



Item
Meeting 2017 May 15

COUNCIL REPORT

TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2017 May 01

FROM: DIRECTOR ENGINEERING **FILE:** 38000-40

SUBJECT: ROAD CLOSURES FOR SPECIAL EVENTS IN DEER LAKE PARK

PURPOSE: To seek Council approval for temporary road closures.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. **THAT** Council approve the road closures as discussed in this report.
2. **THAT** the coordinator of the events, Cory Philley, Theatre & Facility Services Coordinator of Shadbolt Centre For the Arts, 6450 Deer Lake Ave, Burnaby, BC, V5G 2J3, be sent a copy of this report.

REPORT

A request to restrict vehicle traffic on City streets to alleviate potential traffic congestion during special events in Deer Lake Park has been received from Cory Philley, Theatre & Facility Services Coordinator from Shadbolt Centre for the Arts. Council approval is required by the Street & Traffic Bylaw.

The Shadbolt Centre for the Arts has submitted their 2017 schedule of Burnaby Concerts in Deer Lake Park. The following is a list of the concerts and dates for the requested road closures:

1. 29th Annual Vancouver Symphony Orchestra – Symphony in the Park
Sunday, July 09 7:00pm to 10:00pm
2. Live Nation Concert – Jack Johnson
Sunday, July 23 5:00pm to 10:00pm
3. 18th Annual Burnaby Blues & Roots Festival
Saturday, August 12 Noon to 10pm

Nearby residents and businesses in the Deer Lake Park area will be receiving written notification about these upcoming events.

In order to alleviate potential traffic congestion, Deer Lake Ave at Deer Lake Pkwy will be closed in the eastbound direction for 2 hours prior to the start of each event (see *attached* map).

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City staff, RCMP and Coast Mountain Bus Company will be coordinating their efforts to ensure that the needs of residents, businesses, organizers and patrons are safely accommodated.

As these are City events, liability insurance is not required.

The organizers are aware that approval is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. That the road closure be conducted under the supervision of one person as organizer.
- 2. That the RCMP has agreed to monitor all barricades for the duration of the road closure.
- 3. That all emergency and transit services are advised of the event.



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Attachment

Copied to: RCMP – OIC Burnaby Detachment Chief Supt. Stephan Drolet
Fire Chief – Joe Robertson
BC Ambulance Special Operations – via email at EMSO@bcehs.ca
Emergency Program Coordinator – Charmaine Pflugrath
Supervisor, Sports & Outdoor Recreation – Jill Porter

