

RESOLUTION NO.: R-2010-016

Authorizing consumption of beer and wine at the Main Street Latin Festival

WHEREAS, GG Productions, Inc. ("Sponsor") is sponsoring the Main Street Latin Festival in the 1400 block of Main Street between Washington Street and Hampton Street from 11:00 a.m. until 10:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 28, 2010; and,

WHEREAS, Sponsor has requested permission for the temporary closing and use of 1300 and 1400 blocks of Main Street between Lady Street, Washington Street and Hampton Street, and the 1100 and 1200 blocks of Washington Street between Assembly Street, Main Street and Lady Street, from 5:30 p.m. Friday, August 27, 2010 until 8:30 p.m. Sunday, August 29, 2010 for set up, clean up, and staging of the event to be held in the 1400 block of Main Street between Washington Street and Hampton Street on Saturday, August 28, 2010 from 11:00 a.m. until 10:00 p.m.; for patrons to consume beer and wine beverages during the event hours of 11:00 a.m. until 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 28, 2010; 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 7th day of April, 2010, that the sale of beer and wine beverages is authorized between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 28, 2010; 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 1400 block of Main Street between Washington Street and Hampton 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,

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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 1400 block of Main Street between Washington Street and Hampton 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 beer and wine 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 beer and wine beverages shall be permitted only in plastic cups, plastic or aluminum bottles or aluminum cans provided by vendors within the areas designated.

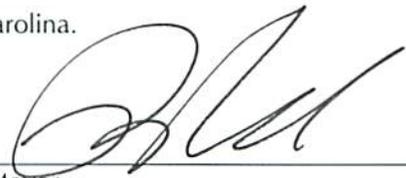
PROVIDED, FURTHER, that the event organizer shall provide the names and cell phone numbers of a least two contact persons who can receive complaints during the event, including any set up and breakdown times. The cell phones shall remain on at all times during the event and during any set up and breakdown time.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that failure of the event organizer to strictly comply with the time frames and other requirements and responsibilities set forth in this resolution may result in a denial of subsequent requests to allow the event.

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:

GG Productions, Inc.



Mayor

Approved by:



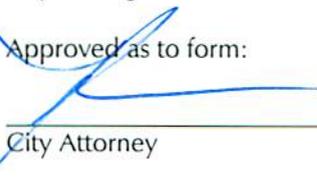
City Manager

ATTEST:



City Clerk

Approved as to form:



City Attorney

Introduced: 4/7/2010
Final Reading: 4/7/2010

DATE: February 17th, 2010

NAME OF REQUESTOR GG Productions Inc. 2317 Sunset Blvd. West Columbia, SC

EVENT NAME/PURPOSE (i.e., St. Patrick's/Charity Fund-raiser) Main Street Latin Festival

DATE(S) OF EVENTS: August 28th, 2010

LOCATION OF EVENT (i.e., Amphitheater area of Finlay Park; 1200 and 1300 blocks of Main Street)

1400 Block of Main Street, Downtown Columbia, SC

STREET(S) TO BE CLOSED (i.e., 1200 and 1300 blocks of Main Street and 1100 and 1200 blocks of Lady Street)

1300 and 1400 Blocks of Main Street
1100 and 1200 Blocks of Washington Street

HOURS FOR STREET(S) TO BE CLOSED (i.e., 5:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.) ALLOW TIME FOR SET UP/CLEAN UP

Closing Friday August 27th, 2010 at 5:30pm until Sunday 29th, 2010 at 8:30pm

HOURS OF EVENT (i.e., 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.)

11am until 10pm

HOURS OF SERVICE OF BEER/WINE (Service should end one-half hour prior to end of event, i.e., event is 6-10 p.m., beer/wine service is 6-9:30 p.m.)

11am until 9:30pm

Please submit requests by mail, e-mail or fax at least sixty (60) days in advance of the event to allow for preparation and review of the Resolution and scheduling on Council's agenda. Requests may be sent by e-mail (mailto:publicaffairs@cityofcolumbia.com), fax (737-4250) or mail, POB 147, Columbia, SC 29217. A draft Resolution will be prepared and forwarded for your review as well as to the Police Department Special Events office and to Parks and Recreation if the event is to be held in a City park.

PLEASE NOTE: This form should only be used for public events where beer and/or wine are to be sold and consumed on City property (i.e., Five After Five, St. Patrick's Festival, Concerts in Finlay Park, etc.).

This form should not be used to request use of City property for private events (birthday, retirement, anniversary parties, etc.) nor for sidewalk sales. Requests for private events at City parks should be made through the Parks and Recreation Department. Requests for sidewalk sales should be made to the City Manager.

Legal Department - Shari Ardis; 737-4242; shari.ardis@cityofcolumbia.com
Police Department Special Events - Officer Robert Hall; 545-3535; robert.hall@cityofcolumbia.com
Parks and Recreation - Loretta Coleman; 545-3100; loretta.coleman@cityofcolumbia.com

Submit by Email

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Attorney: RGT/SLA
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