

AGENDA



Thursday, March 3, 2011

Transportation
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 27

Subject: Authorize issuance of a street closure permit under City Code Chapter 14-8 for the fee-paid Art City Austin Festival event which is to be held on Saturday, April 2, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Sunday, April 3, 2010 from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

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

For More Information: Robert Spillar, 974-2488; Frances Hargrove 974-7083; Gilda Powers, 974-7092

Meredith Powell, Executive Director, Art City Austin, has submitted a right-of-way event application for closing of the following streets for a fee-paid event. The promoter will be charging an \$8.00 entry fee. Children under 12 are free.

Streets: 100 – 900 blocks -West Cesar Chavez Street
 100 – 200 block – Colorado Street
 100 – 200 block – Lavaca Street
 100 – 200 block – Guadalupe Street
 100 – 200 block – San Antonio Street
 100 – 300 block – South First Street (Drake Bridge)

Close: April 1, 2011 7:00 p.m.
 Open: April 3, 2011 11:59 p.m.

Streets: 900 – 1400 blocks – West Cesar Chavez Street
 Close: April 1, 2011 6:30 p.m.
 Open: April 1, 2011 11:00 p.m.

Temporarily closing any portion of a street for a street event that requires the public to pay to enter the closure area requires City Council approval under Section 14-8-3 (B) of the City Code. The applicant is in the process of complying with all other requirements for this street event. The Austin Transportation Department has no objections to this request contingent on all other requirements being met.

Fee Breakdown:

Street Event Application Fee	\$ 250
Amplified Sound Fee	\$ 99 (\$33 x 3 days)
Safety Inspection Fee	\$ 228 (\$38 per hour = 2 hours x 3 days)
Street Event Permit Fee	\$4500 (\$100 per block x 3 days)
Sub Total:	\$5077.00
Security Deposit	\$2000 (refundable upon written request)
Total:	\$7077.00

City's participation fee in Gate Collections – 4 ½ Percent of Total Gate Charges Collected.