



**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the  
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** May 20, 2014

**TITLE:** Motion approving an event agreement and related road closings: Mankind  
Block Party.

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**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve an event agreement with related road closings and authorize the proper City officials to execute on behalf of the City of Fort Lauderdale with Mankind, Inc.

**Background**

City staff has been working closely with the event organizers regarding event topics, such as logistics, maintenance, and security as detailed below. The Police Department recommends approval of the closing of the City streets where appropriate, and event parking has been satisfactorily arranged. When applicable, amplified music was discussed and event organizers were advised of the noise ordinance and possible concerns.

The organizer will pay for all event costs and submit the required certificates of insurance. The organizer will also secure all other necessary permits and licenses that are required from other agencies. Civic and merchant associations have been notified as appropriate regarding events in their areas. Specific event details are included in each event application as attached.

Information on each event with road closing is as follows:

**Event 1:**

Applicant: Mankind, Inc.

Event Name: Mankind Block Party

Date/Time: Friday, May 30, 2014 (5:30pm-8:30pm)

Location: Mankind- 501 SE 2<sup>nd</sup> Street

Road Closing: Yes- Federal Hwy & SE 2<sup>nd</sup> Street and east bound on SE 2<sup>nd</sup> Street at  
see attached Site Plan #1

Alcohol: Yes

Amplified Music: Yes- (5:30pm-8:30pm)  
Insurance Required: Yes  
Banners: No  
Pending Code Violations: No  
Exhibit: 1

### **Strategic Connection**

This item is a Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018 initiative, included within the Public Places Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 4: Be a healthy community with fun and stimulating recreational activities for our neighbors.
- Objective 2: Celebrate our community through special events and sports

This item advances the Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Here.

Authorization for the execution of Event Agreements is contingent upon the City Attorney's Office receiving and approving a validly executed agreement.

### **Resource Impact**

There is no fiscal impact associated with this CAM.

Attachments:

Exhibit 1 – Mankind Block Party

Exhibit 1a – Mankind Site Plan

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