

SUMTER COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

SUBJECT: Request for Temporary Road Closure for The Villages' 2023 St. Paddy's Day Parade.

REQUESTED ACTION: Staff Recommends Approval

Meeting Type: Regular Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: 2/28/2023

CONTRACT: N/A

Vendor/Entity: The Villages
Commercial Property
Management

Effective Date: 3/17/2023

Termination Date: 3/17/2023

Managing Division / Dept: **Operations**

BUDGET IMPACT: N/A

FUNDING SOURCE: N/A

Type: N/A

EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT: N/A

HISTORY/FACTS/ISSUES:

Mr. Bobby Davenport, Property Manager, LCAM, V-Bassador, The Villages Commercial Property Management, requests a temporary road closure from the Public Works Department. The request includes permission to allow the Budweiser Clydesdales and chariot to move along Meggison Road to the Sawgrass Groves Recreation Center.

Budweiser will be bringing the Clydesdales and the Chariot down to Sawgrass Grove at Approximately 11:00 a.m. for unloading. It will take approximately an hour or so to get the horse team prepped. The plan is for the team to prep on Bexley which is closed already due to construction of the bridge. Estimating the team would move from 12:00 p.m. to 12:20 p.m. and The Villages would route traffic through the designated detours. The team would then parade down the roundabouts on Meggison Road in Sawgrass and then back into the Sawgrass Recreation area for photos and parading. Meggison Road would be opened back up at that time. At approximately 3:00 p.m. to 3:20 p.m. the team would need to go back onto Meggison Road to load up resulting in another detour and closure temporarily. Attached is a preliminary prep map.

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