



City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
October 11, 2022

ITEM TITLE:

Resolution. Resolution authorizing Satchmo Blues Bar and Grill, Inc. d/b/a Fritz & Franz Bierhaus to utilize the public space and sell alcoholic beverages, subject to applicable state law requirements, at the plaza located at 60 Merrick Way from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on twenty-two days from Sunday, November 20, 2022, through Sunday, December 18, 2022, during the 2022 FIFA World Cup Celebration

DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION:

Approval for number of event days within approved guidelines for plaza use.

BRIEF HISTORY:

Satchmo Blues Bar and Grill, Inc. requests approval to utilize the public plaza and serve alcoholic beverages during the celebration of the 2022 FIFA World Cup in Coral Gables.

The World Cup will take place from November 20, 2022 through December 18, 2022. The request is to have viewing parties and sales on the plaza for different soccer matches throughout the World Cup schedule. The applicant requests to keep the plaza set-up throughout the World Cup Tournament.

The applicant will adhere to the following conditions for the month-long event:

1. With the exception of the Germany – Japan soccer match on Wednesday, November 23, 2022, there will be no televising of games on the plaza before 10:00 am.
2. On the application, the applicant has provided the games for which it is requested to have additional activities on the plaza including alcohol sales. Sales of alcohol and food will only be permitted on selected matches (22 total days).
3. For games not specified as events, only the basic sound from the base speakers will be allowed. Amplified sound from remote speakers is prohibited for all non-event matches.
4. Applicant will not allow customers or participants to have instruments on the plaza during events or matches.
5. Off-Duty police will be hired by the applicant for games scheduled to have high attendance. If City staff deems the match to be a high attendance game, the applicant is required to hire police.
6. Applicant understands that failure to follow any of the conditions set will result in Police terminating the daily activity and could result in revocation of the entire permit.

This request is in compliance with the laws of the State of Florida and has been reviewed by the City's Special Events Committee.

In special event guidelines, each location is given 24 days for events.

Based on approved special events guidelines, applicant accepts that the “special event” can only occur during the twenty-two days on which the selected matches will be televised. Satchmo Blues Bar and Grill has agreed to eliminate the Oktoberfest event season.

ATTACHMENT(S):

- 1. Draft Resolution**
- 2. Special Event Application & Permit**