

STAFF REPORT

City of Dripping Springs

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Submitted By: Johnna Krantz, Community Events Coordinator

Council Meeting Date: September 19, 2023

Agenda Item Wording: Discuss and consider approval of a Temporary Street Closure Permit

Application from the Dripping Springs Lions Club to close portions of Mercer Street, College Street, San Marcos Street, and Old Fitzhugh

Road on December 2, 2023.

Agenda Item Sponsor: Council Member Sherrie Parks

Summary/Background: This Traffic Control Plan (TCP) has been prepared to promote safety and

convenience. The City will temporarily close portions of portions of the downtown area to through-traffic for public safety during the 2023

Christmas on Mercer event. This plan is based on the City's prior successful

experience with traffic control during similar downtown events and

festivals.

The 2023 TCP will close Mercer Street from Bluff Street to Wells Fargo Bank. College Street will be closed from Mercer to Wallace Street. A portion of San Marcos Street will be closed between Wallace and Mercer. Old Fitzhugh Road will be closed to through traffic at Ranch Road 12, and closed to event traffic from the Stevenson Building Lot to Mercer Street.

Staff Recommendation: Approval of the Temporary Street Closure request for the 2023 Christmas

on Mercer event on December 2, 2023.

Attachments: 2023 Christmas on Mercer TCP

Next Steps/Schedule: Issue the Temporary Road Closure Permit.