

PUBLIC EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION
City of Somerville, Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Application #: PEL17-000026
File #: 17-001731

Organization name: 2017 Taste of Somerville c/o Somerville Home, Inc.

Description: Produced by the Somerville Chamber of Commerce Dining & Nightlife Group, the Taste of Somerville is a unique way to experience Somerville's dining and nightlife scene. Feast on a bountiful sampling of dishes from Somerville's eclectic dining scene. More than 60 local restaurants will be serving their tastiest dishes. All food is included in the price of admission.

Date(s): 6/14/2017

Setup starts at (time): 7:00am

Cleanup after the event ends at (time): 12:00am

Attendees:

Max attendance at one time: 2500

Maximum attendees accommodated: 2500

Attendee fees or suggested donations: \$100 (VIP), \$50 (General admission)

Social or cultural benefits:

The Somerville Chamber hosts, organizes and promotes the Taste of Somerville. The Taste is a unique culinary event and dining and nightlife celebration.

Event name: 2017 Taste of Somerville

Location: Powderhouse Park PowderHouse Park

Rain date(s): 6/21/2017, 6/28/17

Event starts at (time): 5:00pm

Event ends at (time): 8:00pm

Total people attending: 2500

Total Somerville residents attending: 1250

What is your budget for this event: 40,000

Financial benefits:

The proceeds from ticket sales, event sponsorship and raffle sales will benefit the Somerville Home and the Walnut Street Center. The Somerville Home and Walnut Street Center have a MOU.

Event Information	Yes/No	If yes, Describe
Food served?	Yes	A bountiful sampling of dishes from Somerville's eclectic dining scene. More than 60 local restaurants will be serving their tastiest dishes.
Alcohol served?	Yes	Sip drinks with friends from local breweries, pilsners, and wineries. Drinks are included in the price of admission. You must be 21 or older (with proper identification) to sample alcoholic drinks!
Grill/open-flame device used?	Yes	Some of the participating restaurants will be grilling on site.
Streets blocked?	No	
Sidewalks blocked?	Yes	Food trucks on the Broadway side
Arrangements:		
Auxiliary Police?	Yes	As required.
Police Detail:	Yes	Per chiefs recommendation based on the crowd size.
Parking (for Attendees)?	No	
Restrooms?	Yes	Portable restrooms and sinks will be rented from Taylor Rental.
Liability Insurance?	Yes	Rider per board suggestion
Will any public parks be used?	Yes	Powderhouse park
Has the event occurred in the last two years?	Yes	6/15/2016
Alcohol License?	Yes	Kelley Sferrazza to complete the application with the City Clerk's Office.

Approval Conditions:

Reviewer: Elise Collins, ISD Health, Approved with Conditions

1. All food vendors must apply for a temporary food permit at least 2 weeks prior to event. Permits must be submitted, approved, and paid for by Monday June 12th. Vendors must be in compliance at event.

Reviewer: CS Fire, Fire Prevention, Approved with Conditions

1. Fire details will be required for this event. All food trucks must be inspected and permitted temporarily. Please contact the Fire Prevention office at least 4 weeks in advance to schedule fire details. Please inform any food vendor that will be using heat as a cooking source to contact the office as well. Lt MacLaughlan

Reviewer: John J. Long, City Clerk, Approved

Reviewer: Lori Batzek, City Clerk, Approved

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Reviewer: Jill Lathan, Recreation, Approved

Reviewer: John J. Long, City Clerk, Complete

Reviewer: CS Traffic and Parking, Traffic and Parking, Approved

Reviewer: John J. Long, City Clerk, Approved

Reviewer: CS Mayor, Mayor's Office, Approved

Reviewer: Scott Whalen, Police, Approved

Reviewer: Christine Morin, Public Works, Approved
