AN ORDINANCE

APPROVING THE PARADE PERMIT AND AUTHORIZE THE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF PORTIONS OF CERTAIN STREETS NEAR MARTIN LUTHER KING PARK FROM 9:45 A.M. UNTIL 11:30 A.M. ON FRIDAY MAY 20, 2005 IN CONNECTION WITH THE 60+ MARDI GRAS PARADE SPONSORED BY THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO’S DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY INITIATIVES.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The parade permit requested by the City of San Antonio Community Initiatives Department to hold its “60+ Mardi Gras Parade” Run/Walk on Saturday, May 21, 2005, from 9:45 a.m. until 11:30 a.m., is hereby granted. The City finds that granting this request will promote the health, safety, and welfare of the participants and the public in the vicinity.

SECTION 2. The temporary closure to vehicular traffic, of portions of the streets listed in the route below which are in the City of San Antonio, is hereby authorized during the event:

Assembly Area:
Martin Luther King Park

Run/Walk Route:
Martin Luther King from the Park to Pecan Valley (Northbound Lanes only),
Pecan Valley from Rigsby into Comanche Park #2 (Southbound Lanes only),
Rigsby from Pecan Valley to Comanche Park #2 (2 Eastbound Lanes only),
Disbanding in Comanche Park #2.

SECTION 3. Funds in the amount of $25.00 are authorized to be deposited in Order Number 223000000082, General Ledger 4408100 entitled “Street – Barricade Fees”, Fund 11001000 entitled “General Fund” when received.

SECTION 4. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager’s designee, correct allocations to specific Cost Centers, WBS Elements, Internal Orders, General Ledger Accounts, and Fund Numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. The City of San Antonio Community Initiatives Department shall be responsible for the following: 1) paying the required street closure permit fee and any other fees and license charges, 2) posting signs, barricades and the use of any off duty or on-duty police officers, as may be required by the City of San Antonio’s Public Works and/or Police Departments, 3) evidencing the street closure to provide for the safety of patrons and the rerouting of traffic, and 4) cleaning the area up after the event is held.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage if passed by eight or more votes otherwise this ordinance shall become effective May 15, 2005.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 5th day of May, 2005.

MAYOR
EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM
City Attorney