



Special Events Task Force Meeting-Minutes
July 25, 2024
Tempe Transportation Center & Virtual Meeting MS Teams

Meeting convened at 9:30 am

City Staff Present: Tim Bulson (PD), Michelle Heermans (PD), Jerome Hansen (Fire), Dustin Preston (Fire), Tom Prigge (Fire), Sydney McKinney (Fire), Jonni Wolfe (Special Events), Mary Keane (Special Events), Linda Cano (Special Events), Matt Peterson (Special Events), Juliane Moore (Tax & License), Julie Burns (Tax & License), Chris Jasper (Planning), Patrick Saros (Solid Waste), Shawn Wagner (Community Services).

Guests Present: Ally Dykstra (Downtown Tempe Authority), Nick Santa Cruz (ASU PD), Paul Marquardt (Chuckbox), Daniel Gaytan (ASU Alumni Association), Tanner Perry (ASU Alumni Association)

Linda Cano made a call to the audience asking if there was anyone not on the agenda who would like to address the committee.

I. Events for Initial Review

- A. Echo from the Buttes, Saturday, August 24 (A Mountain/Hayden Butte)
 - a. Motion to approve: Tom Prigge
 - b. Second: Tim Bulson
 - c. Motion carries.

- B. Chuckbox ASU Football Tailgates, 8/31, 9/7, 10/5, 10/11, 11/9 & 11/23/24 (202 E. University)
 - a. Liquor extension of premises
 - i. Motion to approve: Jenny Hagstrom
 - ii. Second: Jonni Wolfe
 - iii. Motion carries

II. Events for Post-Review

- A. Lush Café Jazz and R&B Weekend, May 16-19 No problems reported
- B. Movies in the Park, May 17 & 24 No problems reported
- C. Arizona Sunrise Series, May 18 No problems reported
- D. Boots in the Park, May 19 No problems reported
- E. Tempe Pride Party, June 1 No problems reported
- F. Hot as Hell Trail Run, June 2 No problems reported
- G. 11th Annual Juneteenth Celebration, June 15 No problems reported
- H. Juneteenth Block Party, June 15 No problems reported
- I. Culdesac Farmers Market (final date) June 16 No problems reported
- J. Cookies 1-Year Anniversary, June 22 No problems reported
- K. Councilmember Navarro Reception, June 26 No problems reported
- L. Tempe Town Lake July 4th Festival, July 4 Separate post-review
- M. ARR Summer Series #4, July 20 No problems reported

Public Meeting adjourned at 9:44 a.m. Prepared by: Mary Keane, Special Events

III. Internal Review & Discussion

The next meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, August 8**, Tempe Transportation Center