

# SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT INSTRUCTIONS AND APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in planning an event in Plain City. Special events are an important way to build community. Depending on the details of your event, you may need to obtain additional permits or approvals to ensure a well-planned and safe event. This packet contains information that you will need to apply for a Special Event permit. The first three (3) pages should be retained for your reference.

Starting on page four of this application packet, you will find a series of questions outlining the requirements for your event. Some information may not be applicable for your specific event. However, the event organizer must complete the Special Event permit application and submit with it any and all required documentation. Special events must have the final approval of the Village of Plain City Administration.

### **Special Event Criterion**

If your event is a parade only, please only fill out the street closure document. If your event is an organized walk/run/bike, sporting event, festival, or similar with more than twelve (12) expected participants in any street, or other public place in the Village, you will need to submit a Special Event permit. Special events in Pastime Park fill out a different special event form.

To determine if your event requires a Special Event permit, please contact the Village of Plain City Parks & Recreation Director at 614-873-3527 x 118.

### **Special Event Permit Application**

This application must be completed and submitted to the Village of Plain City at least 90 days prior to the start of the event.

### **Requirements and Conditions**

The Special Event permit application must be accompanied by a \$50.00 application fee in the form of a check or money order made payable to the Village of Plain City. Application fee is non-refundable under any and all conditions, including rejection of Special Event Application.

#### **Certificate of Insurance**

A Certificate of Insurance showing evidence of a commercial liability policy and additional insured endorsement naming the Village of Plain City, its officials, employees, agents, and volunteers as an additional insured, with limits of not less than \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence and \$2,000,000.00 aggregate, covering any such claims for bodily injury and property damage is required for special events. Coverage to the additional insured shall be provided on a primary and non-contributory basis. In addition, the special event that is covered by the insurance must be named on the certificate. Upon approval of your special event, an original copy of the Certificate of Insurance and additional insured endorsement is due at least 30 days prior to the event. The Village of Plain City reserves the right to request additional insurance for the event if deemed necessary by the Village staff.



#### Fire and EMS Services

All events shall have a plan in case of extreme weather or other threats. Events are encouraged to share these plans with both Police and Fire departments. If determined upon application that the size of the event will necessitate Fire and/or EMS services, the applicant will be notified and a meeting will be scheduled to discuss the extent of the need. Any special requests for services will be made to the Pleasant Valley Joint Fire District 30 days prior to the event. Costs for these services will be determined once a request is made. These costs will be the responsibility of the applicant.

### **Fireworks Requirements**

Request for permission for fireworks displays must be submitted to the Plain City Police Department, and the Pleasant Valley Joint Fire District in accordance with the Ohio Fire Code and State of Ohio fireworks regulations at the time of event application. The fire department and PCPD both must approve fireworks sites and security measures, including storage. PVJFD will determine any associated fees once a request is made. Any costs incurred with the setup, inspection, and oversight of the fireworks event will be the responsibility of the applicant.

### **Indemnification and Hold Harmless Agreement**

A signed agreement in which the applicant and/or sponsor of the special event agrees to defend, hold harmless and indemnify the Village of Plain City, its officials, employees, agents, and volunteers from any loss, injury, damage, expense, claim, and cost of every nature and kind whatsoever, including attorney fees, arising out of or in conjunction with applicant's use of the public property, public right of way, public equipment or public personnel at, during, or in conjunction with the special event described within the permit must be submitted as part of the completed special event application.

### **Alcohol Consumption and Service**

The Village of Plain City Code requires the applicant and/or sponsor of the special event to obtain special duty police officer presence, the amount of officers to be determined by the police department based on the size and type of event and the number of participants(see page 14 for rates). Applicant is also required to obtain the required permits for the sale or service of alcoholic liquor during Special Events. Applications for a State of Ohio and Village temporary special event liquor permit are available from Ohio Liquor Control Commission. A copy of the liquor permit must be submitted to the Village at least 30 days prior to the event.

### **Amplification/Sound**

The Village of Plain City reserves the right to discontinue the use of any amplified sound/loudspeakers if deemed unreasonable by the Plain City Police Department. Sound emanating from permitted community events is subject to the Plain City noise ordinance. The Village can place certain requirements on sound emanating from events, including specific times of operation and overall sound level. Events must indicate on their permit the types of noises that will result from their event. Permission for event may not be granted if the noise will be deemed to cause too much inconvenience for surrounding neighbors and/or businesses. The Plain City Police has the ability to cancel activities at any time if, at their sole discretion, the sound caused by an event is causing an unreasonable burden on surrounding residents or wildlife.



#### **Block Parties**

Special event registration is not necessary for block parties; however, the Village of Plain City requires that a Street Closure Application (page 17-18) be submitted for approval at least 15 days prior to the event.

### **Compliance with Village Ordinances**

The applicant shall comply with all Village of Plain City Ordinances.

### **Village Staffing at Special Events**

During the Special Event application review, the Village may require Police or Public Works personnel at the event. The cost for any Village personnel involved during the day(s) of the event and in preparation for the event will be charged back to the sponsoring agency or applicant. The Village will determine the number of personnel necessary to ensure the safety of the participants and spectators, to minimize inconvenience to the residents and to reduce public liability exposure to the sponsoring agency or applicant, as well as to the Village of Plain City. An invoice for Village services and personnel will be transmitted to the sponsoring agency or coordinator within 30 days of the conclusion of the event (see page 14 for Police Officer, Special Duty Officer and Cruiser Rates). Public Works crew are \$40/per hour, per person.

### **Food and Beverage Service**

Food and beverages may not be sold or given away at any event, unless approved and licensed by the Madison/Union County Health Department. The sponsoring agency or applicant is responsible for coordinating these approvals and inspections. A list of all vendors and/or caterers (including mobile vendors) who will be selling or providing food and/or beverages may be required to be provided to the Village. Plain City has the right to deny permission for any vendor to sell or serve food on public property. Ohio Fire Codes do not permit cooking inside place of assembly tents. A basic fire inspection will be required for all food vendors using open flame or fueled cooking devices.



### SPECIAL EVENTS APPLICATION

**Applicant Information** 

The Village of Plain City Administrative Assistant must receive your completed permit no less than 90 days prior to the event date. A fully completed application must be accompanied by a \$50.00 non-refundable application fee, site map, certificate of liability insurance, Street Closure Application, and copies of other related permits (Tent, Alcohol, etc.) in order for your permit to be processed. If necessary, the Village along with the Police Department, Fire Department, Public Works Supervisor and City Planner may schedule Pre and Post Special Event Action Plan Meetings with the organizer.

\*\*\*\*The submission of all of the mentioned documents will not guarantee the Village granting a permit. Return completed application and all necessary documents to 800 Village Blvd., PO Box 167, Plain City, Ohio 43064 or email village@plain-city.com.

### Organization hosting the Event: \_\_\_\_\_ NO Is it a Non-Profit: YES Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: Cell: Email: Event Website: **Event Operations** Name of Event: Type of Event: Festival/Concert Marathon/Run Parade Political Rally Other (Please Specify): \_\_\_\_\_ Opening/Announcement Anticipated Attendance: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Event Location:



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Set-up Date:	From:	AM or PM	to	_ AM or PM
Event Day 1:	From:	AM or PM	to	_ AM or PM
Event Day 2:	From:	AM or PM	to	_ AM or PM
Event Day 3:	From:	AM or PM	to	_ AM or PM
Event Day 4:	From:	AM or PM	to	_ AM or PM
Tear Down Date:	From:	AM or PM	to	_ AM or PM
<b>Event Components</b>				
Please check all boxes that apply to	your event and provide an	nount when requ	ested:	
On-site Cooking	Alcohol Sales		Amplified	d Sound
Parade	Job Fair		Carnival F	Rides
Vehicles on Display	Sidewalk Chalk/pa	int	Live Art	
Exhibits/Displays	Product Giveaway		Health Sc	reening
Fireworks	Food (Mobile) #		Food (Ter	mporary) #
Inflatable Advertising #				
<b>Promotion</b> : How do you plan on a	advertising for your event?			
Website	Newspaper Article		Cable TV	Commercials
Social Media	Newspaper Ads		Network	TV Commercials
Local News	Billboards		Other	
Temporary Structures: Tents, boot	ths, and stages shall be stake	ed or tied down.	Water barrels	or weights approved by
**see page 10 for Tent and Canopy Pe	rmit Application and Require	ments**		
Does the event have tent structure	es?	Yes	No	
Are any of these structures over 40	00 square feet?	Yes	No	
Are any of these structures acting a	as a roof to a stage?	Yes	No	



Name of tent supply company				
Phone				
Which method of tie down will your tent company utilize				
Fireworks: Fire Inspector Signature:				
Date:				
Electrical Services:				
Does the event require electrical access?	Yes	No		
Will a generator be utilized to provide power?	Yes	No		
Do you have an electrical contractor to assist in hookup?	Yes	No		
Name of contractor	_			
Phone				
Water Services: **there will be a meter charge and water usage charge	ge, if Village w	ater is used**		
Does the event require water access?	Yes	No		
Is the water access required for a food vendor?	Yes	No		
Restrooms:				
Portable restrooms are required at all Special Events. Supplie requirements for Event Restrooms.	rs can assist	you in determir	ning the quantity	and ADA-
**If your event is multiple days, all on-site portable restrooms	must be cle	eaned out daily. '	**	
Parking:				
Please make arrangements with Downtown parking vendors to of vehicles that your event will attract. Also, please ensure that your event.			·	
Fencing and Barricade:				
Any event with alcohol requires fencing to enclose the pe	erimeters o	f alcohol servic	e.	
Does the event require any temporary fencing or barricae	de?	Yes	No	



### **Litter Management:**

The Applicant is responsible for the cleanup of all litter, trash, grease, ash, spills, etc. The Village reserves the right to assess a charge to the organization hosting the event, if waste/litter is not cleaned up immediately after the event (within 24 hours).

Are you contracting with a waste company?	Yes	No		
Name of waste company				
Phone				
Are you contracting with a power washing company?	Yes	No		
Name of cleanup company				
Phone				
Are you contracting with recycling organization?	Yes	No		
Name of organization				
Phone				
Do you have a team of people to pick up after event closes?	Yes	No		
Name of organization				
Phone				
Emergency and First Aid:				
The Pleasant Valley Fire Department may require that a fire to occurring).	ruck be preser	nt at your event (de	epending on wha	it i:
Are you planning for an on-site ambulance?	Yes	No		
Name of Emergency Co				
Phone				



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### Police, Security and Road Closings (see page 14-18 for instructions and application)

The Village of Plain City Police Department (PCPD) of police officers or contracted security require at v	•	•	
Are you hiring PCPD to work you event?	Yes	No	
Will you be applying to close streets?	Yes	No	
f yes, list all streets and intersections that you plan close:			
Alcohol Sales			
If you are planning to sell alcoholic beverages at yo Ohio Division of Liquor Control. For beer (online) s	•	•	•
F-Permit. For beer, wine, and intoxicating liquestablishment with a Class-D Liquor License. Any atthe PCPD. Number of Officers or cruisers will be continuous.	alcohol sales will requ	ire the hire of speci	al duty Police Officers from
What Non-profit organization will be applying for t	the temporary permit?		
Non-profit organization name:			
Contact phone number:			
Event Site Man			

You must attach your event site map to this application in order for it to be processed.

Included in this map should be:

- An image (drawn or digital map) of the entire event venue. Please include street names.
- ➤ An outline of all erected fencing and barricade. Show points of entrance.
- ➤ Location of all stages, tents, vendors, bars, restrooms, dumpsters, etc.
- Parking accommodations: handicap, volunteers, suppliers, etc.
- ➤ Lost children area/information
- Command post for Police, Fire and Emergency
- Street Closure Application



### **Event Insurance**

You must attach a certificate of your liability insurance policy to this application in order for it to be processed. The policy must be in an amount no less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000). Your insurance certificate must list the Village of Plain City (800 Village Blvd., PO Box 167, Plain City, Ohio 43064) as an additional insured.

### **Indemnification and Hold Harmless Agreement**

	licant') requesting to hold the following special event in the Village of Plain, the undersigned hereby recognizes,
acknowledges, and assumes any and all risundersigned hereby agrees to defend, ind employees, and volunteers against all injuexpenses (including attorney's fees), whice employees, and volunteers arising in whole	sk pertaining to said special event. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the lemnify, and hold harmless the Village of Plain City Ohio, its officials, agents, uries, deaths, loss, damages, claims, suits, liabilities, judgments, costs and the may in anywise accrue against the Village of Plain City, its officials, agents, le or in part or in consequence of said special event by the undersigned, its may in anywise result therefore, except that arising out of the sole legal cause
Agreed this day of	, 20
Name of Applicant	Signature of Applicant
Applicant Title Held & Organization	<del></del>



### **Submission Checklist**

#### **Required:**

**Completed Special Event Permit Application** 

Permit Fees (when applicable)

**Event Site Map** 

Certificate of Insurance with "Village of Plain City" as additional insured

Executed Indemnification and Hold Harmless Agreement

### **If Applicable:**

Tent & Canopy Application & Requirements (see page 13)

Copies of other related permits (tent permits, alcohol permit, etc.) Street

Closure Application (see page 17-18 for instructions and application)

### Make deposit check payable to "Village of Plain City"

### Return this completed application to:

Village of Plain City 800 Village Blvd. PO Box 167 Plain City, Ohio 43064

Or

Email: lgranger@plain-city.com



### **Approval Signatures**

Event Coordinator	 	 
Date:		
Chief of Police	 	 
Date:		
Village Administrator	 	 
Date:		
Chief of Fire	 	
Date:		

Notices will be sent to Health Department, Police Chief, Zoning Inspector, Fire Chief, and any other necessary individuals.



## **Tent and Canopy Permit Application and Requirements**

The following guidelines have been established to help business owners identify what is needed to obtain an approval and a building permit for the installation of a temporary structure for commercial use. A Tent is defined by the code as a structure or shelter constructed of fabric or other pliable material supported by any manner except by air or the contents that is protects. A canopy is a structure, enclosure, or shelter constructed of a fabric or pliable materials supported by any manner, except by air or the contents it protects, and is open without sidewalls or drops on 75 percent or more of the perimeter.

All <u>tents that are greater than 200 sf and canopies greater than 400 sf</u> with a duration of <u>less than seven</u> days require permits and shall submit the below information on this form for such.

Occupancy of a tent or canopy structure greater than 200 and 400 sf respectively with duration from 8 to 180 days shall require construction documents and approval in accordance with Section 106 of the Ohio Building Code; (full plan approval with Ohio licensed Architect or Engineer) and Local Ordinances.

Special events will be assessed by the Building Official as to their respective requirements. Electrical and plumbing permits may be required depending on the use of the structure. Plumbing information can be obtained through the Madison/Union County District Board of Health. An electrical permit is required for the wiring of any egress and/or accessory lighting. Also, it is important to note that all electrical contractors must be registered for commercial work in Madison/Union County. All electrical information and permits can be addressed through the Village of West Jefferson Building Department, 28 E Main St, West Jefferson, OH.

#### THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION SHALL BE REQUIRED FOR A BUILDING PERMIT TO BE ISSUED:

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<b>DETAILS:</b>				
PROJECT/EV	'ENT NAME:			
PROJECT/ EV	/ENT ADDRESS:			
TENT	CANOPY	DATES OF OPERATION:TO		
SIZE	SHAPE	TIME OF OPERATION:		
FOOD AND/	OR DRINK CONSUMI	PTION ASSOCIATED WITH STRUCTURE:	Yes	No
ELECTRICAL	SERVICE WITHIN/ AS	SSOCIATED WITH STRUCTURE: (permit required)	Yes	No



ANCHORAGE: TENTS/ CANOPIES MUST BE STAKED AT EACH POST WITH A MINIMUM OF ONE INCH DIAMETER BY TWO-FOOT-LONG STAKES DRIVEN A MINIMUM OF 18 INCHES INTO THE GRADE. CONCRETE BUCKETS OR WEIGHTS MAY BE USED WITH APPROVAL FROM VILLAGE

ADMINISTRATION.	
BRIEFLY DESCRIBE PROPOSED <b>USE</b> O	STRUCTURE AND EVENT:
additional information is requi your permit is ready for pickup	ewed to determine if the proposed project/event meet code. You will be notified if red or that the project has been approved, the type of inspections required and that . Please note: with all of the required information, this process can be completed in as a above information has been submitted in good faith and is true and accurate to
Contact #	
	TH PAYMENT AND ABOVE INFORMATION TO
Village of Plain City, Administrative THIS SECTION FOR BUIL	e Assistant, 800 Village Blvd., PO Box 167, Plain City, Ohio 43064 or email <a href="mailto:village@plain-city.com">village@plain-city.com</a> DING DEPT. USE ONLY
PERMITS TECH:	DATE:
ADDITIONAL INFOR	MATION REQUIRED:
PLAN APPROVAL	REQUIRED INSPECTIONS:
FIRE DEPT.	FINAL
BUILDING OFFICIAL/ PLA	NS EXAMINER:
DATE:	



## Plain City Police Department Special Duty Officer and Cruiser Rates

#### 1) PCPD Officers \$40.00 per hour (3 hour minimum)

#### 2) PCPD cars \$10.00 per hour

PCPD Special Duty Officers must be retained to provide security services at any special event where alcoholic beverages are to be sold, served and/or consumed. The PCPD Chief of Police has the authority and the discretion to determine the number of PCPD Special Duty Officers will be required for any event where alcoholic beverages will be sold, served and/or consumed.

PCPD Special Duty Officer must be retained if your event requires use of a detour or traffic direction services in a traffic light-controlled intersection, a stop sign controlled intersection or on a freeway or controlled access road.

A flagman must be present if your event closes a single lane of traffic by diverting traffic to another lane on the same road. The flagman can be your own personnel or a company dedicated to that purpose. You may, but are not required to, request the use of a PCPD Special Duty Officer to serve as a flagman.

Contact the Chief of Police to discuss the retention of a PCPD Special Duty Officer.

In addition, if you have any questions feel free to contact the Plain City Police Department at (614) 873-2921.

A minimum of a 2-week advance notice is required to schedule an officer.

The current rate is \$40.00 an hour with a three-hour minimum for a PCPD Special Duty Officer. In this case there is not a charge for a cruiser unless some extenuating circumstances apply and the Chief of Police will decide if that is the case. The cruiser rate is still \$10.00 per hour.



### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR STREET CLOSURES AND ASSEMBLAGES**

- Read the attached codified ordinance, 311.02 Parades and Assemblages.
- ➤ Obtain a "Street Closure Application" from the Police Department located at 800 Village Blvd., Plain City, Ohio 43064 or from <a href="https://www.plain-city.com/police">www.plain-city.com/police</a> and clicking the Forms tab.
- ➤ Complete the application and return to the Police Department.
- > The Police Department must sign and approve the Street Closure Application.
- ➤ There may be additional permits, requirements or stipulations for your event. This application only addresses street closures, parades and assemblages. Please inquire for additional details that may be specific to your event.
- The application should be submitted as soon as possible, but under no circumstances shall a Street Closure Application be granted with less than 5 days' notice prior to the scheduled event.



### **311.02 PARADES AND ASSEMBLAGES**

(a) No person, group of persons or organization shall conduct or participate in any parade, assemblage or procession other than a funeral procession upon any street or highway, or block off any street or highway area, without first obtaining a permit from the Police Chief.

Applications for such permits shall be made on such forms as may be prescribed and shall contain such information as is reasonably necessary to a fair determination of whether a permit should be issued. Applications shall be filed not less than five days before the time intended for such parade, procession or assemblage.

The permit may be refused or cancelled if:

- 1. The time, place, size or conduct of the parade including the assembly areas and route of march would unreasonably interfere with the public convenience and safe use of the streets and highways.
- 2. The parade would require the diversion of so great a number of police officers to properly police the line of movement, assembly area and areas contiguous thereto so as to deny normal police protection to the Municipality.
- 3. The parade route of march or assembly areas would unreasonably interfere with the movement of police vehicles, fire-fighting equipment or ambulance service to other areas of the Municipality.
- 4. The parade would unreasonably interfere with another parade for which a permit has been issued.
- 5. The information contained in the application is found to be false, misleading or incomplete in any material detail.
- 6. An emergency such as a fire or storm would prevent the proper conduct of the parade.
- 7. The permit or any order accompanying it may limit or prescribe reasonable conditions, including the hours, the place of assembly and of dispersal, the route of march or travel and the streets, highways or portions thereof which may be used or occupied.
- (b) Whoever violates this section is guilty of a minor misdemeanor on a first offense; on a second offense within one year after the first offense, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor of the fourth degree; on each subsequent offense within one year after the first offense, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor of the third degree.



## **Street Closure Application**

Application Date					
Name of Organizati	ion				
Contact Name					
Phone Number					
E-Mail Address					
Purpose of Street C	losure, Parade or				
Assemblage					
Streets to Close/Pa	rade Route,				
Signage/Barricades	Needed,				
Notes and Other	Considerations.				
Etc.					
(Use Attached Map	)				
Number of Participa	nts:		Number of Specta	tors:	
Date of Closure		Start Time		End Time	



		Receiv	ed Date & Ti	me	
Authority	Signature		Approved		Date
Police Department			Yes	No	
Fire Department	Notification sent:	E-mail	Fax	In pe	rson
Street Department	Notification sent:	E-mail	Fax	In pe	rson

Reason for Denial		
Reason for Beniai		

Plain City Codified Ordinance 311.02