

AGENDA



Thursday, May 21, 2009

**Parks and Recreation
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 20**

Subject: Approve an ordinance to temporarily relocate the People's Renaissance Market vendors during the 23rd Streetscape Improvements project to the sidewalk on the south side of the 500 block of 24th Street, from June 1, 2009 to July 1, 2009.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

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Boards and Commission Action: Recommended by the Renaissance Market Commission.

The approval of this ordinance will allow the Parks and Recreation Department to temporarily relocate the People's Renaissance Market vendors to the sidewalk on the south side of the 500 block of 24th Street for a one month period to accommodate the 23rd Streetscape Improvements project construction.

Currently the People's Renaissance Market vendors purchase a license form the Parks and Recreation Department for use of the 500 block of 23rd Street under Chapter 14-2 of the City Code. Vendor licenses for 24th Street are issued by the Austin Transportation Department's Right of Way Management office. In order for the vendors to temporarily vend on 24th Street, the Parks and Recreation Department requests that the location of the People's Renaissance Market under Chapter 14-2 be temporarily relocated during June 2009.

The first phase of a complete reconstruction of 23rd Street, and the construction of related streetscape improvements including new paving, 18-foot sidewalks where applicable, trees and landscaping, utility and drainage work will begin on June 1, 2009.