

Introduced by: Councilmember Small

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-34

**AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF ANNE STREET
IN SUPPORT OF THE 2023 TLCDA HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH EVENT**

WHEREAS, the City of Takoma Park partners with multiple economic development service contract partners to promote the growth of the City's commercial corridors to enliven the area and highlight local businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Takoma-Langley Crossroads Development Authority, Inc. (TLCDA), a City economic development service contract partner, has proposed to host a Hispanic Heritage Month celebration on Sunday, October 22, 2023 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM; and

WHEREAS, TLCDA has requested the temporary closure of a portion of city-owned right-of-way on Anne Street to accommodate the event; and

WHEREAS, TLCDA will properly notify all impacted residents and stakeholders of the street closure at least one week in advance of the closure in writing; and

WHEREAS, TLCDA will ensure that all events are concluded in time to reopen the roadways to pedestrians, traffic, and transportation at the designated times.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND authorizes the City Manager to close Anne Street between Hammond Lane and University Boulevard on Sunday, October 22, 2023 between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM to allow time for setup and breakdown before and after the event.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the TLCDA shall assume full responsibility for notifying adjoining property owners of the approved closures, notifying City residents in writing of any changes to public transportation schedules and/or pickup and drop-off locations that may arise from such street closures at least one (1) week prior to date of the Events, arranging for the placement of "No Parking" signs and "Local Traffic Only" signs as necessary, restoring the area following the planned events, and ensuring that the roadways are reopened to traffic at the designated times, and reimbursing the City for any additional City resources that are required above and beyond standard City operating procedures.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Manager may, at their discretion, approve any date changes provided that the City receives the new date request no later than one week prior to the new date.

This resolution is adopted by the Council of the City of Takoma Park, Maryland, this 11th day of October, 2023, and shall be effective immediately upon its adoption.

Attest:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jessie Carpenter". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Jessie Carpenter, CMC
City clerk