

PUBLIC EVENT/SPECIAL ALCOHOL LICENSE APPLICATION

City of Somerville, Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Application #: PEL26-00027

File #: 19-013647

Event Name: Annual Curated Vintage Market

Business Name: Bow Market

Application Type: Public Event License

Location: 337 SOMERVILLE AVE

APPLICANT

Company Name: Bow Market Entertainment, LLC

Contact Name: Zachary Baum

Business Address:

Home Address:

30 Bow Street

Somerville, MA 02143

Work Phone:

Home Phone:

Email: partners@boyeswatsonbaum.com

of days: 1

Does this event occupy a public space or significantly affect nearby residents?: Yes

Are you the party applying for the Public Event License?: Yes

Describe the location in detail: 1/2 of Somerville Ave between Bow St. and Bow St.

In the last 5 years, have you been found guilty, liable, or responsible, in any judicial or administrative proceeding, for any violation of the City Wage Theft Ordinance or any State or Federal laws or regulations regulating the payment of wages? [City Wage Theft Ordinance](#): No

Date: 05/31/2026

Event Setup Begins: 08:00 AM

Start Time: 12:00 PM

End Time: 08:00 PM

Event Cleanup Ends: 09:00 PM

Do You Have a Proposed Rain Date for Your Public Event?: Yes

Date: 06/07/2026

Start Time: 12:00 PM

End Time: 08:00 PM

Organization name; if none, your name: Bow Market

Describe any social or cultural benefits of this event for Somerville residents : This event will bring the best vintage vendors around the region to the people of Somerville

Describe any financial benefits of this event for Somerville businesses or organizations: This event will help the businesses of Bow Market and Union Square

What is the budget for this event?: \$2000

Complete Mailing Address : Bow Market 30 Bow St. Somerville, MA 02143

Contact name for follow-up questions (Will be available to the public): Zachary Baum

Email: zach@bowmarketsomerville.com

Phone (Will be available to the public): 6176845237

Event Name : Annual Curated Vintage Market

Describe the Event: A curated vintage market bringing over 30 vintage sellers together

Describe any Entertainment at the Event (if none, type None): None

Describe any tents, inflatables, or other temporary structures to be used (if none, type None): Vendors will have 10x10 popup tents for their wares

Describe any accessibility features available to attendees/participants: Fully accessible layout

Estimated maximum attendance at one time : 150

Estimated total number of people attending: 500

Estimated total number of Somerville residents attending : 350

Maximum number of attendees you will accommodate: 750

Attendee fees or suggested donations : None

Will this event be open to the public?: Yes

Describe your outreach/publicity: Posters and social media

Will food be served?: No

Will a grill/open-flame device be used? : No

Will any streets be blocked? : Yes

If yes, describe:: 1/2 of Somerville Ave between Bow St and Bow St

Road to be closed: Somerville Ave

Cross street where road closure will start: Bow St.

Cross street where road closure will end: Bow St.

Will any sidewalks be blocked? : No

Will any public parks be used? : No

Has this event occurred in the last two years? : Yes

If yes, prior dates : 9/28/2025 - PEL25-000049 6/1/2025 - PEL25-000049

Police Detail : Yes

If yes, describe:: Police detail as recommended by SPD

Parking for Attendees : No

Restrooms : Yes

If yes, please describe the restrooms being provided, and if you are providing portable toilets, state how they will be delivered and removed:: Restrooms available in Bow Market

Liability Insurance : Yes

If yes, describe:: Insurance as part of Bow Market

Approval Conditions:

Reviewer: Kevin Roche, Engineering, Approved with Conditions

1. Event layout must maintain ADA accessibility to the booths via the existing crosswalks at the Kilby Street and Hawkins Street intersections. Pedestrian entryways must be taped/sectioned off so the pedestrians maintain at least 4' of physical distance from the vehicle lane at all times. Stage the tents in the vehicle travel lane and use the parking lane as a 6' wide (or wider) access way at all times.
2. Vendors and shoppers may not occupy the final 4' of the booths closest to the vehicle lane.
3. Three Somerville Police Details are required at all times during operation, including set up and take down. Details must be stationed at crosswalks to assist pedestrian crossing of Somerville Ave during marketplace open hours.
4. Site layout must accommodate all parklets on the north side of Somerville Ave that are present at the time of the event.

Reviewer: CS Mayor, Mayor's Office, Approved

Reviewer: Albert Bargoot, ISD Building, Approved

Reviewer: Eric Weisman, Public Works, Approved

Reviewer: Charles Breen, Fire Prevention, Approved

Reviewer: Suzanne Rinfret1, Traffic and Parking, Approved

Reviewer: Mackenzie Richardson, Police, Approved

Reviewer: Kimberly M. Wells, City Clerk, Approved

Reviewer: Jesse Moos, Engineering, Complete