

# City Council Agenda Item Memo

**From:** Bonnie Foster, City Clerk

**Council Meeting:** May 13, 2025

**Subject:** Special Event Temporary Alcoholic Beverage Application:  
Brookings Volunteer Fire Association Street Dance

**Person(s) Presenting:** Bonnie Foster, City Clerk

## **Summary and Recommended Action:**

Staff recommends approval of the Brookings Volunteer Fire Association Special Event Temporary Alcoholic Beverage License for their annual street dance fundraiser. The event will be held on June 28, 2025 in the 300 Block of Main Avenue. This will be the 109<sup>th</sup> year for this annual event.

## **Item Details:**

All Special Event / Temporary Alcoholic Beverage Licenses must be approved by the City Council through use of a public hearing. All required documents have been filed with the City.

[35-4-124](#). Special alcoholic beverage licenses--Special events. Any municipality or county may issue: ... (3) A special on-sale license in conjunction with a special event within the municipality or county to any civic, charitable, educational, fraternal, or veterans organization or any licensee licensed pursuant to § [35-4-111](#) or subdivision [35-4-2](#)(4) or (6) in addition to any other licenses held by the special events license applicant;...Source: SL 2010, ch 185, § 1; SL 2011, ch 175, § 1; SL 2015, ch 195, § 1, eff. Mar. 13, 2015; SL 2018, ch 213, § 106; SL 2019, ch 162, § 2; SL 2020, ch 156, § 1.

The Brookings Volunteer Fire Association Annual Street Dance will be held on Saturday, June 28, 2025 on the 300 Block of Main Avenue. The 300 Block of Main Avenue will be closed from 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup>, through 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, June 29<sup>th</sup>.

This will be the 109<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Brookings Volunteer Fire Association Street Dance. This event has been held on Main Avenue for 16+ years.

## **Legal Consideration:**

None.

## **Strategic Plan Consideration:**

Safe, Inclusive, Connected Community – The City of Brookings will create an environment for inclusive programs, gathering places, and events where the community can safely live, work and come together to participate in opportunities for learning, recreation and enjoyment.

**Financial Consideration:**

Resolution 15-066, Resolution establishing the License Fees for the Issuance of Special Alcoholic Beverage Licenses in the City of Brookings states: “Licenses issued to charitable, educational, fraternal, or veterans organizations are exempt from the fee.”

**Supporting Documentation:**

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