

RESOLUTION NO. R-16-35

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN SMOKING AREAS WITHIN OAK GROVE PARK DURING BLUESFEST.

WHEREAS, the Gladstone Area Chamber of Commerce (the "Chamber") is sponsoring Bluesfest in Oak Grove Park on June 3rd and 4th, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.135.040 of the Gladstone City Code requires City Council authorization for the smoking on or within public park grounds; and

WHEREAS, Oak Grove Park is a public park; and

WHEREAS, the Council wishes to allow for smoking in those designated areas, evidenced by the plan provided by the Chamber, during Bluesfest; and

WHEREAS, the designated areas are acceptable to the Director of Parks and Recreation; and

WHEREAS, the Chamber will provide for, and later remove upon conclusion of Bluesfest, containers for the disposal of smoking refuse and paraphernalia.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:


THAT, certain areas within Oak Grove Park shall be designated as smoking areas during Bluesfest on June 3rd and 4th, 2016.

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE, MISSOURI, THIS 23RD DAY OF MAY 2016.

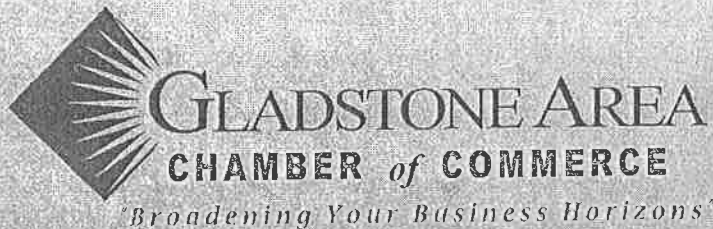


Jean B. Moore, Mayor

ATTEST:



Ruth E. Bocchino, City Clerk



March 10, 2016

Mr. Justin Merkey, Director of Parks & Recreation
City of Gladstone
7010 N. Holmes
Gladstone, MO 64118

Dear Justin,

The Gladstone Area Chamber of Commerce, in cooperation with the City of Gladstone, is planning the 20th Annual Gladstone Summertime Bluesfest, scheduled for June 3 & 4.

The Chamber would like to request a permit allowing smoking at Bluesfest in two particular, designated areas of Oak Grove Park, including a fenced area east of the pond and a fenced area northwest of the park shelter (VIP area). An attached diagram outlines the specific areas requested. The Chamber will provide containers for disposal of smoking refuse and will be responsible for removing the refuse containers following Bluesfest.

We respectfully request that the permit be in effect for all hours of operation of the Gladstone Summertime Bluesfest.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at the Chamber Office, at your convenience. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Amy Harlin
President

Oak Grove Park
Amphitheatre

Requested
Smoking
Permitted Area

Park Shelter
(Bluesfest VIP Area)

POND

Requested
Smoking
Permitted
Area

Bluesfest Seating

