



April 2021

To: Honorable Mayor and Council Members

Cc: Sharon Hanson, City Administrator

From: Marshall Sounds of Summer

We hereby request that you declare the Sounds of Summer celebration scheduled for Thursday August 19 thru Sunday August 22, 2021, A Community Festival.

As you are well aware our festival was canceled last year because of concerns associated with the Covid-19 pandemic. Because of that postponement, 2021 will be the 12th year of our community celebration. Our overall goal however remains the same; family, friendly, free events that the entire family can enjoy. We are anticipating that this year's festival will bring additional community residents, former residents as well as people from the area to our celebration. Relay for Life is again becoming part of the start of our celebration on Thursday evening at Independence Park.

Our grand festival parade will be on Saturday afternoon, and the free outdoor concert featuring a return engagement by Nasty Habit; a high energy band from the Alexandria area. In addition, Roxbury Band, a local favorite will be performing prior to our main event. On Sunday, the festival will conclude with a community wide praise service. We encourage and thank you for your support of Sounds of Summer 2021!

Sincerely,

Brock Klaith, Carrie Jones, Marc Klaith

Sounds of Summer Committee Officers