

RESOLUTION 2021-26

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF THE ALLEY BETWEEN LAZELLE AND DUDLEY FROM JUNCTION TO MIDDLE, TEMPORARILY CLOSING DUDLEY STREET FROM JUNCTION TO MIDDLE TO ON STREET PARKING AND OPENING DUDLEY FROM JUNCTION TO MIDDLE TO TWO-WAY TRAFFIC

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis Motorcycle Rally is an event that brings hundreds of thousands of tourists to the City of Sturgis and the surrounding area, and

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis has actively hosted, supported and promoted the City of Sturgis Motorcycle Rally event for 80 years, and

WHEREAS, the City continues to advertise and encourage entertainment venues and unique experiences during the City of Sturgis Motorcycle Rally in order to retain visitors in the Downtown core throughout the event, and

WHEREAS, Iron Horse will host a number of large outdoor concerts which will likely lead to visitors crossing the alley numerous times throughout the course of the night which would create a traffic hazard for any vehicular traffic in the alley, and

WHEREAS, the owners of Iron Horse have requested the closure of a public right of way to alleviate a potential pedestrian safety concern, and

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the City of Sturgis shall:

1. Authorize the alley between Lazelle and Dudley from Junction to 97' west of Middle to be closed to public access from August 3-17, 2021.
2. Authorize Iron Horse to have staff available at the alley to allow guests to enter the premises.
3. Place all garbage cans on the exterior of the property in spaces mutually agreed upon by the Public Works Director and the managers of Iron Horse. The cans shall not obstruct sight triangles.
4. Ensure that no structures (either temporary or permanent) shall be placed on the alley right of way.
5. Ensure that all private porta-pots shall be fully placed on private property.

CITY OF STURGIS

Mayor Mark Carstensen

ATTEST:

Fay Bueno, Finance Officer

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