



City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Convention and Visitors Bureau

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: August 2, 2021

Re: Granting a temporary waiver from the requirements of section 16-186 of the City Code to allow possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages for FPC Live, LLC for the production of a Ninth Street Summerfest event.

Executive Summary

Staff has prepared for Council consideration a resolution granting a waiver from the requirements of section 16-185 of the City Code to allow possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages for the Ninth Street Summerfest event on August 26, 2021.

Discussion

Mike Nolan, manager of The Blue Note, has requested closure of Ninth Street from Broadway to Walnut to hold a 9th Street Summerfest country music act on Thursday, August 26, 2021. The closure is requested from 7:00am on Thursday, August 26, 2021 until 1:00am on Friday, August 27, 2021.

Mr. Nolan has also requested a waiver from the requirements of section 16-185 of the City Code to allow possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages on Ninth Street for this event on Thursday, August 26, 2021 from 6:00pm until 11:00pm with the estimated attendance to be 3,000.

The City Event Committee has approved the application for these events pending Council approval. Conditions of approval have included use of barricades that are compliant with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) to block the street and alleyways and procurement of required liquor licensing and liquor liability insurance.

Per City Ordinance 24-73b, an operations agreement is only required for a downtown street closure if the event is to take place the day before, or the day of, any scheduled University of Missouri home football game. The aforementioned requested event is not on University of Missouri home football game weekend.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: n/a

Long-Term Impact: n/a



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Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Resilient Economy, Secondary Impact: Secondary, Tertiary Impact: Tertiary

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Economic Development, Secondary Impact: Secondary, Tertiary Impact: Tertiary

Legislative History

Date	Action
6/4/18	R82-18: Granted temporary waiver from Section 16-185 of the City Code to allow possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages for three Ninth Street Summerfest events.
8/20/18	R129-18: Authorized an operations agreement with FPC Live, L.L.C., d/b/a The Blue Note, for the production of three (3) Ninth Street Summerfest events.
10/11/19	R144-19: Authorized an operations agreement with FPC Live, L.L.C., d/b/a The Blue Note, for the production of a Ninth Street Summerfest event.
05/17/21	R78-21: Granting temporary waivers from the requirements of Section 16-185 of the City Code to allow possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages for 2021 Ninth Street Summerfest events to be held in July, August, September and October.

Suggested Council Action

Approval of the legislation.