



Commission Event Fact Sheet

Provide recommendation on the request for the waiver of the signature requirements City Code Chapters **14-8-3** and **14-8-14** for the issuance of a street event permit for the **3M Half Marathon**, to be held on **Sunday, January 13, 2013**. **The director may not issue a closure permit for the following events without Council approval: (3) except as provided in Section 14-8-15, a right-of-way event if 20 percent or more of the affected persons on any block to be closed or a neighborhood association objects to the closure in writing on a form prescribe by the director;**

Promoter: John Conley, Conley Sports Inc.

Street Closure Schedule: See Attached Event Closure Form

Event Information: The 3M ½ Marathon is an annual event. Road closures start at 12:00 a.m. and 5:45 a.m. The event which includes a 5K, ½ marathon and full marathon course begins at 7:00 a.m. This is a moving street closure. As the area is cleared of participants, the barricades will be removed. All roads should be open by 12:30p.m at the finish line. A map is attached. The route is:

Street Race Route: Start: Stonelake Blvd., between York Blvd., and Tudor Blvd., northbound to Braker Lane; Eastbound on Braker Lane to Burnet Road; Southbound on Burnet Road to Longhorn Blvd.; Westbound on Longhorn Blvd. to Business Drive; Southbound on Business Drive to Industrial Terrace; Eastbound on Industrial Terrace to United Drive; Southbound on United Drive to the East Bound Frontage Rd of US 183; Westbound on the East Bound Frontage Road of US 183 to the US 183 N U-turn traveling the southbound US 183 N Frontage Road to Shoal Creek Blvd., Southbound on Shoal Creek Blvd. to Foster Lane; Westbound on Foster Lane to Great Northern Blvd.; Southbound on Great Northern Blvd., to Bullard Drive; Eastbound on Bullard Drive to White Rock Drive; Eastbound on White Rock Drive to Shoal Creek Blvd.; Southbound on Shoal Creek Drive to W. 45th Street; Eastbound on W. 45th Street to Duval Street; Southbound on Duval Street to San Jacinto Blvd.; Eastbound on Dean Keaton Street to Red River Street; Southbound on Red River Street to E. MLK Jr., Blvd.; Westbound on E. MLK Jr., Blvd. to Congress Avenue; Southbound on Congress Avenue to Finish at E. 18th Street and Congress Avenue.

History: 2013 is 3M ½ Marathon 19th year for this running event in Austin.

Back Up Information:

The applicant has met the 180-day requirements and 120-day requirements. The applicant requested the following Rule waivers which were granted:

Section 1.05 The Director will determine whether a Courtesy Advisory Notice for an Event is necessary, and, if required, approve the method of notification.

Section 1.07 The following process shall be followed when preparing and sending a notice of proposed closure on a form prescribed by the Director for an Event required by City Code, Section 14-8-14 (*Notice of Proposed Closure and Signature Requirement*)

Section 2.03 Moving Events must not prevent Reasonable Access to a geographic area which would otherwise not have access as a result of the Moving Event.

Recommendations by Austin Transportation Department to the Urban Transportation Commission:

City Staff has no objection to the waiver of the signature requirement as long as the promoter contacts individuals who disapprove and provides them with maps of ingress and egress and works to mitigate other concerns.