

FACT SHEET

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<u>TITLE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT</u>
A RESOLUTION SUSPENDING THE EFFECT OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 10 AND CHAPTER 106 OF THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATIVE TO LOUISIANA FILM FESTIVAL AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERTO.	June 29, 2013	PUBLIC ASSEMBLY AND RECREATION
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PURPOSE

To suspend the effect of certain provisions of Chapter 10 and Chapter 106 of the Code of Ordinances relative to “Louisiana Film Festival”.

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Louisiana Film Festival events and activities will be taking place at several venues in downtown, on the sidewalks, and in Texas Street. This event is a collaboration of several local organizations, agencies, and venues, including the City of Shreveport, the event will create activity and renew interest in downtown Shreveport as well as highlight the varied entertainment, food, art, history, film, trivia, science, and culture found in the area.

The event for 2013 is scheduled for October 3-6. Participants may engage in a number of activities including but not limited to outside dining and consumption of alcoholic beverages at area café’s and other venues located in downtown as they move from location to location in the festival area. This resolution would suspend the effect of certain provisions of Chapter 10 and Chapter 106 of the Code of Ordinances so as to permit patrons and participants of “the Louisiana Film Prize Festival” to engage in outside dining and consumption of food and alcoholic beverages in the festival area.

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TIMETABLE

Introduction and Final Passage - August 13, 2013

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SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

None

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FINANCES

None

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ALTERNATIVES

1. Adopt the Resolution as submitted.
2. Amend the Resolution.
3. Deny the Resolution.

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CONCLUSION

Alternative Number 1 is recommended.

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RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2013

A RESOLUTION SUSPENDING THE EFFECT OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 10 AND CHAPTER 106 OF THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATIVE TO THE "LOUISIANA FILM PRIZE FESTIVAL" AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

BY:

WHEREAS, several local organizations, agencies, and venues, including the City of Shreveport, have collaborated to help produce and support the Louisiana Film Prize Festival in downtown Shreveport as a means to showcase the activities in the area and to highlight the entertainment, food, art, history, film, trivia, science, and culture found in the area to visitors; and

WHEREAS, the event in 2013 is scheduled for October 3-6; and

WHEREAS, participants may engage in a number of activities while at the Louisiana Film Festival including but not limited to outside dining and consumption of alcoholic beverages at area café's and other venues and locations, public street(s) or sidewalk(s) within the festival area, or while moving from location to location in the festival area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport in due, legal and regular session convened that provisions of Chapter 10 and Chapter 106 of the Code of Ordinances relative to prohibitions on outside dining and the consumption, dispensing, possession, or sale of alcoholic beverages on a public street or sidewalk within the festival area, or the consumption or possession of alcoholic beverages while a person is moving from location to location in the festival area are hereby suspended October 3 through October 6, 2013 in connection with the "Louisiana Film Prize Festival" and related events and activities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all other provisions of Chapter 10 and Chapter 106 shall remain in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or application, and to this end, the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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City Attorney's Office