

**RESOLUTION NO.: R-2006-013**

*Authorizing consumption of beer and wine at  
Rio Nightlife's Annual Car & Bike Show*

WHEREAS, Rio Nightlife is sponsoring a Car and Bike Show in the 1700 block of Main Street between Laurel Street and Blanding Street, from 1:00 p.m until 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 29, 2006; and,

WHEREAS, Rio has requested permission for the temporary closing and use from 9:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. of the 1700 block of Main Street between Laurel Street and Blanding Street, for staging of the event to be held from 1:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.; for patrons to consume beer and wine at the event during the hours of 1:00 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.; and for crowd control and overflow; and,

WHEREAS, it has been determined that such an event would be in the public interest;  
NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council this 5th day of April, 2006, that the sale of beer and wine beverages is authorized between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 29, 2006; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all vendors be restricted to stationary location; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that only pedestrian traffic will be allowed within the area. All other traffic, including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mopeds, bicycles, skate boards, and horses, except police horses, is prohibited. All pets shall be prohibited. Coolers, glass bottles, breakable glasses and/or cups, large bags and backpacks shall be prohibited; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that during the designated time the closed portion of the 1700

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block of Main Street between Laurel Street and Blanding Street, with the exception of the parking areas, adjacent off-street parking areas and other areas posted as to not allow alcoholic beverages, shall be declared to be a Public Park and provisions of Chapter 15, Parks and Recreation, Sec. 15-1, 15-2 and 15-3, Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina are in effect. Pursuant to Chapter 14, Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, Article IV, Offenses Against the Public Peace and Order, Sec. 14-99, 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina, the 1700 block of Main Street between Laurel Street and Blanding Street, with the exception of the parking areas, adjacent off-street parking areas and any other areas posted as to not allow alcoholic beverages, is deemed to be the site of a public festival at which alcoholic beverages may be consumed and the prohibition against possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages set forth in Sec. 14-99 shall not apply. Possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages shall be permitted only in containers provided by vendors within the areas designated.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that no solicitation or transactions be made in violation of Sec. 14-32, 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina.

Requested by:

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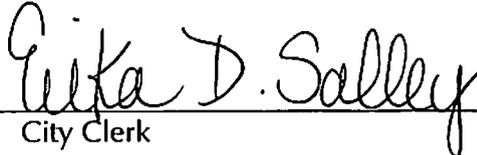
Mayor

Approved by:



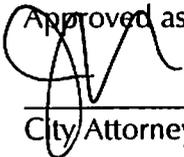
City Manager

ATTEST:



City Clerk

Approved as to form:



City Attorney

Introduced: 4/5/2006  
Final Reading: 4/5/2006

**March 20, 2006**

**Re: Rio Nightlife's first annual Car & Bike show**

**To: Shari Ardis**

**Fr: Richard Gibson**

**Dear Ms. Ardis:**

**Thanks for your call on Friday. Here are the details you requested for the show.**

- **We request the street be closed from 9am - 8pm**
- **The event will be from 1pm until 7pm**
- **Vendor/car & Bike setup will be from 9am to 12pm**
- **Alcohol sales will cease at 6:30pm**
- **7pm to 8pm will be breaking down the booths and clean up.**

**Thank you for you help and time.**

**Sincerely,**

**Richard Gibson  
Club Rio, Inc.  
1734 Main St  
Columbia SC 29201**

**803-309-9356**



March 14, 2006

Matter No.: 01030200  
Attorney: [Signature]  
Date In: 3/17/06  
File No.: 2006-013  
Date Out: \_\_\_\_\_

The Honorable Robert Coble, Mayor  
City of Columbia  
P.O. Box 147  
Columbia, SC 29217

Dear Mayor Coble:

Rio Nightlife respectfully requests that City Council consider the following street closing for the first *Rio Nightlife's Annual Car & Bike show*.

We request that the portion of Main Street located between Laurel Street and Blanding Street be closed to vehicular traffic from 9am to 8pm on Saturday, April 29, 2006. We will host a family friendly show being organized by Rio Nightlife, Mac's on Main, and several NFL players from the Midlands, mainly Mr. John Abrahams of the New York Jets.

*Rio Nightlife's Annual Car & Bike Show* is a project that includes Exotic car show, Custom Motorcycle Show, Meet and Greet with four New York Jets, face painting for children, live music, pig picking and other kid-family friendly fun. I have enclosed a project description for your interest.

Thank you for your time and consideration of these requests. If you or your staff have any questions, please contact me at 803-309-9356.

Sincerely,

[Signature]  
Richard Gibson  
Owner/Operator-Club Rio, Inc.

Cc: Charles Austin, Sr.  
Libby Gober  
Erika Salley  
Ellen Woodoff  
Matt Kennell



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### Project Description

- 9am to 12pm set-up time for cars, bikes, & vendors
- 1pm open to the public
- Food from Mac's on Main and a Pig Picking
- One truck from Budweiser of Columbia
- Custom Car show/contest
- Custom Motorcycle show
- Small stage with sound system for live entertainment
- Live Remotes with local Radio Station
- U.S. Air force Recruiting by Tech Sgt. Jimmy Gaffney
- Meet & Greet autograph session
- **Guests include:**
  - John Abrahams, Defensive End NY Jets 7 Years**
  - Jonathon Vilma, Linebacker NY Jets 3 years**
  - Lavernius Coles, Wide Receiver, NY Jets 7 Years**

**Rio Nightlife will have its doors open to offer public restrooms  
This event will be advertised on the radio, through the City Center  
Partnership and through print advertising in the Free Times.**