Thursday, April 30, 2009

## Transportation RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 25

**Subject:** Approve second/third readings of an ordinance to amend Chapter 14-8 and repeal Chapters 4-5 and 14-7 of the City Code relating to street closures and creation of right-of-way event rules.

**For More Information:** Jason Redfern, 974-7265, Leanne Vaughn, 974-5657, or Gilda Powers, 974-7092.

**Prior Council Action:** June 5, 2008, Council unanimously adopted Ordinance No. 20080605-045. First reading approved on April 2, 2009.

A Task Force was established in June 2008 with the purpose of reviewing and making recommendations on the merging of pertinent ordinances affecting street closures for events; and to recommend strategies for creating a mutually beneficial schedule for events requiring street closures including alternate days for events, alternate routes for access to businesses and buildings, a possible limit on the number of events and/ or days per year on which streets are closed, preset routes for foot races/ walks, and other changes which the Task Force recommends to create a plan for mutually beneficial street event closures which respect the needs of all stakeholders.