



CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

SUBMITTER: Lew Holloway, Community
Development Director

MEETING DATE: May 5, 2022

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA

DEPARTMENT: Community
Development

TITLE OF ITEM: Special Event: July Fourth Festival and Fireworks - *Lew Holloway, Community
Development Director*

SUGGESTED MOTION(S):

I move that City Council approve the special event permit for July Fourth Festival and Fireworks.

SUMMARY:

Sponsored and organized by the Tourism Development Authority and Henderson County Parks and Recreation, this event will be held on Monday, July 4, 2022, from 5-10 p.m. on Main Street. The event is proposed to be the same as in 2021 except for a request to close one additional block, making the total closure 5 blocks of Main Street (Caswell to Third Ave). The organizers report that the 2021 crowd size and event layout was too congested, justifying the need for an additional block. The event includes inflatable bounce houses, games, food trucks, and live music at the Historic Courthouse. Fireworks will kick off at 9 p.m. in the same capacity and using the same contractor as in previous years. Earlier in the day the annual July Fourth Parade will take place on Main Street (organized by the Hendersonville Merchants and Business Association). The Special Events Committee unanimously voted to recommend approval of this event as presented.

BUDGET IMPACT: NA

Is this expenditure approved in the current fiscal year budget? NA

If no, describe how it will be funded.

ATTACHMENTS:

None