

PUBLIC EVENT/SPECIAL ALCOHOL LICENSE APPLICATION

City of Somerville, Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Application #: PEL24-000028

File #: 24-004001

Application for: Public Event

Organization name: Tufts University Engineers Without Borders

Description: The annual 6k run is a fundraiser for Engineers Without Borders at Tufts. The funds will go to our project teams, which are designing and implementing clean water access systems in Malawi and Nicaragua. 6 kilometers is the average distance walked to get access to clean water in Africa a day.

This has historically been a small scale event relative to similar events, and we expect it to have little to no disturbance on our neighbors.

Date(s): April 7, 2024

Setup starts at (time): 9:30AM

Cleanup after the event ends at (time): 3:00PM

Entertainment: None

Attendees:

Max attendance at one time: 80

Maximum attendees accommodated: 200

Attendee fees or suggested donations: Attendees pay \$15 for a running bib.

Social or cultural benefits:

Gives residents an opportunity to socialize while getting in some exercise and supporting a good cause!

Event Contact: David Gillingham

Event name: Engineers Without Borders 6k

Location: We will be holding a 6k run that starts in and is based around the Tufts campus, but the path goes through Somerville public roads. These are the Somerville roads it will include: Lower Campus Road, Powderhouse Boulevard, Alewife Brook Parkway, Boston Ave, Curtis Street, Sawyer Ave, Talbot Ave.

Rain date(s): April 14, 2024

Event starts at (time): 11:00AM

Event ends at (time): 2:00PM

Temporary Structures: None

Total people attending: 100

Total Somerville residents attending: 30

What is your budget for this event: \$200

Financial benefits:

We are seeking sponsorships from Somerville businesses, and business sponsors will receive publicity through this event.

Event Contact Phone: 774-578-6977

Event Information	Yes/No	If yes, Describe
Open to the public?	Yes	Communication on community pages and local running clubs (in addition to advertising within the Tufts campus).
Food served?	No	
Caterer used?		
Alcohol served?	No	
Grill/open-flame device used?	No	
Streets blocked?	No	
Sidewalks blocked?	Yes	Lower Campus Road, Powderhouse Boulevard, Alewife Brook Parkway, Boston Ave, Curtis Street, Sawyer Ave, Talbot Ave.
Describe any accessibility features available to attendees/participants		Main area of the event (besides the run itself) is outdoors in an area that does not pose many accessibility challenges (no stairs, parking nearby)
Arrangements:		
Police Detail:	Yes	Through the university police department (TUPD).
Parking (for Attendees)?	Yes	Tufts Jackson Gym parking lot

Restrooms?	Yes	Restrooms can be found indoors.
Liability Insurance?	No	
Will any public parks be used?	No	
Has the event occurred in the last two years?	Yes	Last year it occurred on 4/23/2023 and I believe 4/17/2022 as well

Approval Conditions:

Approved By:

CS Mayor, Approved

Kevin Roche, Approved

Charles Breen, Approved

CS Traffic and Parking, Approved

Eric Weisman, Approved

Andrea Torres, Approved

Timothy Mitsakis, Approved with Conditions