#23-0485

**TO**: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM**: Greg Chavarria, City Manager

**DATE**: May 16, 2023

TITLE: Motion Approving Event Agreements for Sultry Brunch and Mezcal

Lauderdale (Commission Districts 2 and 4)

#### Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission approve event agreements with Rootz Bar N Café LLC. and Uniteus Group Inc, in substantially the form attached, and authorize execution of the agreement by the City Manager.

### **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 closure of City streets where appropriate, and event parking has been satisfactorily arranged. When applicable, amplified music was discussed, and the event organizers were advised of the noise ordinance and possible concerns.

The organizers will pay for all event costs and submit the required certificates of insurance. The event organizers 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.

Where applicable, the City Commission authorizes amplified music for the events listed herein.

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

Event 1: Sultry Brunch (Dis	trict 2)		
Applicant:	Rootz Bar N Café LLC.		
Date/Time:	Sunday, June 11, 2023 (3:00pm – 9:00pm)		
Location:	Esplanade Park 400 SW 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312		
Set Up Date/Time:	Sunday, June 11, 2023 (11:00am- 2:00pm)		
Breakdown Date/Time:	Sunday, June 11, 2023 (9:30pm - 10:45pm)		
Road Closing:	No		
Alcohol:	Yes		
Amplified Music:	Yes - Sunday, June 11, 2023 (2:00pm - 9:00pm)		
Special Permission:	Amplified Music/Extended Road Closure - No		
Insurance Required:	Yes		
Banners:	No		
Pending Code Violations:	No		
Application Fee:	\$200		

Event 2: Mezcal Lauderdale (District 4)				
Applicant:	Uniteus Group Inc			
Date/Time:	Sunday, June 4, 2023 (1:00pm – 7:00pm)			
Location:	Canyon Restaurant 620 S Federal Hwy, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301			
Set Up Date/Time:	Sunday, June 4, 2023 (10:00am - 12:30pm)			
Breakdown Date/Time:	Sunday, June 4, 2023 (7:15pm – 9:00pm)			
Road Closing:	No			
Alcohol:	Yes			
Amplified Music:	Yes - Sunday, June 4, 2023 (1:00pm - 7:00pm)			
Special Permission:	Amplified Music/Extended Road Closure - No			
Insurance Required:	Yes			
Banners:	No			
Pending Code Violations:	No			
Application Fee:	\$1000			

# Resource Impact

Revenue related to these agreements is included in the FY 2023 operating budget in the accounts listed below.

Funds available as of April 26, 2023								
ACCOUNT NUMBER	COST CENTER NAME (Program)	ACCOUNT / ACTIVITIY NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AMOUT RECEIVED (Character)	AMOUNT			
10-001-6025-574-347- 200-PKR029	Community Events	Charges for Service/ Nonsponsor Charges – Spec Event Fees	\$163,000	\$76,157	\$1200			
			TOTAL AMOUNT ▶		\$1200			

## **Strategic Connections**

This item is a 2022 *Top Commission* Priority, advancing the Parks and Public Places initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play* Fort Lauderdale *2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- Goal 3: Building a healthy and engaging community
- Objective: Offer a diverse range of recreational and educational programming

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

This item supports the Advance Fort Lauderdale 2040 Comprehensive Plan specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- The Parks, Recreation & Open Spaces Element
- Goal 1: Be a community where persons of all ages are able to partake in a fun and healthy lifestyle.

### **Attachments**

Exhibit 1 – Sultry Brunch Application

Exhibit 1a – Sultry Brunch Site Plan

Exhibit 1b – Sultry Brunch Agreement

Exhibit 2 – Mezcal Lauderdale Application

Exhibit 2a – Mezcal Lauderdale Site Plan

Exhibit 2b – Mezcal Lauderdale Agreement

Exhibit 3 – June 2023 Special Event Calendar

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