



CITY OF CORAL GABLES SPECIAL EVENTS APPLICATION & PERMIT

Permit #: 2018 0310

Applicant Information	Legal Name of the Permit Applicant (Company or Individual): <u>St Patrick's Day Committee Inc</u>		Today's Date: <u>10/20/17</u>		
	Contact Person for this Permit Application: <u>Charles Davis</u>				
	Contact Person Phone: <u>305-338-7290</u>		Contact Person Fax:		Contact Person Email: <u>Firesparkly @ A61. com</u>
	Permit Applicant Address: <u>PO BOX 836225</u>		City: <u>Miami</u>	State: <u>FL</u>	Zip: <u>33187</u>
	Permit Applicant Phone:		Permit Applicant Fax:		Permit Applicant Email:
	Is the Contact Person an Officer of the Legal Entity? <input type="checkbox"/> YES* <input type="checkbox"/> NO**				
	*If YES, attach verification from Sunbiz.org. **If NO, go to next question				
Event Information	Name of Event: <u>St Patrick's Day Festival</u>		Event Date(s): <u>3/10/18</u>		
	Hours of Event: <u>Noon to 6 PM</u>		Set-up Time: <u>9 AM - Noon</u>	Take Down Time: <u>6 PM - 7 PM</u>	
	Location of Event: <u>Fred B Hardnet Park Ponce Circle</u>		Is Location Reserved?		
	A list of all staff, monitors, and volunteers assisting in this event and must be provided with this application including a sample of the badge or unique name tag that will be used at the event identifying your staff, monitors and volunteers from the participants and/or general public.				
	Anticipated Attendance: <u>3500-5000</u>		Admission Fees: <u>Free</u>		
	# of year's event has been in existence? <u>16 At This Location</u>		Previous Location(s)?		Past Attendance: <u>Same</u>
	Event Description: (Provide an attachment if additional space is needed.)				

Event Information (Continued from page 1)	List all vehicles associated with this event: (if applicable) (Provide an attachment if additional space is needed.)
	How will rules, regulations, terms and conditions of the event be communicated to the participants? (Provide an attachment if additional space is needed.)
	Will there be any live music or recorded music at this event? What type of music will be played? (Provide an attachment if additional space is needed.) <p style="text-align: center;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Irish music & Dancing</p>
	Number, type and location of all loud speakers and amplifying devices. (This information can be provided on a map as an attachment to this application.) <p style="text-align: center;">2 on Stage</p>

Vendor Information	Number of Food Vendors <p style="text-align: center;">2</p>	Vendors list provided to the City <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Food vendors have all permits/licenses.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Number of Other Vendors <p style="text-align: center;">10-20</p>	Vendor list provided to the City <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Will there be alcohol at this event?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	If yes, has liquor license been issued?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No pending
	Is this a charitable event? If yes, what is the name of the charity/organization?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Have you completed the City application?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Have you completed the State application?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
If you checked yes to any of the questions above, you must contact the City of Coral Gables Licensing, Tax, & Utility Service office at (305) 460-5607.		

◆ THIS COVER SHEET MUST BE PROVIDED WITH ALL INSURANCE DOCUMENTS ◆

<p align="center">Special Events Permit</p>	<p>Legal Name of Permit Applicant (Individual or Company): <u>St. Patrick's Day Committee Inc</u></p>						
<p align="center">Cover Sheet</p>	<p>Insurance is being submitted for an ongoing Special Event (circle one): YES or NO Insurance is being submitted for one Special Event permit (circle one): YES or NO Will liquor be served at the Special Event (circle one): YES or NO</p>						
<p align="center">For Evidencing Insurance to the City of Coral Gables</p>	<p>Without limiting PERMIT APPLICANT'S indemnification of the CITY, and during the term of this Agreement, PERMIT APPLICANT shall provide and maintain at its own expense the below described programs of insurance. Such programs and evidence of insurance shall be satisfactory to the CITY and shall be primary to and not contributing with any other insurance or self-insurance program maintained by the CITY. Certificates or other evidence of coverage shall be delivered via email, fax or US mail to;</p> <p align="center">Certificate Holder should read: City of Coral Gables Insurance Compliance Email address: P.O. Box 100085 - CE <u>cityofcoralgables@ebix.com</u> Duluth, GA 30096</p> <p>Such certificates or other evidence of coverage shall be delivered prior to commencing performance under this Permit, and shall contain the express condition that the CITY is to be given written notice of at least thirty (30) days in advance of any cancellation, non-renewal or material change of any insurance policy.</p>						
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<p align="center">If Applicant Does Not Have Insurance</p>	<p>Alternatively, Companies & Individuals may obtain liability insurance through a TULIP (Tenant User Liability Insurance Program) established by the City @ www.ebi-ins.com/tulip.</p> <p>The City of Coral Gables reserves the right to require additional types of insurance coverage or higher limits of liability for any event. This determination will be made by the Risk Management Division.</p>						
<p>City of Coral Gables Insurance Compliance Contact Information Phone: (951) 652-2883 • Fax: (770) 325-0417 • Email: cityofcoralgables@ebix.com</p>							

City Services	Police	# of Officers 4	Day(s) Required 3/10/18	Hours Needed (i.e. 8 a.m.-5 p.m.) 8 Am - 7 PM
		The final number of Coral Gables Regular-Off-Duty Police Officers required for an event will be determined by the Coral Gables Police Department upon the approval of all required permits for this event. Please contact the Coral Gables Police Department to obtain an Off-Regular-Duty Police Services Permit Application and Fee Schedule by calling (305) 460-5427.		
		Clearance Form received: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
	Fire/Medical	<input type="checkbox"/> On Call <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On Site		
		Contact the Coral Gables Fire Department Administration Division for questions or costs associated with onsite coverage at (305) 442-1600.		
		Clearance Form received: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
	City Facilities	Location Ponce Circle Park	If using a park, do you need the restrooms opened? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes N/A <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	Electrical Requirements	Please list all electrical requirements including the type of electricity (i.e. 110V), amperage needed, the number of outlets and the type of equipment needing the electricity (i.e. sound system, popcorn machine, etc.): Turn on electric		
		Dates needed 4/10/18	Hours per day needed	
	Trash	Who will be responsible for trash pick-up during the event? St Patricks Committee	Hours per day needed	
City Equipment	<input type="checkbox"/> Barricades Contractor Provided Contact PW -Barricades Div. to reserve equipment at (305) 460-5173.			
Signs/Banners	Please list any requests for use of City signs and/or location of signs: Banner on Stage			
Other	Please list any other requests for City services (be specific):			
All booths, stands, signs/banners must be removed immediately following the event. For additional information call Code Enforcement at (305) 460-5266.				

Additional Event Features (Applicants must check all that apply)	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporary Fencing	<input type="checkbox"/> Inflatable	<input type="checkbox"/> Music (Recorded)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Signs/Banners	<input type="checkbox"/> Open Flames	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Music (Live)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Port-A-Johns	<input type="checkbox"/> Fireworks	<input type="checkbox"/> Amplifying Devices Or Loud Speakers
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tents or Canopies	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carnival/Amusement Rides	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Barricades	<input type="checkbox"/> Electrical Services/Generators	
Company Name: _____			
Contact: _____ Phone Number: _____			
If any of the following apply, a separate narrative description of each additional feature shall be provided to the City with this application.			

Closure of Streets Or City Right-of-Way	City Streets	Does this event propose closure or use of any street(s)?			
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
		If yes, please fill in information below:			
	Street Name		From/To	Date(s)	Time(s)
	Ponce		Surrounding	Park -	
	City Sidewalks	Does this event propose closure or use of any sidewalks?			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
		If yes, please fill in information below:			
	Sidewalk Location		From/To	Date(s)	Time(s)
	City Alleys	Does this event propose closure or use of any alleys?			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
		If yes, please fill in information below:			
	Alley Location		From/To	Date(s)	Time(s)
	Public Parking Lot	Does this event propose closure or use of any parking lot?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No					
If yes, please fill in information below:					
Parking Lot Location		From/To	Date(s)	Time(s)	
City Right-Of-Way	Does this event propose closure or use of any City right-of-way?				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
	If yes, please fill in information below:				
Right-of-way location		From/To	Date(s)	Time(s)	
Parade Route	Does this event propose closure or use of any street(s)?				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No				
	If yes, please fill in information below:				
Parade Route		From/To	Date(s)	Time(s)	
If you checked yes to any of the above, a site plan showing all of the above requests must be provided and a street closure permit may be needed. Please call (305)460-5607 for more information.					

Schedule of Fees, Performance Bonds and Exceptions

A. The schedule of fees, bonds and exemptions for special events shall be as follows:

SPECIAL EVENT FEE STRUCTURE				
Event Type	Base Fee			
	<i>(Does not include Additional fees as described further below)</i>			
	1 day	2 day	3 day	4 days
NON-PROFIT/GOVERNMENT ORGANIZED EVENT				
Event of up to 500 persons/day	\$300	\$450	\$550	\$700
Event between 500 - 1,000 persons/day	\$400	\$700	\$950	\$1150
Event of more than 1,000 persons/day	\$500	\$900	\$1,200	\$1,500
FOR-PROFIT EVENT				
Event of up to 500 persons/day	\$600	\$1,000	\$1,300	\$1,500
Event between 500 - 1,000 persons/day	\$800	\$1,400	\$1,800	\$2,100
Event of more than 1,000 persons/day	\$1,000	\$1,800	\$2,400	\$2,800

*** All applications must be received 30 days in advance of date or a 25% additional fee will be applied.**

- B. The City may waive one or more of the enumerated charges for nonprofit organizations based upon experience with previous events, size, duration, location, nature of the event and the likelihood of un-removed litter or damage to property. In the event that the nonprofit organization demonstrates that it has contracted for clean-up activities with a city-approved group, the performance bond shall be waived.
- C. Neighborhood or block parties shall be exempt from the provisions of this article so long as no commercial activity is conducted, no admission fee is charged, and members of the general public are not allowed access. Provided, however, that individuals or organizations should notify the City Manager's Office when a neighborhood party is planned so that police, fire, and other emergency service organizations will be aware of the time, place, and scope of the event.
- D. The closing fee set forth in this article shall be construed as being in addition to other fees or charges imposed for labor, materials, police or fire protection services, or any other charges for City services incidental to the assembly or street closing and other fees shall still be levied and collected in addition to the closing fee herein provided.
- E. Political or public issue events shall be exempt from the provisions of this Section. Individuals or organizations planning such an event shall notify the City Manager's Office when a political or public issue event is planned so that police, fire, and other emergency service organizations will be aware of the time, place, and scope of the event and the name or names of persons in charge.
- F. Funeral processions shall be exempt from the terms of this article.
- G. ADA Notice: The City welcomes individuals with disabilities. To request a modification to a policy, practice or procedure or to request an auxiliary aide or service (such as a sign language interpreter) in order to participate in a City program, activity or event, please contact the City's ADA Coordinator Dona Spain or the Director of the sponsoring department at least three (3) business days in advance. ADA Coordinator Dona Spain may be reached by email: dspain@coralgables.com, or by telephone: 305-460-5095 (voice) or 305-460-5010 (TTY/TDD).
- H. All Expanded Polystyrene (Styrofoam) containers is prohibited. Special events permittees and their subcontractors are prohibited from selling, using or providing food/drinks in, or offering the use of, expanded polystyrene articles. Upon warning, the permittee or subcontractor must discontinue use. Failure to do so within a reasonable amount of time may lead to the discontinuation of the service, sale or participation in the event. Violations may also lead to the imposition of fines, the revocation of the permit, the placement of conditions on future special events permits or the denial of future special events permits. (Sec. 62-230, City of Coral Gables Code) <http://coralgables.com/index.aspx?page=1203>
- I. Applicant must comply with such other requirements the City may deem necessary in order to provide for traffic control, street and property maintenance, and the protection of the publics health, safety and welfare.

Event Fee \$ _____ Performance Bond \$ _____

* Fees are set by the Parks and Recreation Director. The Performance Bond must be issued by a separate check and all checks must be made payable to the City of Coral Gables.

Indemnification:

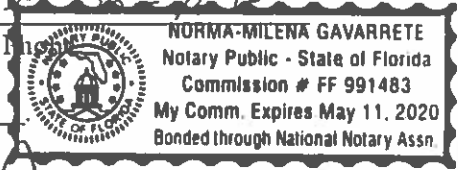
For and in consideration of the City of Coral Gables consent to allow the Applicant to hold a Special Event, Parade or Public Assembly (as defined by City Ordinance) within the limits of the City of Coral Gables, the Applicant agrees as follows:

The Permit Applicant jointly and severally, hereby hold harmless, indemnify and defend the City of Coral Gables, its representatives, officers, agents, affiliates, employees, the administration and elected and appointed officials from and against all liability, suits, actions, claims, costs, expenses or demands (including, without limitation, suits, actions, claims, costs, expenses or demands resulting from death, personal injury and property damage) or expenses of every kind and character, including reasonable attorney's fees, costs and appeals, arising or resulting in whole or in part, as a result of any tort, intentional action, negligent acts or omissions on the part of the Permit Applicant or any of the participants of the Event outlined in this application. This indemnification provision shall survive the termination of this contract and shall be in full force and effect beyond the term or termination of this contract, however, terminated. This indemnification provision includes claims made by the entitlement, if any, to immunity under section 440.11, Florida Statutes. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as a waiver of any immunity or limitation of liability the City may have under the doctrine of sovereign immunity of section §768.28, Florida Statutes.

Signature of Authorized Agent or Applicant: [Signature] Date: 11/15/17
Charles Davis Prosecutor

Print Name: Charles Davis Title: Prosecutor
Address: 21495 SW 183 Ave City/State/Zip Code: 305-338-7290

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of November 2017



[Signature]
Notary Public State of Florida at Large

Approval Signatures Required:

[Signature]
Fred Couceyro
Parks and Recreation Director

[Signature]
Brian Lawrence
Police Major

[Signature] 7362
Troy W. Easley
Fire Division Chief

[Signature]
for William Ortiz
Code Enforcement Director
one code enforcement officer needed

Application, performance bond(s), comprehensive site plans, event publications, flyers, and insurance must accompany this application and must be submitted to:
Special Projects Coordinator
Parks and Recreation Division/Special Events
405 University Drive; Coral Gables, FL 33134
Phone: (305) 460-5607 • Fax: (305) 460-5639
E-mail: ngavarrete@coralgables.com

Expanded Polystyrene or Styrofoam Clause:

Special events permittees and their subcontractors are prohibited from selling, using or providing food/drinks in, or offering the use of, expanded polystyrene articles. Upon warning, the permittee or subcontractor must discontinue use. Failure to do so within a reasonable amount of time may lead to the discontinuation of the service, sale or participation in the event. Violations may also lead to the imposition of fines, the revocation of the permit, the placement of conditions on future special events permits or the denial of future special events permits. (Sec. 62-230, City of Coral Gables Code)

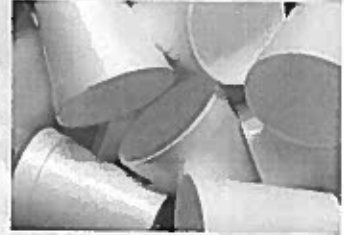
Plastic Bags Clause:

Special event permittees shall not provide items in single-use carry out plastic bags during special events as a condition of approval. Upon warning, the special event permittee must cease providing the single-use carry out plastic bags immediately. If the special events permittee does not do so he or she may be forced to discontinue the service, sale or participation in the special event. This prohibition shall not apply to Exempt Bags in 34-191(e) or other types of single-use plastic bags used, provided or given out by individuals who are special events permittees for the purpose of hosting a small private event (100 people or less) (e.g. birthday party, family reunion). A violation of this section shall constitute a City code violation and may result in the revocation of the special events permit and fines and may be grounds for the placement of conditions on or for denial of a future special events permit.

Additional Conditions or changes to application:

Event Name: _____ Event Date _____

CITY OF CORAL GABLES PROHIBITION ON **EXPANDED POLYSTYRENE**



What is Expanded Polystyrene and Why is the City Prohibiting the Use of It?

Expanded polystyrene, most commonly known as Styrofoam, is a petroleum by-product that is neither readily recyclable nor biodegradable and takes hundreds to thousands of years to degrade in the environment. Products that are made from expanded polystyrene can include, but are not limited to, plates, bowls, cups, containers lids, trays, coolers, ice chests, food containers, etc. It can fragment into smaller pieces that can be ingested by marine life and other wildlife, thus harming and killing them and constitutes a portion of the litter in the City's streets, parks, public places, and waterways.

The City Commission of the City of Coral Gables declares that it is in the best interest of the public health, safety, and welfare of its residents and visitors to reduce litter and pollutants on the land and in the waters of the City. The goal of the ordinance is promote replacing expanded polystyrene items with reusable, recyclable, or compostable alternatives whenever possible thus helping remove it from the waste stream. To help lead by example, the City has ceased purchasing products that are made of expanded polystyrene.

Who Does the Prohibition Apply To?

- City Vendors or Contractors in City Facilities, which include but is not limited to, any building, structure, park, or golf course owned, operated or managed by the City.
- Special Event Permittees and their subcontractors which include any person or entity issued a special events permit by the City for a special event on City property, in a City facility or in the City's right-of-way.
- Food service providers and stores located within the City which includes a person or entity that provides food directly to the consumer, regardless of whether such food is provided free of charge or sold, or whether consumption occurs on or off premises, or whether the food is provided from a pushcart, stand or vehicle. Food service providers and stores shall not sell, use, offer for sale or use, or provide food in expanded polystyrene food service articles. Food service providers shall include, but are not limited to, chain food service providers, restaurants, fast food restaurants, cafes, sidewalk cafes, delicatessens, coffee shops, grocery stores, markets, supermarkets, drug stores, pharmacies, bakeries, caterers, gas stations, vending trucks or carts and cafeterias.

Exceptions:

- Expanded polystyrene food service articles used for prepackaged food that have been filled and sealed prior to receipt by the food service provider or store;
- Expanded polystyrene food service articles used to store raw meat, pork, fish, seafood or poultry sold from a butcher case or similar refrigerated retail display or storage case;
- Not-for-profit corporations, the school district, and county, state and federal governmental entities.

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When is the Prohibition Being Implemented?

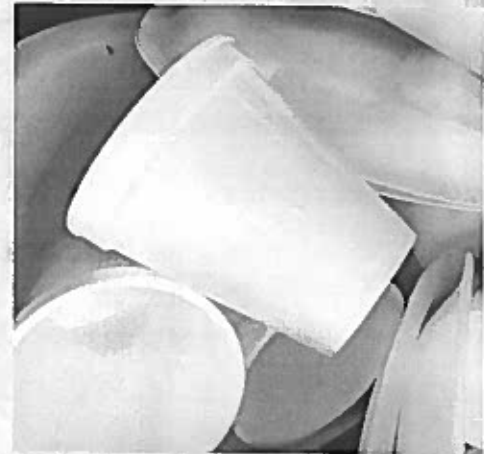
Until August 9, 2016, the City will engage in an educational campaign to allow contractors, business owners, etc. to transition away from expanded polystyrene (Styrofoam) to reusable, recyclable, or compostable alternatives. From August 9 through December 31, 2016, the City will only issue warnings for violations of the Ordinance. On January 1, 2017, Code Enforcement will begin issuing tickets for violations of the Ordinance.

How is the Prohibition Being Enforced?

After January 1, 2017, if a code enforcement officer finds a violation of section 34-188, the code enforcement officer shall issue a ticket.

A violator who has been issued a ticket must elect to either

- (1) Pay the following civil fine:
 - (a) First violation within a 12-month period.....\$50.00
 - (b) Second violation within a 12-month period.....\$100.00
 - (c) Third violation within a 12-month period\$500.00; or
 - (d) Any subsequent violation within a 12-month period....\$1,000.00
- (2) Request an administrative hearing before a special master as set forth in Art. VI, Division 3 of the City Code of Ordinances.



Financial Hardship Waiver

Any food service provider or store that reported an annual gross income (revenue) under \$500,000 per location on its income tax filing for the most recent tax year, and that is not a chain food service provider or chain store, may request from the City Commission, a financial hardship waiver of the requirements of this article. The financial hardship waiver request may apply to one or more expanded polystyrene food service articles sold, used or offered for sale or use by any such food service provider or store.

The City Commission may grant a waiver if the food service provider or store proves the following:

- (a) There is no comparable alternative product not composed of expanded polystyrene that would cost the same as or less than the expanded polystyrene food service article, and
- (b) The purchase or use of an alternative product not composed of expanded polystyrene would create and undue financial hardship.

Such financial hardship waiver shall be valid for twelve (12) months and may be renewable upon application to the City Commission. The waiver will be available online at www.coralgables.com/sustainability

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ADA Notice: The City welcomes individuals with disabilities. To request a modification to a policy, practice or procedure or to request an auxiliary aide or service (such as a sign language interpreter) in order to participate in a City program, activity or event, please contact the City's ADA Coordinator Raquel Elejabarrieta or the Director of the sponsoring department at least seven (7) days in advance where circumstances permit. ADA Coordinator Raquel Elejabarrieta may be reached by email: ada@coralgables.com, or by telephone: 305-722-8686 (voice) or 305-442-1600 (TTY/TDD).

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City of Coral Gables PROHIBITION ON **PLASTIC BAGS**

FOR SPECIAL EVENTS

PROHIBITED USE OF PLASTIC BAGS ON ANY SPECIAL EVENT PERMITTED BY THE CITY

NEW REGULATION!

Effective immediately, any entity or individual who has been issued a special event permit by the City of Coral Gables is prohibited from providing items in single-use carry out plastic bags during special events.

Why this New Regulation?

The City of Coral Gables is a leader in sustainability efforts. The ultimate goal of this new ordinance is to replace **single-use carry out plastic bags** with reusable, recyclable or compostable alternatives in order to reduce litter and pollutants on streets, parks, public spaces and waterways.

How Does it Affect Me?

If you've been granted a special event permit by the City of Coral Gables, you must comply with this new law immediately. For vendors selling or providing goods at farmers' markets or during any special event, compliance with the ordinance is a condition of approval for the issuance of a special events permit and enforcement **will begin immediately**. Special event permittees in violation will be asked to cease use of single-use carry out plastic bags immediately and failure to do so will subject permittee to revocation of the permit.

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Are There Any Exceptions?

Yes, this new ordinance does not apply to special events permittees hosting a small private event of 100 people or less, such as a birthday party or family reunion. This ordinance also exempts:

- Produce bags that protect food or merchandise from being damaged or contaminated by other food or merchandise when items are placed together in a reusable bag or recyclable bag.
- Bags that hold prescription medications dispensed from a pharmacy or veterinary office.
- Bags designed to be placed over articles of clothing on a hanger, including dry cleaning bags.
- Door hanger bags.
- Newspaper bags.
- Garbage bags.
- Pet waste bags.
- Yard waste bags.
- Bags of any type that a customer previously owned and brings to a store for his or her own use in carrying away store goods.



What Can I Use Instead of Plastic Bags?

To comply with this new law, special event permittees have the options of using:

- Reusable bags designed for long-term use.
- Recyclable paper bags that contain and display a minimum average of 40% post-consumer recycled material.
- Compostable bags that conform and display an ASTM D6400 standard.



Who Do I Call for More Information?

For any questions, please contact the City of Coral Gables Sustainability Division at 305-460-5008 or visit www.coralgables.com/plasticbags

ADA Notice: The City welcomes individuals with disabilities. To request a modification to a policy, practice or procedure or to request an auxiliary aide or service (such as a sign language interpreter) in order to participate in a City program, activity or event, please contact the City's ADA Coordinator Raquel Elejabarrieta or the Director of the sponsoring department at least seven (7) days in advance where circumstances permit. ADA Coordinator Raquel Elejabarrieta may be reached by email: ada@coralgables.com, or by telephone: 305-722-8686 (voice) or 305-442-1600 (TTY/TDD).

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**CITY OF CORAL GABLES
SPECIAL EVENTS APPLICATION & PERMIT**

Person # _____

Applicant Information	Legal Name of Applicant (Individual, Partnership, Firm, or Corporation) St. Patrick's Day Committee Inc		City/Zip Code 10/32/n
	Contact Person for the Event Charles Davis		Contact Person Email _____
	City/County Phone Fax 305-336-7240	Contact Person Fax _____	Contact Person Email _____
	Permit Applicant Phone 305 336 7225	Permit Applicant Fax 305 336 7225	Permit Applicant Email cdavis@stpatricks.com
Is the Contact Person an Officer of the Legal Entity? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO			
*If YES, attach verification from State or city and county.			
Is the Contact Person an Authorized Agent of Applicant? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO			
*If YES, Contact Person (Authorized Agent) must provide the City with a Limited Power of Attorney authorizing that they are authorized to execute legally binding contracts on behalf of the permit applicant.			
Event Information	Name of Event St. Patrick's Festival		Event Date March 10 2017
	Hours of Event NOON TO 6 PM		Event Start/End Time 4pm to Noon
	Location of Event Fred B. Hardet Amphitheater		Is it a recurring event? Yes
	A list of all staff, committees, and volunteers working on the event and other to be provided with the application including a sample of the badge or name tag that will be used at the event identifying your staff, members and volunteers from the participants and/or general public.		
Approximate Attendance 3500 - 5000		Address of Event NONE	
If not used, every bar must be licensed 16 Years At Least		Permit Location(s) _____	Post Address Same
Event Description: (Provide in attachment if additional space is needed)			