

RESOLUTION NO.: R-2011-069

*Authorizing consumption of alcoholic beverages, beer and wine
within Finlay Park for the Carolina Green Fair Columbia*

WHEREAS, Carolina Green Fair Columbia ("Sponsor") is sponsoring the Carolina Green Fair Columbia in Finlay Park from 12:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 22, 2011; and,

WHEREAS, the Sponsor has requested permission to allow the consumption of alcoholic beverages, beer and wine by its patrons at the event; 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 11th day of October, 2011, that the sale of alcoholic beverages, beer and wine is authorized between the hours of 12:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, October 22, 2011 within Finlay Park; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that pets shall be allowed provided they are leashed and under the owners' control at all times. Patrons are prohibited from bringing alcoholic beverages, beer, wine, glass bottles and breakable glasses and/or cups, grills and radios, boom boxes and other musical devices, backpacks and large bags; and,

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

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that outdoor possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages, beer and wine beverages, 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 during the designated time Finlay Park 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

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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, Finlay Park is deemed to be the site of a public festival at which alcoholic beverages, beer and wine may be consumed and the prohibition against possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages, beer and wine as set forth in Sec. 14-99 shall not apply.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that the event organizer shall provide the names and cell phone numbers of a least two contact persons who can receive complaints during the event, including any set up and breakdown times. The cell phones shall remain on at all times during the event and during any set up and breakdown time.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that failure of the event organizer to strictly comply with the time frames and other requirements and responsibilities set forth in this resolution may result in a denial of subsequent requests to allow the event.

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:

Carolina Green Fair Columbia



Mayor

Approved by:



City Manager

ATTEST:



City Clerk

Approved as to form:



City Attorney

Introduced: 10/11/2011
Final Reading: 10/11/2011

DATE OF REQUEST | 9/26/2011
REQUESTOR'S NAME/CONTACT INFORMATION (E-MAIL/PHONE#/FAX#) | Vanessa Driscoll
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EVENT NAME/PURPOSE (i.e., St. Patrick's/Charity Fund-raiser) | Carolina Green Fair Columbia/ Fundriaser

DATE(S) OF EVENTS: | October 22nd, 2011

LOCATION OF EVENT (i.e., Amphitheater area of Finlay Park; 1300 and 1400 blocks of Main Street between Lady Street and Hampton Street) | Finlay Park

STREET(S) TO BE CLOSED (i.e., 1300 and 1400 blocks of Main Street between Lady Street and Hampton Street) | none

HOURS FOR STREET(S) TO BE CLOSED (i.e., 5:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.)
ALLOW TIME FOR SET UP/CLEAN UP | none

HOURS OF EVENT (i.e., 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.)* | open to public 12-8
set up Friday

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.)* | 12pm -7:30pm

Requests should be submitted by mail, e-mail or fax at least NINETY (90) 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 (slardis@columbiasc.net), fax (737-4250) or mailed to City Attorney's Office, ATTN: Shari Ardis, POB 667, Columbia, SC 29202. A draft Resolution will be prepared and forwarded for review to the event organizer, as well as to the Police Department Special Events office and to Parks and Recreation if the event is to be held in a City park. Approval from the adjoining business/property owners must be obtained before your request will be submitted to City Council if streets are to be closed off during business hours.

***Outdoor possession and consumption of beer and wine beverages, 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.**

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 or neighborhood block parties. 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. Requests for street closings for private neighborhood block parties should be made to the Police Department Special Events and Public Safety. If food is to be cooked at the event contact the Assistant Fire Chief Carmen Floyd at (803) 545-3402 or cfloyd@columbiasc.net.

Legal Department - Shari Ardis; 737-4242; slardis@columbiasc.net
Police Department Special Events - Officer Robert Hall; 545-3535; rjhall@columbiasc.net
Parks and Recreation - Loretta Coleman; 545-3100; lcoleman@columbiasc.net
Police Department Community Services - Brenda Murphy; 545-3507; bmmurphy@columbiasc.net

