

**CITY OF TEMECULA
AGENDA REPORT**

TO: City Manager/City Council
FROM: Patrick Thomas, Director of Public Works/City Engineer
DATE: March 28, 2023
SUBJECT: Receive and File Temporary Street Closures for 2023 Springfest Events

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RECOMMENDATION: That the City Council receive and file the temporary closure of certain streets for the following 2023 Springfest Events:

TEMECULA BLUES FESTIVAL
COMMUNITY SERVICES EXPO
ROD RUN
TEMECULA CULTUREFEST
A TRIBUTE TO HEROES

BACKGROUND: Five special events are scheduled between April 2023 and May 2023 which necessitates the physical closure of all or portions of certain streets within the Old Town area and other streets throughout Temecula. These closures are necessary for event operation as well as to protect participants and viewers.

The five events and associated street closures are as follows:

1) TEMECULA BLUES FESTIVAL – April 15th

The Temecula Blues Festival is planned to be held Saturday, April 15th in Old Town Temecula. The street closures are scheduled as follows:

Main Street from the easterly driveway edge of Be Good Restaurant (28636 Old Town Front Street) to Mercedes Street	8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 14 th to 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, April 16 th
Mercedes Street Third Street to Fourth Street	8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 14 th to 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, April 16 th

Street closures for the Temecula Blues Festival event are shown on **Exhibit “A”** attached hereto.

2) COMMUNITY SERVICES EXPO – April 29th

The Community Services Expo event will be held Saturday, April 29th in Old Town Temecula with street closures scheduled as follows:

<p style="text-align: center;">Main Street from the easterly driveway edge of Be Good Restaurant (28636 Old Town Front Street) to Mercedes Street</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 28th to 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 29th</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Mercedes Street Third Street to Fourth Street</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 28th to 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 29th</p>

Street closures for the Community Services Expo event are shown on **Exhibit “A”** attached hereto.

3) ROD RUN – May 5th and 6th

The Rod Run will be held Friday, May 5th and Saturday, May 6th in Old Town Temecula with street closures scheduled as follows:

<p style="text-align: center;">Old Town Front Street Moreno Road to Second Street</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Friday, May 5th 4:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Saturday, May 6th 4:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Main Street Mercedes Street to Old Town Front Street</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8:00 a.m. on Friday, May 5th to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6th</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Main Street Old Town Front Street to 42081 Main St</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8:00 a.m. on Friday, May 5th to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6th</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Third Street Mercedes Street to Murrieta Creek Channel</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">4:00 p.m. on Friday, May 5th to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6th</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">Fourth Street</p> <p>Mercedes Street to Murrieta Creek Channel</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">4:00 p.m. on Friday, May 5th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">to</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6th</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Fifth Street</p> <p>Mercedes Street to Murrieta Creek Channel</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">4:00 p.m. on Friday, May 5th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">to</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6th</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Sixth Street</p> <p>Mercedes Street to Murrieta Creek Channel</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">4:00 p.m. on Friday, May 5th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">to</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6th</p>

Street closures for the Rod Run event are shown on **Exhibit “B”** attached hereto.

4) TEMECULA CULTUREFEST – May 20th

The Temecula CultureFest event will be held Saturday, May 20th in Old Town Temecula with street closures scheduled as follows:

<p style="text-align: center;">Main Street</p> <p>from the easterly driveway edge of Be Good Restaurant (28636 Old Town Front Street) to Mercedes Street</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Saturday, May 20th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Mercedes Street</p> <p>Third Street to Fourth Street</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Saturday, May 20th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.</p>

Street closures for the Temecula CultureFest event are shown on **Exhibit “A”** attached hereto.

7) A TRIBUTE TO HEROES – May 27th

The A Tribute to Heroes event will be held Saturday, May 27th in Old Town Temecula with street closures scheduled as follows:

<p style="text-align: center;">Main Street</p> <p>from the easterly driveway edge of Be Good Restaurant (28636 Old Town Front Street) to Mercedes Street</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Saturday, May 27th</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.</p>
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Mercedes Street Third Street to Fourth Street	Saturday, May 27 th 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
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Street closures for the A Tribute to Heroes event are shown on **Exhibit “A”** attached hereto.

Street closures are allowed by the California Vehicle Code upon approval by the local governing body for certain conditions. Under Vehicle Code Section 21101, “Regulation of Highways,” local authorities, for those highways under their jurisdiction, may adopt rules and regulations by ordinance or resolution for, among other instances, “temporary closing a portion of any street for celebrations, parades, local special events, and other purposes, when, in the opinion of local authorities having jurisdiction, the closing is necessary for the safety and protection of persons who are to use that portion of the street during the temporary closing.”

Chapter 12.12 of the Temecula Municipal Code, Parades and Special Events, provides standards and procedures for special events on public streets, highways, sidewalks, or public right of way and authorizes the City Council or City Manager to temporarily close streets, or portions of streets, for these events.

FISCAL IMPACT: The costs of police services, as well as services provided by the City Public Works Maintenance Division (for providing, placing, and retrieving of necessary warning and advisory devices), are appropriately budgeted within the City’s operating budget.

- ATTACHMENTS:**
1. Exhibit A – Springfest Road Closures 2023
 2. Exhibit B – Temecula Rod Run 2023 Road Closures