

<u>City Council Agenda Report</u>

City of Long Lake 450 Virginia Avenue, PO Box 606 Long Lake, MN 55356

MEETING DATE / June 3, 2025

SUBJECT:	Special Event Permit Request for Corn Days 2025	
Prepared By:	Jeanette Moeller, City Clerk	Report Date: 5/29/2025

Recommended City Council Action

Staff recommends the following:

Motion to adopt Resolution No. 2025-17 approving issuance of Special Event Permit #S2025-07 for the Corn Days 2025 one-day festival to be held August 9, 2025; to approve the issuance of a Noise Variance Permit authorizing sound amplification for musical entertainment on August 8 and 9; to approve issuance of a 1 to 4 Day Temporary On Sale Liquor License for the Church of St. George to allow the sale of alcoholic beverages for events on August 8 and 9; and to approve an Application for Exempt Permit for the Church of St. George to conduct gambling activities including bingo and raffles during the 2025 Corn Days event.

Overview / Background

The Church of St. George has made applications requesting to hold their annual Corn Days summer festival located at their property at 133 Brown Road N to be held on Saturday, August 9, 2025. The festival will offer a wide variety of family-friendly activities including children's games, inflatable(s), a petting zoo, a caricaturist, a hair artist, a wine pull in the secure beer tent, merchandise vendors, and a parked classic car rally; live entertainment; food and beverages; as well as bingo and raffle/silent auction entries.

Please note that the Application for 1 to 4 Day Temporary On Sale Liquor License for liquor service and Noise Variance Permit for live entertainment both encompass a two-day period of Friday, August 8 and Saturday, August 9. Although the Corn Days one-day festival will be held on Saturday, August 9, the Church will also be offering liquor service and musical entertainment for non-public Church events (the Corn Days setup day) to be held on Friday, August 8.

Staff recommends approval of a Special Event Permit for the Corn Days 2025 summer festival with conditions as specified in the attached permit; approval of a Noise Variance Permit to allow the use of sound amplification equipment for musical entertainment; approval of a temporary liquor license; and approval of a permit to conduct gambling activities including bingo and raffle games.

Supporting Information

- Resolution No. 2025-17
- Special Event Permit for Corn Days 2025
- Event narrative, schedule of events, and site maps for Corn Days 2025
- Noise Variance Permit for use of sound amplification equipment during event setup and the festival date
- Application for 1 to 4 Day Temporary On Sale Liquor License form
- Application for Exempt Permit form