

TITLE:

Consider/Discuss/Act on Approving a Neighborhood Block Party Ordinance

COUNCIL GOAL: Enhance the quality of life in McKinney

(5E: Develop sustainable quality of life improvements within the

City of McKinney)

MEETING DATE: January 21, 2020

DEPARTMENT: Housing and Community Development

CONTACT: Dana Riley, Neighborhood Services Coordinator

RECOMMENDED COUNCIL ACTION: Approve the Ordinance

ITEM SUMMARY:

- An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of McKinney, Texas, amending Chapter 87, "Special Events," of the City of McKinney Code of Ordinances by adding a new article VI, "Neighborhood Block Party Permits"; providing a severability clause; providing for appeal of conflicting ordinances; establishing governing law; providing for a penalty for the violation hereof; and providing an effective date.
- Not changing the process for street closure but this request would be coordinated by Neighborhood Services.
- Allowing a 'no-fee' street closure for Homeowners' Association (HOA) versus the \$100 fee charged as part of special event permit.
- Homeowner support required by petition.
- First choice for HOA to use their property or green space.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

• In conjunction with the launching of the new Block Party Trailer, we are establishing a Neighborhood Block Party permit and procedures for those citizens who wish to block a street or alleyway to host a block party.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY: N/A

BOARD OR COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION: N/A

SUPPORTING MATERIALS:

Ordinance Block Party Trailer