patrick's Festival, Concerts in Finlay Park, etc.).

This form **should not** be used to request use of City property for **private** events (birthday, retirement, anniversary parties, etc.) nor for sidewalk sales. Requests for private events at City parks should be made through the Parks and Recreation Department. Requests for sidewalk sales should be made to the City Manager.

Legal Department - Shari Ardis; 737-4242; sharidisc@columbiasc.net
Police Department Special Events - Sgt. Taurus Sanders; 545-3535; tsanders@sc.gov
Parks and Recreation - Pearl Osborne; 545-3100; pearl.osborne@columbiasc.net

Submit by Email

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