



## Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Public Works

**Date:** October 8, 2013

**To:** Honorable Sandra Colvin Roy, Chair Transportation & Public Works Committee

**Subject:** **Zombie Pub Crawl Block Event October 12, 2013**

**Recommendation:**

Approve a large block event to operate outside of City of Minneapolis Ordinance language, Title 17, Chapter 455.

**Previous Directives:** None

**Department Information:**

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Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_

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Presenters in Committee: Douglas Maday, Supervisor Traffic Maintenance and Equipment  
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**Reviews:** None

**Financial Impact**

No financial impact

**Community Impact**

- Neighborhood Notification: Applicant must adhere to all conditions of Title 17, Chapter 455 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Streets and Sidewalks: Block Events
- City Goals: Maintain the physical infrastructure to ensure a healthy, vital and safe city
- Comprehensive Plan: Not applicable
- Zoning Code: Not applicable

**Supporting Information**

Zombie Productions LLC has requested the closure of Cedar Avenue South roadway from 3rd Street South to 6<sup>th</sup> Street West, and 4<sup>th</sup> Street South from 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue South to Portland Avenue South.

Cedar Avenue South would close at 2pm on Saturday October 12, 2013 until 12am Sunday October 13, 2013. Fourth Street South would close from 4pm to 10pm. This event, because of its designation as a "Business District Large Block Event," needs Council approval per Chapter 455 of the City of Minneapolis Code of Ordinance.

Public Works agrees to allow the closure of Cedar Avenue South and 4<sup>th</sup> Street South during these times as long as the applicant acquires the proper permits required to hold the event. In addition, the applicant will be responsible for obtaining the proper signage required for lane and sidewalk closures. The applicant is also responsible for hiring the proper number of police officers for traffic control during the event.

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