

**SUMMARY REPORT OF THE
COMMITTEE ON
SPECIAL EVENTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS
Wednesday, May 13, 2009
10:00 AM City Council Chamber**

Consideration will be given to the following matters

SPECIAL EVENTS

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- 12 Grant Permission to **Plaza Azteca, Inc.** / Norma Martinez of 1106 West Lawrence Avenue, to hold Plaza Garibaldi at California Health Park, 2700 South Rockwell Street, during the hours of 12 noon to 9:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 26, 2009.
- 12 Grant Permission to **Plaza Azteca, Inc.** / Norma Martinez, 1106 West Lawrence Avenue, to erect a tent for the Plaza Garibaldi events at California Health Park, 2700 South Rockwell Street, scheduled to take place from April- October, 2009.
- 12 Grant Permission to the 12th Ward Public Service Office to erect a tent for the special event, "**Dia de Bienvenida al Inmigrante,**" scheduled to take place on Sunday, June 21, 2009, at Douglas Park.
- 12 Grant Permission to the 12th Ward Public service Office, 2458 West 38th Street, to close traffic on 1600 to 1900 South Farrar Drive, from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 21, 2009, for their Special Event "**Dia de Bienvenida al Inmigrante.**"
- 12 Grant Permission to **Plaza Azteca, Inc.** / Norma Martinez of 1106 West Lawrence Avenue, to hold Plaza Garibaldi at California Health Park, 2700 South Rockwell Street, during the hours of 12 noon to 9:00 p.m. on Monday, May 25, 2009, and Sunday, June 7, 2009.
- 27 Grant Permission free of charge to hold the following licenses and permits to the participants in the "**5th Annual Guerilla Truck Show**" to be held at 1052 West Fulton Market Street located at the corner of Fulton Market and Aberdeen in Chicago, IL on June 16, 2009 between the hours of 6:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

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- 2 Waive the Tent Erection, Inspection Fees, and Street Closure Fees associated with the event, including all festival participants and applicants, free of charge for the **“March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation March for Babies”** take place Sunday, April 26, 2009. This event location will be in Grant Park, including the closure of Columbus from Roosevelt to Balbo from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. the closure of Columbus from Balbo to Monroe from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.
- 2 Waive the Tent Erection, Building Permit Fees, Inspection Fees, Street Closure Fees, and Liquor Fees associated with the event, including all festival participants and applicants, free of charge for the **“Old St. Patrick’s Church World’s Largest Block Party”** to take place Friday and Saturday, July 18 and 19, 2009. This event location will be at Old St. Patrick’s Church and the parking lots located at Madison and Des Plaines and at Monroe and Des Plaines.
- 4 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License Fees to the participants in the **“Harper Court Art Market”** to be held Harper Court, 5200-5230 South Harper Avenue on June 20-21, 2009; July 18-19, 2009; August 15-16, 2009 and September 12-13, 2009 from 10:00 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- 4 Waive the Itinerant Merchant permits to the participants in the **“International Art Market”** to be held at the Hyde Park Shopping Center, 1500-1508 E. 55th Street on June 13-14, 2009; July 11-12, 2009; August 8-9, 2009, September 19-20, 2009; and October 3-4, 2009 from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- 5 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License, and Street Closure Fees for participants in the **“57th Street Art Fair,”** to be held June 6 -7, 2009 from 10 a.m to dusk on South Kimbark Avenue from 5600 to 5700.
- 5 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License, Food Vendor License and Street Closure Fees for the participants in the **“57th St. Children’s Book Fair,”** to be held September 13, 2009 from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. on East 57th Street, from South Kimbark Avenue to South Dorchester and on South Kimbark Avenue from East 56th Street to East 57th Street.
- 12 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License, Food Vendor License, Tent Erect and Canopy fees, Special Event and Street Closure, and all other permits and fees related to this event to the participants of the **“Dia de Bienvenida al Inmigrante,”** scheduled to take place on Sunday, June 21, 2009 at Douglas Park.
- 20 Waive all necessary Permits and Licenses free of charge to the participants for the **“61st Street Farmer’s Market,”** an open-air market sponsored by

Experimental Station, a not-for-profit Illinois corporation to be held every Saturday rain or shine beginning on May 16, 2009 through October 31, 2009.

- 22 Waive the Street Closure Permit and Food Vendor License Fees for all of the participants in the Enlace Chicago, "**Healing the Hood 2009**," to be held on June 13, 2009 located on Ridgeway Avenue from 27th Street to 30th Street and 28th Street from 3700 West to 3800 West.
- 25 Waive all necessary Special Event Permits and Licenses, free of charge for the participants of Pilsen Neighbors Community Council "**Fiesta del Sol**" to be held on July 30-31, 2009 and August 1-2, 2009 located on Morgan Street to Loomis Street on Cermak Road from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- 26 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License, Special Event Permit, Food Vendor License, Mechanical Rides, Tent Fees, Water Fees, Street and Sanitation Fees, Street Closure Fees and Park Permit Fees in conjunction with the "**Puerto Rican Parade and Festivities**" to be held on June 16th through June 21st, 2009 in Humboldt Park. This event is hosted by the Puerto Rican Committee of Chicago.
- 26 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License, Special Event, Food Vendor License, Mechanical Rides, Tent Fees, Water Fees, Street and Sanitation Fees, Street Closure fees and Park Permit fees in conjunction with "**Fiesta Boricua**" Street Festival to be held on Sunday, September 6, 2009 in between the 2400 and 2800 blocks of West Division Street. This event is hosted by the Puerto Rican Cultural Center and the Division Street Business Development Association.
- 27 Waive the Special Event Raffle License Fee in the amount of \$200.00 for Marwen Foundation, Inc., a non-for-profit organization, located at 833 North Orleans Street for their Special Event "**Show Me Marwen**," scheduled to take place on March 27, 2009.
- 27 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License Fees, Food Vendor Fees, Liquor License Fees and Street Closure Fees for the "**1st Annual Chicago Soul Music Festival (CSMF)**" in Union Park, from June 26-28, 2009 from 12:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. The festival site will be located at 1501 West Randolph between Ashland and Lake Street.
- 29 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License Fees, Food Vendor license Fees, and Street Closure Fees in connection with the "**New 29th Ward Annual Picnic and Gospel Event**." The event will take place at 5701 West Jackson Boulevard, Columbus Park, Grove 12, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on July 25, 2009.
- 30 Waive all necessary Special Event Permits and Licenses free of charge for the participants of St. Philomena Church, "**St. Philomena Family Carnival**" to be held on May 21 through May 25, 2009 located at 1921 North Kedvale Avenue.
- 30 Waive all necessary Special Events and Licenses free of charge to the participants for St. Ferdinand Church, "**St. Ferdinand Family Carnival**" to be held on June 4th through June 7, 2009 located at 3131 North Mason Avenue.

- 32 Issue all necessary Permits free of charge to the participants for Star Events, **"2009 Retro on Roscoe"** to be held on August 1-2, 2009 from 12 p.m. until 10 p.m. until 10 p.m. located on 2000-2400 West Roscoe Street between Damen and Western Avenue.
- 32 & 43 Waive the Permit and Street Closure Fees, Food Vendor License Fees, and Itinerant Merchant License Fees to the participants of the **"41st Annual Sheffield Garden Walk and Festival"** sponsored by and benefitting the Sheffield Neighborhood Association, 2233 North Kenmore Avenue. The event will be held on Saturday, July 18-19, 2009 from 11 a.m. to 10:15 p.m. located on North Sheffield Avenue, from West Webster Avenue 2200 North to West Belden Avenue 2300 North; North Kenmore Avenue from West Webster Avenue 2200 North to West Belden Avenue 2300 North; West Belden Avenue from Sheffield Avenue 1000 West to North Kenmore Avenue 1050 West.
- 32 Waive all necessary Permits free of charge for the participants for Star Events, **"2009 Oktoberfest,"** to be held on September 25 between the hours of 5 p.m. until 10 p.m., September 26 between the hours of 12 p.m. until 10 p.m. and on September 27 between the hours of 11 a.m. until 9 p.m. located at 3000 North Lincoln at Southport.
- 32 Waive all necessary Permits free of charge for the participants of Three Headed Productions, **"2009 CANS Music Fest"** to be held on June 19 between the hours of 10 a.m. until 11 p.m. and on June 20 between the hours of 10 a.m. until 11 p.m. located at 2002 West Concord.
- 32 Waive all necessary Permits free of charge for the participants of Club Lucky, **"2009 Smart Show Art Festival"** on September 11-12, 2009 between the hours of 11 a.m. until 11 p.m. and Sunday, September 13 between the hours of 11 a.m. until 10 p.m., located at 1820 West Wabansia.
- 32 Waive all necessary Permits free of charge for the participants of Club Lucky, **"2009 Bucktown Garden Walk"** to be held on Saturday, July 11, 2009 between the hours of 11 a.m. until 11 p.m. and Sunday, July 12, 2009 between the hours of 11 a.m. until 10 p.m. located on West Roscoe from Damen to Bell.
- 32 Waive all necessary Permits free of charge for the participants of Star Events, **"2009 Mayfest"** to be held on May 15, 2009 between the hours of 5 p.m. until 10 p.m., May 16-17, 2009 between the hours of 11 a.m. until 10 p.m. located at 3100 North Ashland at Barry.
- 35 Waive the Mechanical Ride, Street Closure Fees, Tent Fees, Street and Sanitation Fees, for the participants of the 14th District Police **"National Night Out event"** to be held on Tuesday, August 4, 2009 from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. at 2150 N. California Avenue.
- 35 Waive the Canopy Erection, Itinerant Merchant License, Food Vendor License, Street Closure, Fire Prevention and Zoning Fees for the participants of the Puerto Rican Arts Alliance, **"Milwaukee Avenue Arts Festival"** to be held on Friday, July 31, 2009, from 12 p.m. to 11 p.m.; Saturday, August 1, 2009, from 12 p.m. to 11 p.m.; Sunday, August 2, 2009, from 12 p.m. to 11 p.m.

- 35 Waive the Canopy Erection Fees, Itinerant Merchant License, Food Vendor License, Street Closure, Fire Prevention and Zoning Fees for the participants of the **"2009 Chicago Tour de Fat Bike Event"** to be held on Saturday, July 11, 2009, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. located on 3100 West Palmer Square from Sacramento to Kedzie Avenue.
- 41 Waive the Tent and Canopy Permit, Food Vendor Licenses, Special Event Permit Itinerant Merchant License, Street Closure Permit and all other permits and fees related to this event for the participants of the Norwood Park Chamber Market of Commerce and Industry, **"Norwood Park Chamber Market"** to be held on May 30, 2009, July 25, 2009, and August 29, 2009 at 6400 North Northwest Highway, during the hours of 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- 41 Waive the Tent and Canopy Permit, Food Vendor Licenses, Raffle Permits, and all other permits and fees related to this event for the participants of Immaculate Conception Church, **"Oktoberfest/Family Fest '09,"** to be held on Saturday and Sunday, September 25-26, 2009, on the Parish Grounds at 7211 West Talcott.
- 41 Waive the Tent and Canopy Permit, Food Vendor License, Special Event Permit, Itinerant Merchant License Fees, Street Closure Permit, Raffle Fee and all other permits and fees for the participants of **"Edison Park Fest,"** to be held on August 14-16, 2009.
- 42 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License Fees in connection with the **"18th Annual Chicago Tribune Magnificent Mile Art Festival,"** benefiting the Chicago Tribune Charities. This event will take place on Friday, July 10, 2009 and Saturday, July 11, 2009 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, July 12, 2009 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- 42 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License Fees and Temporary Food Vendor Licenses for the participants of the Turkish American Cultural Alliance, **"2009 Chicago Turkish Festival,"** to be held on Wednesday, May 27, 2009 through Saturday, May 30, 2009 at Daley Plaza located at 50 West Washington Street.
- 42 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License Fees and Temporary Food Vendor License Fees for the participants of the Consulate General of the Republic of Croatia in Chicago, **"2009 Croatian American Day,"** to be held on Friday May 8, 2009 at Daley Plaza located at 50 West Washington Street.
- 43 Waive the Food Vendor License Fee, and all applicable Permit fees to St. George Greek Orthodox Church, 2701 North Sheffield Avenue, Chicago, IL 60614 for their **"St. George Greek Orthodox Church Picnic,"** to be held on the church grounds located at 2701 North Sheffield Avenue on Saturday, June 20, 2009 from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. and Sunday, June 21, 2009 from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m.
- 43 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License Fees, Food Vendor License Fees and Street Closure Fees in connection with the Old Town **"Crush, Music & Comedy Festival 2009."** The event will be benefitting the Old Town Merchants and

- Residents Association which will be held on September 12-13, 2009 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., located on North wells Street between West North Avenue and West Schiller Street. The event is organized by Chicago Special events Management, 2221 West 43rd Street, Chicago, IL 60609.
- 44 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License, Food Vendor License, and Street Closure Fees in connection with the “**Lakeview East Fine Arts Fair.**” This event will take place on Saturday, September 26, 2009 from 10 a.m to 7 p.m., and Sunday 27, 2009 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Broadway, between Belmont Avenue and Hawthorne Place., organized by Lakeview East Chamber of Commerce (LVECC), 3138 North Broadway Street Chicago, IL.
- 44 Waive the Itinerant Merchant License, Food Vendor License, and Street Closure Fees in connection with the “**4th Annual Lake View Music Festival,**” benefiting the Lake View Citizens Council. This event will take place on Saturday, August 22, 2009 and Sunday August 23, 2009 from 12 p.m. to 10 p.m. daily on Sheffield between Addison and Waveland. The event is organized by Chicago Special Events Management, 2221 West 43rd Street, Chicago, IL 60609.
- 45 Waive the Tent Permit, free of charge to the participants of the Copernicus Foundation, “**Taste of Polonia**” located on 5217 West Lawrence Avenue on September 4-7, 2009. Erection of tents: September 2 & 3, 2009; tear down of tents September 8, 2009.
- 46 Waive the itinerant Merchant License Fees, Food Vendor License and Street Closure Fees in connection with the “**7th Annual Chicago Pride Fest**” benefiting Northalsted Area Merchants Association. This event will take place on June 26, 2009 from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. and June 27, 2009 from 11 a.m to 10 p.m. on Halsted between Addison and Grace organized by Chicago Special Events Management, 2221 West 43 Street, Chicago, IL.