



## MEMORANDUM

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Date: November 5, 2024

To: Honorable Mayor and Commissioners

Via: Todd Stoughton  
Interim City Manager

From: Kelli Funkhouser  
Special Event Manager

Subject: **Recommendation to Approve the “New Years Eve Shoe Drop” Noise Exemption on the 700 Block of Duval Street on Tuesday, December 31, 2024, from 2:00 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.**

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### **Introduction**

The City Manager’s Office requests the approval of the “New Years Eve Shoe Drop,” Noise Exemption on Tuesday, December 31, 2024, starting at 2:00 p.m. and ending at 12:30 a.m. This event will take place on the 700 Block of Duval Street from 2:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. A stage will be set up on the sidewalk of 724 Duval Street with a live singer until 12:30 a.m.

### **Background**

The City Manager’s Office has received an application from “Bourbon St. Pub, Inc.” for the “New Years Eve Shoe Drop” at 724 Duval Street on Tuesday, December 31, 2024. The event is from 2:00 p.m. until 2:00 a.m., and they are asking to extend their live music until 12:30 a.m.

### **Procurement**

There will be no additional expenses to the city even though the event is on public property. Given the nature of the holiday, the streets will be closed anyway.

### **Recommendation**

The City Manager’s Office recommends the Mayor & City Commission approve the “New Years Eve Shoe Drop” on Tuesday, December 31, 2024, at 724 Duval Street.