



Request for Council Action

TO: Mayor and City Council
THROUGH: Tim Murray, City Administrator
FROM: Paul J. Peanasky, Parks & Recreation Director
MEETING DATE: March 23, 2021
SUBJECT: Resolution 2021-057 Approve Street Closures for
Downtown Car Cruise Nights

Background:

A request has been made by Kelly Nygaard, on behalf of the Faribault Area Chamber of Commerce & Tourism, to Hold Car Cruise Nights in downtown Faribault in 2021. The Car Cruise Nights will be held on the following Fridays: May 21, June 18, July 16, August 13, August 20 and September 17, 2021. The events will use the 100, 200, 300 and 400 blocks of Central Avenue. This will require Central Avenue from 1st Street NW to 5th Street NW to be closed from 4:00 PM to 9:30 PM on the dates listed above. The August 13th date will coincide with the Blue Collar BBQ & Arts Festival. All cross streets will remain open. This is similar to the requests held in past years.

These events are listed as Community Events. They plan to have music for the Car Cruise Nights as well as having alcohol available.

Recommendation:

Approve Resolution 2021-057 Approve Street Closures for Downtown Car Cruise Nights as listed above.

Attachments:

- Resolution 2021-057
- Request

CITY OF FARIBAULT

RESOLUTION #2021-057

APPROVE STREET CLOSURES FOR DOWNTOWN CAR CRUISE NIGHTS

WHEREAS, the Faribault Chamber of Commerce is hosting a Car Cruise Night in downtown Faribault on the following Fridays: May 21, June 18, July 16, August 13, August 20 and September 17, 2021; and

WHEREAS, they plan for the events to run from 4:00 PM to 9:30 PM; and

WHEREAS, the Faribault Chamber of Commerce will provide a completed event agreement including liability insurance information prior to the event; and

WHEREAS, the Faribault City Council is supportive of these events; and

WHEREAS, Section 15-57 of the Faribault Code of Ordinances provides for temporary parking restrictions by means of Council resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Central Avenue from 1st Street NW to 5th Street NW will be closed from 4:00 PM to 9:30 PM on the dates listed above for the Downtown Car Cruise Nights.

Date Adopted: March 23, 2021

Faribault City Council

Kevin F. Voracek, Mayor

ATTEST:

Timothy C. Murray, City Administrator

Denise Hansen

From: Paul Peanasky
Sent: Tuesday, March 9, 2021 2:39 PM
To: Denise Hansen
Subject: FW: Car Cruise dates

Can you do council item for car cruises and community festivals



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To: Paul Peanasky <ppeanasky@ci.faribault.mn.us>
Subject: Re: Car Cruise dates

Paul,
sorry for the delay, I took a couple days of.

Yes, the dates are: May 21, June 18, July 16, August 13 (bonus for Blue Collar), August 20, and September 17. After the popularity of the actual cruises last year, we do plan to do one or two of those, however we haven't determined which of the above dates will be mobile versus the traditional cruise in style, because when I reached out to Andy and Troy, they are happy to help coordinate traffic, but are contracted to assist during the Derek Chauvin case and want to make sure it's not at the same time.

Yes please include us in the festivals designation.

Also, let me know when/where for the park under the viaduct committee. I'm excited to be part of it, thanks!



Kelly Nygaard

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From: Paul Peanasky <ppeanasky@ci.faribault.mn.us>

Sent: Thursday, March 4, 2021 9:59 AM

To: Kelly Nygaard <kelly@faribaultmn.org>

Subject: Car Cruise dates

2 questions:

Do you have dates for this year's car cruise's?

Do you want to be part of the Faribault festivals designation so you can alcohol like we did in past?



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