

CITY OF CLARKSTON

ITEM NO: F1

CLARKSTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING

HEARING TYPE:  
Council Meeting

BUSINESS AGENDA / MINUTES

ACTION TYPE:  
Ordinance

MEETING DATE: September 6, 2016

**SUBJECT: An application for a temporary license for the retail sale of beer and wine at a public event.**

DEPARTMENT: Planning & Development

PUBLIC HEARING:  YES  NO

ATTACHMENT:  YES  NO  
Pages

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PURPOSE: To determine eligibility of a nonprofit civic organization to receive a temporary license for the retail sale of beer and wine at a public event.

NEED/ IMPACT:

The Square Mile Gallery, an art and culture initiative serving the immigrant and refugee community in the City of Clarkston, is preparing to host an event with #weloveatl and Refuge Coffee Company on September 16, 2016 from 6PM to 10PM at 4170 E. Ponce de Leon Avenue.

The Square Mile Gallery organization is requesting to sell beer and/or wine at the event. According to the City of Clarkston's Code of Ordinance; *Section 3-8, nonprofit civic organizations eligible for issuance of temporary license*, must meet the following;

*Upon application by a nonprofit or charitable organization and approval by the city council, a temporary license for the retail sale of beer and wine may be issued to such nonprofit or charitable organization. Such temporary license shall be subject to such conditions as may be established by the city council, and no temporary license shall be granted for a period longer than three (3) days. The fee for a temporary license shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00).*

The Square Mile Gallery has filed an Event application for the September 16<sup>th</sup> event, and has made provisions with Clarkston Police to make sure that the event is controlled.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

City Staff recommends approval of a one (1) day temporary license based on the submitted application.