

Special Event # _____

Date Received _____

CITY OF SOUTH HAVEN

Special Events & Festivals Application

The Special Events & Festivals Information Pamphlet must be read before filling out this application.

Complete and return this application to the Parks and Recreation Office at least 21 business days prior to the start of the event.

A new application must be submitted each year.

I have read the Special Events & Festivals Information Pamphlet and will fill out this application completely; agreeing to follow all policies and regulations set by the City of South Haven.

Initial

Date

CONTACT INFORMATION

Event Title: _____

Sponsoring Organization: _____

Applicants Name: _____

Telephone #: _____ Phone # During Event: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Other contacts for/during event

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

EVENT SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Event Location: _____

Date(s) Requested: _____ Alternative Date(s): _____

Start Time: _____ End Time: _____

Any event that exceeds 10:00 P.M. has to be approved by City Council

Number of people expected to attend: _____

EVENT DESCRIPTION

Please give a description of the event (Please attach a separate sheet with details if there is not enough space below).

MAPS/LOCATION – mark event items on map(s)

Check items below that apply to your event. **All items checked below must be indicated on the MAP(S).** Maps can be found on the city's website. Please note, **map(s) must be submitted with the Special Events & Festivals Application.**

- City property or city park use. **Show locations of fencing, barriers, or barricades. Include streets and/or sidewalks to be closed or barricaded on map(s).** To ensure requested items, such as cones or barricades, are reserved and available for the day of the event, please complete the **CONES AND BARRICADE REQUEST FORM** and submit it with the Special Events & Festival Application. Requested items are available Monday through Friday during office hours between 7:00am and 3:30pm; the office is closed during lunch from 12:00pm to 1:00pm. Should you require an alternate time a **\$50 After Hour Charge** will be assessed. Please note, if the Cones and Barricade Request Form is not submitted, the City of South Haven can not guarantee the requested items will be available for the event, **first come - first served, limited quantity available.**

Barricade Request: Mark locations on maps. Barricades that are damaged or not returned to the Public Works Department will be charged \$25.00 per barricade.

Cone Request: Mark locations on maps. Cones that are damaged or not returned to the Public Works Department will be charged \$10.00 per cone.

Explain closure _____

Entertainment, dance, tent or stage. Mark locations on maps.

Event Command Post. Mark location on maps.

Dumpsters and/or trash containers. Mark location on maps.

Portable toilet facilities. Mark locations on maps. How many? _____

The City requires the use of portable facilities for events expecting over 500 attendants.

****Huron Street Pavilion requires portable toilet facilities for events expecting over 150 attendants. ****

Under part 117 of Act, 1994 PA 451, Waste servicers must dispose of their waste at a wastewater treatment plant with an approved receiving facility. The South Haven Wastewater Treatment Plant is **NOT** an approved facility.

Approved facility being used _____.

Parade. Mark beginning area, the route* (with arrows) and finish area on maps

*If Business Route I-196 needs to be closed for the Parade you will need to contact Department of Public Works at 269-637-0737 to obtain a MDOT permit for road closure.

Participants. Mark parking areas, bus locations, and special passengers on maps.

Relay event. Indicate "hand-off" points and areas of participant equipment impact.

Aircraft landing / hot air balloons. Mark location on maps.

Fireworks/pyrotechnics site. Mark location on maps.

Vendors/General Merchandise concession areas. Mark areas on maps. Name of contact person for vendor(s)

Vendors and General Merchandise Concessions will not be allowed in the Central Business District (CBD). Please refer to the Special Events & Festivals Information Pamphlet for a detailed map of this area.

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Note: Number will be given for all vendor inquiries. It is suggested that the Sponsoring Organization issue a paper permit to be displayed by vendor to let city and event staff now they are an approved vendor.

- First Aid facilities. Mark location on maps. List agency providing staff and equipment
Name: _____ Telephone: _____
- Live animal sites. Mark location on maps and describe: _____

- Any other item(s) that should be included on maps. Explain: _____

ADDITIONAL EVENT INFORMATION

- Liquor License
The sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages may occur on publicly-owned property located with the approved [Downtown South Haven Special Event Area](#). Guidelines for such special event liquor licensing are available in the [Special Event & Festivals Alcohol Policy](#). These policies require that an application be filed with the City of South Haven and the Michigan Liquor Control Commission.
[City of South Haven Liquor License Application](#)
[Michigan Liquor Control Commission Website](#)

Liquor license application must be submitted before the city will process this special event application.

- Noise: Please describe i.e. music, sound, amplification and any other noise that impacts surrounding area. Provide dates and times noise will occur. **All noise must stay with in the city's noise ordinance. Noise Ordinance Sec. 30-28. City Noise Ordinance will be enforced.** If you have any questions about the noise ordinance please contact the local police department 269-637-5151.

Date: _____ Time: _____

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- Signage: Prior to the event a list of all signage (example: sandwich boards, banners, etc.) and placement of the signage needs to be turned in to the city's Parks and Recreation Supervisor. Upon submission the signage requests will be reviewed by the Parks and Recreation Supervisor; additional approval may be required. ***Due to limited space for banners, they will be placed on a first come first served basis***
- Street Marking: Painting and marking on roads and sidewalks should be held to a minimum, and paint specifically designed to wear away in a short period of time and approved by the city shall be used. Please contact the Parks and Recreation Supervisor for approved list.

CITY SERVICES

Are you requesting any utility services to be provided: Yes No
If yes, explain: _____

If electric utilities requested, name of festival person or electrician who will be responsible:
Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Will vendors be using electric utilities: Yes No
If yes, the city's Electrical Inspector will be making inspections of all vendors using electric during events. A charge of \$10.00 per vendor will be billed to the **Sponsoring Organization** (NOT the vendor) following the event.

Will you require additional police services: Yes No
If yes, explain: _____

Will you require additional fire/ambulance services: Yes No
If yes, explain: _____

Additional fire information: Mark all that apply

- Tents Concessions Exits Compressed Gases
 Extinguishers Electrical Exposed Flames
 Other: _____

If you checked any box in the "Additional fire information" section, you **MUST** obtain a "**FIRE & LIFE SAFETY (Form A3) REQUIREMENT FOR VENDORS, PARTICIPATING IN FESTIVALS, FAIRS AND ALL OTHER OUTSIDE EVENTS/ACTIVITIES**" information form from the Deputy Fire Chief. Please contact the South Haven Area Emergency Services at 269-637-5151 located at 90 Blue Star Hwy.

The primary concern during an event is Public Safety. In the event of inclement weather the City of South Haven has the right to cancel or postpone any special event; this includes the City Manager, Police Chief or his designee and Fire Chief or his designee.

INSURANCE

The city requires proof of insurance (\$1,000,000) naming the City of South Haven as "additionally insured". The Proof of Insurance Certification needs to be turned in with the Special Event application.

Is the Proof of Insurance Certification Provided with Special Event Application? Yes No

REMINDERS

Please make sure the following items are turned in with the Special Events & Festivals Application

- Map(s)
- Proof of Insurance Certification
- Cones and Barricade Request Form (if applicable)
- Submitted liquor license application (if applicable)

INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

The undersigned agrees and promises, as a condition of approval of this Special Events & Festivals Application to defend, indemnify, and save harmless the City of South Haven, its agents, officials and employees from all suits, claims, damages, causes of action or demands of any kind and character arising out of resulting from or in connection with the use of said Public Property

Applicants Signature

Date

Please return to:
Parks and Recreation Supervisor
Department of Public Works
City of South Haven
1199 8th Ave
South Haven, MI 49010
Phone: 269-637-0772 / Fax: 269-637-4778
Hours: Monday-Friday 7:00a.m. – 3:30p.m.

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