

# **City of Coral Gables CITY COMMISSION MEETING March 14, 2017**

# ITEM TITLE:

A Resolution authorizing Satchmo Blues Bar and Grill, Inc. to sell alcoholic beverages from 6:00 pm until 12:00 am at the Plaza located at 60 Merrick Way from Friday, May 5, 2017, through Sunday, May 7, 2017, during *Bluesfest* event to benefit the Woody Foundation, subject to Florida Department of Professional Regulation Requirements.

### **DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION:**

Approval.

# **BRIEF HISTORY:**

This resolution is for Satchmo Blues Bar and Grill, Inc. to celebrate *Bluesfest* in Coral Gables and authorizing the sale of alcoholic beverages from 6:00 p.m. until 12 a.m. from Friday, May 5, 2017 through Sunday, May 7, 2017. This request is to serve alcoholic beverages during the celebration and is in compliance with the laws of the State of Florida.

The *Bluesfest* will take place from 6:00 pm until 11:00 pm on Friday, May 5, 2017, through Sunday, May 7, 2017. National and local bands will perform. Music played outside will end at 11:00 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and will end at 8:00 p.m. on Sunday. The Woody Foundation is a non-profit organization that raises funds for people with paralysis. The event organizer will donate 5% of revenues collected during the event to the Woody Foundation. In addition, the organizer donates prizes up to a value of \$2,500.00 dollars for a raffle drawing. The Woody Foundation receives 100 percent of the proceeds collected from the sale of raffle tickets. The Woody Foundation is also provided space at the event to promote their services. In addition, the Woody Foundation is included in the event promotion and advertisement.

This request has been reviewed by the City's Special Events Committee.

#### ATTACHMENT(S):

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