

PUBLIC EVENT/SPECIAL ALCOHOL LICENSE APPLICATION

City of Somerville, Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Application #: PEL22-000100

File #: 22-010528

Application for: Public Event

Organization name: Gilman Square Neighborhood Association

Description: The event is a continuation of the Gilman Square Block Party, which we hosted in the same location last year. The goal is to bring local artisans, musicians, and vendors to the area and introduce visitors to Gilman Square.

Date(s): 9/10/22

Setup starts at (time): 11:00

Cleanup after the event ends at (time): 7:00

Entertainment: Local bands playing live music, kids games, informational tables

Attendees:

Max attendance at one time: 500

Maximum attendees accommodated: 800

Attendee fees or suggested donations: N/A

Social or cultural benefits:

In coordination with the City of Somerville, this event will both help build community around Gilman Square and help the community articulate what the future development of Gilman Square should look like, in coordination with the new T stop opening. We plan to invite city leaders, project leaders, nongovernmental organization leaders to come table at our event in order to engage in outreach, education, and promotion of their programs/agencies/projects. We will also have local bands and plenty of activities for all ages.

Event Contact: Will Monson

Event name: Gilman Square Arts and Music Festival

Location: Pearl St from Medford St to Bradley St

Rain date(s): N/A

Event starts at (time): 12:00

Event ends at (time): 6:00

Temporary Structures: We will have 10x20' tents in select areas in case of inclement weather. Some vendors will also bring their own tents for the tables.

Total people attending: 800

Total Somerville residents attending: 800

What is your budget for this event: \$4,000

Financial benefits:

We plan to invite many local food purveyors to provide food and drink at the block party, as well as encourage visitors to visit other local restaurants.

Event Contact Phone: 708-203-3630

Event Information	Yes/No	If yes, Describe
Open to the public?	Yes	Facebook posting; posters; word of mouth; email blast; City notices, if available
Food served?	Yes	Scott Brothers, who are affiliated with Winter Hill Brewing Co, will serve food like last year. We also plan to engage local, smaller shops to participate
Caterer used?	No	
Alcohol served?	Yes	
Grill/open-flame device used?	No	
Streets blocked?	Yes	Pearl St from Bradley St to Medford St
Sidewalks blocked?	No	
Arrangements:		
Police Detail:	Yes	will contact SPD
Parking (for Attendees)?	No	
Restrooms?	Yes	Port-o-potties
Liability Insurance?	Yes	Same insurance that we cover every year for this event

Will any public parks be used?	No	
Has the event occurred in the last two years?	Yes	10/16/2021

Approval Conditions:

Approved By:

CS Mayor, Approved

Albert Bargoot, Approved

Maureen Lee, Approved

Kevin Roche, Approved

Dennis Sullivan, Approved

CS Traffic and Parking, Approved

Sean Sylvester, Approved with Conditions

Request police detail

Eric Weisman, Approved

Kimberly M. Wells, Approved