

**RESOLUTION NO.: R-2012-004**

*Authorizing consumption of beer and wine within Boyd Plaza  
adjacent to the Columbia Museum of Art for the Contemporaries Oyster Roast*

WHEREAS, the Columbia Museum of Art is sponsoring the Contemporaries Oyster Roast in the courtyard/plaza area adjacent to the Museum, from 4:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 14, 2012; and,

WHEREAS, the Museum has requested permission for the temporary closing and use of the courtyard/plaza area adjacent to the Museum from 4:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. for set up, clean up, and staging of the event to be held from 4:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.; for patrons to consume beer and wine beverages during the event hours of 4:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.; and for crowd control and overflow; 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 17th day of January, 2012, that the sale of beer and wine beverages only is authorized between the hours of 4:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 14, 2012; and,

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

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that outdoor possession and consumption of beer and wine beverages only, all outdoor musical performances and use of sound-amplifying devices shall end by 10:00 p.m. due to the proximity of the event to residential properties; 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,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that during the designated time the closed portion of the courtyard/plaza area adjacent to the Museum, 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.

