
City Council Regular Meeting

DEPARTMENT: Parks and Recreation

FROM: Jen Basham, Director of Parks and Recreation

MEETING: March 20, 2023

SUBJECT:

Consider approval of a resolution authorizing street closures for the upcoming Honey Tour community event. *(Staff Contact: Jen Basham, Director of Parks and Recreation)*

SUMMARY:

Honey Tour is a bike race that has been hosted by the Chamber of Commerce for over 20 years. The event consists of multiple bike races ranging from 7-67 miles. This will be the first year the race has been held since 2019. The Honey Tour has traditionally brought thousands of racers and their families to Burleson for the event. In 2022, The Chamber of Commerce invited the City of Burleson to partner in order to create a signature special event that enhances the race. The partnership was approved by Parks board (February 10, 2022) and City Council (March 7, 2022). Additions will include a multi-day carnival, live music, and vendors. The carnival is a multi-day festival and will require street closures beginning May 23, 2023. Street closures include:

Renfro to Bransom,
Renfro to Warren
Warren to Ellison
Ellison to Johnson
Bransom to Ellison

All impacted businesses have been briefed and provided with details regarding the street closures. All old town businesses were personally met with to discuss any questions or feedback prior to bringing this item forward.

OPTIONS:

- 1) Approve as presented.
- 2) Approve with changes.

3) Deny

RECOMMENDATION:

Approved as presented

PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):

FISCAL IMPACT:

Budgeted Y/N: N

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