

City Council Meeting Agenda Item Data Sheet

Meeting Date: April 17, 2023

Topic:

Approve A Resolution Of The City Council Of The City Of Tomball, Texas, Sponsoring The City's Annual July 4th Celebration, To Be Held In Tomball On July 4th Of Each Year Closing State Highway Business 249 From Hicks Street To The North Entrance To The Kroger Parking Lot From 12:00 P.M. Until 11:00 P.M., And Authorizing The City Manager To Issue A Letter To TxDOT Requesting The Closure Of The Designated Portion Of State Highway Business 249

Background:

For the last 50 years the City of Tomball and the Tomball Fire Department have hosted a celebration of our Nation's Independence. In recent years we have incorporated a street festival that includes live music and family activities. Very few years have passed without a Fireworks Show, unfortunately last year we were unable to host our fireworks show due to a drought. However, street festivities continued as planned.

Resolution 2023-23 is presented for Council approval for submission in the City's request to TxDOT for the closure of Business 249 between Keefer and Hicks on July 4th to host the street festivities and allow for a seating area for the fireworks show.

Approval of this agreement will allow the Mayor to execute the Resolution, authorizing the City to sponsor the event and authorize the City Manager to issue a Multi-Year Agreement letter to the Texas Department of Transportation.

Origination: Fire Department

Recommendation:

Approval

Party(ies) responsible for placing this item on agenda: Joe Sykora, Fire Chief

FUNDING (IF APPLICABLE)

Are funds specifically designated in the current budget for the full amount required for this purpose?

Yes: _____ No: _____ If yes, specify Account Number: # _____

If no, funds will be transferred from account # _____ To account # _____

Signed	<u>Joe Sykora</u>	<u>04/11/2023</u>	Approved by	_____
	Staff Member	Date		City Manager
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