

Staff Report

Subject: Assemblage Permit
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Department: Development Services
Meeting Date: April 1, 2025

Item Description: Effingham County Chamber of Commerce request approval of a **Assemblage Permit** for the “New Ebenezer Family & Retreat Center” located on **2887 Ebenezer Road [Map# 471 Parcel# 3]**

Executive Summary/Background

- The request for approval of a assemblage permit is a requirement of Section 42.8 – Public Assemblies.
Any gathering or assemblage of persons in any public square or park of the county shall be unlawful without permission previously obtained from the county commission; and any public assemblage or procession in any street, square, or thoroughfare within the corporate limits of the county shall be unlawful without such permission. (Ord. of 9-1-81)
- The applicant is requesting approval for a fund-raising event at the Pavillion at New Ebenezer Retreat Center.
- The fund-raising event is set to take place at 10am on Saturday April 5, 2025.
- Alcohol will be served during this event.

Determination

Staff has reviewed the application, and the application is complete

Department Review: Development Services

FUNDING: N/A

Attachments : 1. Aerial Photograph