

City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Special Events and Public Space Activation
Budget Summary

List of Activities	FY 2026 Operational Funding	FY 2026 Police Security Expenses*	FY 2026 Tentative Budget (Operational and Security)
Spring Break^	\$ 300,000	\$ 903,300	\$ 1,203,300
America's 250 th Anniversary New Year's Eve Celebration	400,000	149,000	549,000
Fourth of July	462,600	66,300	528,900
Sistrunk Festival	113,100	66,700	179,800
Great American Beach Party	106,300	43,700	150,000
Summer Jamz	113,100	17,900	131,000
Jazz Brunch	70,200	17,200	87,400
Santa on the Beach and Olas the Snowman	83,200	-	83,200
St. Patrick's Day Parade	38,500	38,700	77,200
Juneteenth Festival	42,600	30,000	72,600
Starlight Musicals	63,800	6,400	70,200
King Holiday Parade and Multicultural Festival	42,600	21,300	63,900
Light Up Sistrunk	21,300	31,300	52,600
Pre Labor Day Festival	21,300	26,900	48,200
David Deal Play Day	31,900	4,300	36,200
Light Up the Beach	21,300	13,200	34,500
Light Up the Galt	21,300	5,900	27,200
Carlton B. Moore Friends & Family Day	20,000	6,300	26,300
Carter Park Jamz	21,300	4,800	26,100
Fort LauderBoo	21,300	2,500	23,800
Get Lit - Riverwalk	17,600	2,700	20,300
Galt Ocean Art Events	15,500	-	15,500
Sips, Sounds, and Splats	10,600	1,100	11,700
Relay for Life	10,600	-	10,600
Viernes Musicales	10,600	-	10,600
Diwali	9,500	400	9,900
Noon Tunes	8,600	-	8,600
Kijiji Moja	5,400	600	6,000
Kwanzaa Ujamaa	5,000	300	5,300
Old School Reunion	2,200	1,900	4,100
Pride Parade	1,700	1,400	3,100
Menorah Lighting	2,200	600	2,800
Big Toy and Truck Extravaganza	1,200	400	1,600
Activation Agreements			
Riverwalk Activation	309,100	-	309,100
Las Olas Oceanside Park and North Beach Activation	122,800	-	122,800
Event Support Related Expenses			
Marketing	53,000	-	53,000
Music License Fees	10,300	-	10,300
General Fund Total	\$ 2,611,600	\$ 1,465,100	\$ 4,076,700

*Police security expenses are an estimate based on historic trends.

^Operational funding for the Spring Break Event includes the Police Department's annual allocation for safety barricades, which are primarily used during spring break to ensure public safety and effective crowd control.