



Department Source: Convention and Visitors Bureau

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: September 16, 2019

Re: Granting a temporary waiver from the requirements of section 16-185 of the City Code to allow possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages for the annual Harvest Hootenanny

Executive Summary

Staff has prepared for Council consideration a resolution granting a temporary waiver from the requirements of section 16-185 of the City Code to allow possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages for the portion of Smith Street between College Avenue and Fay Street for the 2019 Harvest Hootenanny event.

Discussion

Billy Polanksy, Columbia Center for Urban Agriculture, has requested a waiver from the requirements of section 16-185 of the City Code for the portion of Smith Street between College Avenue and Fay Street. The waiver is requested for October 5, 2019, beginning at 3:00 p.m. and ending at 8:00 p.m. The estimated attendance for the event is 1,200 people.

The City Event Committee has approved the Special Events Application pending Council approval. For the last several years, the City Event Committee has approved the closure of Smith Street for this event. The setup for this year's event is similar to years past. 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 procurement of required liquor licensing and liquor liability insurance.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: n/a

Long-Term Impact: n/a

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

[Strategic Plan Impacts:](#)

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

[Comprehensive Plan Impacts:](#)

Primary Impact: Livable & Sustainable Communities, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable



City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Legislative History

Date	Action
September 17, 2018	R148-18: Granting a temporary waiver from the requirements of Section 16-185 (...)
August 21, 2017	R116-17: Granting a temporary waiver from the requirements of Section 16-185 (...)
September 6, 2016	R120-16: Granting a temporary waiver from the requirements of Section 16-185 (...)
July 20, 2015	R116-15: Granting a temporary waiver from the requirements of Section 16-185 (...)

Suggested Council Action

Approval of the legislation.