

## **RESOLUTION 2023-01**

## Authorizing Consumption of Beer and Wine Only at the Front Beach Festival on March 4, 2023

WHEREAS, the City of Isle of Palms Recreation Department is hosting the 2023 Front Beach Festival on Saturday, March 4, 2023 on Ocean Boulevard between 10th Avenue and Pavilion Drive; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Isle of Palms Recreation Department is requesting permission for the temporary closing and use from 6:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. of Ocean Boulevard between 10th Avenue and Pavilion Drive for set up, clean up, and staging of the event to be held on Saturday, March 4, 2023 from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.; for patrons to consume beer and wine beverages only at the event during the hours of 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.; and for crowd control; and,

WHEREAS, it has been determined that such an event would be in the public interest; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council this 28 day of February 2023, that possession and consumption of beer and wine beverages, the closure of event spaces and the use of amplified music is authorized on Ocean Boulevard between 10th Avenue and Pavilion Drive between the hours of 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 4, 2023; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that possession and consumption of alcoholic liquors or alcoholic beverages other than beer and/or wine beverages within the event area is prohibited; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that outdoor possession and consumption of beer and wine beverages only, all outdoor musical performances and use of sound-amplifying devices shall end by 5:00 p.m. due to the proximity of the event to residential properties; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all vendors be restricted to a stationary location; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that only pedestrian traffic will be allowed in the area. All other traffic including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mopeds, bicycles, skateboards, golf carts, LSVs, except police and fire LSVs, is prohibited; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that during the designated times the closed portion of Ocean Boulevard is deemed to be the site of a public festival at which only beer and wine beverages may be consumed and the prohibition against possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages set forth in Section 7-2-1 shall not apply as to the possession and consumption of beer and/or wine beverages only.

City Clerk