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February 4, 2021

To: Special Event Coordinators/Operators  
From: Southampton Town Public Safety  
Re: COVID-Related Event Considerations

As you are undoubtedly aware of, the presence of COVID-19 in the United States has changed the way in which we can gather safely and has therefore changed the way in which special events can occur. Although we are currently observing a decline in the spread of COVID-19 and the rollout of vaccines, we are not in the clear yet and must continue to take precautions.

Many of the special events that occur within the Town of Southampton work hard to support some of the most vulnerable members of our community who are of the greatest risk from COVID-19. The events that occur help to raise funds that support many extraordinary services that are provided to our residents. In an attempt to assist organizations with their endeavor to raise funds for charities, the Town has created this document to steer applicants in the right direction so that they can identify requirements that might be in place from New York State for their particular type of event. You should consult the following areas and examine the guidance documents from the State that might apply to your particular type of event.

- 1) <https://forward.ny.gov/statewide-guidelines>. This site contains guidelines from NYS that must be followed for different industries/disciplines/activities.
- 2) <https://www.businessexpress.ny.gov/app/nyforward>. If your activity is not clearly identified in one of the guidance documents on the site above, you can utilize this page to lookup where your activity is placed under the State guidance.
- 3) <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/large-events/considerations-for-events-gatherings.html>. This site contains CDC recommendations and requirements for events and gatherings.

The plan that you submit with your application should be based on the location desired for the event and should include the size of the property, the topography, any wetlands that may be within the vicinity, emergency vehicle access information and traffic patterns. Your Special Event application and safety plan must be submitted to the Town Clerks Office for approval **PRIOR** to opening or operating any special event. The plan must include the following information:

Additionally, your plans should reflect the following information on top of normal information that is expected in the Incident Action Plan (IAP):

1. Steps being taken to strictly adhere to CDC guidance, Suffolk County Department of Health guidance, NYS guidance, as well as any other local COVID safety requirements.



2. Specific information about the location of sanitizing stations at the event.
3. Specific information about safety requirements that will be enforced at the event (i.e. COVID testing, face coverings, limits on people in one space at one time, controlled pathways of travel, sanitizing of equipment, seating and other spaces, etc.)
4. Specific information about who will be enforcing social distancing and other safety requirements on site/at the event (security, volunteers, police, etc.). Please note, that if this is a running or biking event that has a course, this information will need to refer to efforts that will be taken all along the course.
5. Please reference the applicable NYS guidance that your event falls under.
6. Any other pertinent information that relates to COVID-19 and associated safety actions.

All applications will undergo a review by the Town of Southampton and then, once determined to meet safety requirements by the Town, will be sent to New York State Department of Health for review. This process may take some time and your patience during the review process is greatly appreciated. The more information that is presented in your completed application; the greater likelihood of a smooth review process.

Applicants should understand that changes in COVID-19 positivity rates and other community spread factors may cause the Town, County or State to amend their approvals or requirements. The Town County, and State all reserve the right to amend or rescind any approvals in the interest of public safety, should circumstances change. Any approved applications must comply with the current guidelines and requirements at the time of the event.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact the Southampton Town Clerks Office. We look forward to assisting you and working together to assure a safe season for all.

Sincerely,

Ryan J. Murphy  
Town Code Compliance &  
Emergency Management Administrator





# TOWN OF SOUTHAMPTON

## 2021 SPECIAL EVENTS APPLICATION

### EVENT INFORMATION

**TOTAL PEOPLE Per Day** \_\_\_\_\_

Attendees _____	Caterers _____	Sound _____	Music _____
Spectators _____	Chefs _____	Entertainment _____	Vendors _____
Employees _____	Wait Staff _____	Electrical _____	Exhibitors _____
Organizers _____	Animal Care _____	Bartenders _____	Other _____

**DURATION:** \_\_\_\_\_ day(s)

**DATE(S) of Event:** \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/2021 to \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/2021      **Hours of Event:** \_\_\_\_\_ am / pm to \_\_\_\_\_ am / pm

For events of more than one day in duration, please include additional information with regard to dates and hours of operation

**DATE(S) for SET UP** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE(S) for SITE TO BE CLEANED UP** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please note insurance certificate must include coverage for set-up and clean-up dates.*

**ADMISSION FEE:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (General Admission)

**SPECIAL ADMISSION FEES** (tables, groups, children, seniors, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

**EVENT DESCRIPTION:** Provide website: \_\_\_\_\_

**AND** please provide a description including a detailed explanation of the purpose of the proposed event, the nature of the activities to be carried on, the objective and how the event is in compliance with the Town Code. Additional sheets may be added if necessary.

**LOCAL GROUPS, ORGANIZATIONS, CHARITIES OR INDIVIDUALS** who will benefit from the proceeds of the event and who are designated to receive proceeds. As defined in NYS Executive Law 171, a **local charity** is one that has offices within the Town of Southampton or an organization that provides services or funds that **directly** benefit Southampton Town residents.

Name _____	Mailing Address _____	City/Hamlet/Village _____	State _____	Zip Code _____	\$Amount _____
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As defined in Town Code §283, an applicant that is not a charitable organization shall have 90 days after the event to submit proof in writing including copies of cancelled checks to the Town Clerk's Office that pledges listed above were received by the Designated Charity.

**If your organization is not a charitable organization, as defined in CH 283-1 of Southampton Town Code, please describe and note how the event will directly benefit a local charitable organization.**

**SIGNAGE**

All signs should be removed within 3 days of the termination of the event. Flashing or moving signs are prohibited, Town Code §330-203B(8).

**Freestanding Signs ONSITE**

Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Size \_\_\_\_\_  
Location \_\_\_\_\_

**Freestanding Signs OFFSITE**

Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Size \_\_\_\_\_  
Location \_\_\_\_\_

(List all locations within the Town of Southampton; include dates.)

**FIREWORKS**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: Attach site plan

**INCIDENT ACTION PLAN**

NYS fire code requires an emergency plan. The incident action plan with the application **must be** submitted and approved by Chief Fire Marshal prior to the event.      Plan attached: yes \_\_\_\_\_ no \_\_\_\_\_





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**SUBMIT PLANS, DRAWINGS, INCLUDING HANDICAP ACCESSIBILITY, AND COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION**

**THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION MUST BE SUBMITTED: A DETAILED MAP OR PLAN, DRAWN TO SCALE, SHOWING ALL OF THE REQUIRED ELEMENTS LISTED BELOW WITH A SUMMARY OF ITEMS INCLUDED ON MAP, AS WELL AS ALL OTHER APPLICABLE INFORMATION AND MATERIAL REQUIRED.**

**PLEASE INDICATE BY CHECK MARK THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WHICH HAS BEEN INCLUDED IN PLANS SUBMITTED. INSERT "N/A" IF NOT APPLICABLE. NO BLANKS.**

1. \_\_\_ Filing Fee: *Number of Set Up days* \_\_\_\_\_ *Number of Event days* \_\_\_\_\_

- (1) for 1 day event with less than 250 people: **\$50 per event day; \$25 per set up day**
- (2) for events occurring over more than one day and/or events with 250 - 500 people: **\$150 per event day; \$75 per set up day**
- (3) for events occurring over more than one day and/or events with 500 – 1000 people: **\$300 per event day; \$150 per set up day**
- (4) for events occurring over more than one day and/or events with 1000 – 3000 people: **\$500 per event day; \$250 per set up day**
- (5) for events occurring over more than one day and/or events with more than 3000 people: **\$1,000 per event day; \$500 per set up day**

Filing Fee, Parcels with PDD designation: (1) for 1 day event with less than 250 people: **\$50 per event day; \$25 per set up day**  
 (2) for events occurring over more than one day and/or events with 250 – 500 people: **\$100 per event day; \$50 per set up day**  
 (3) for events occurring over more than one day and/or events with more than 500 people: **\$200 per event day; \$100 per set up day**

Late Application Fee: **\$10/per day** beyond the submission deadline in §283-2B. If more than 30 days late: **\$20/per day** fee.  
**APPLICATION WILL CONTINUE TO ACCRUE LATE FEES UNTIL DEEMED COMPLETE**

Summonses may be issued to events that exceed the number of attendees on the permit.

Any **amendment** to the application for a Special Event permit will be subject to an amendment fee of **25%** of the applicable application fee. Amendments may include changes to the location, route, parking plan, number of people expected, etc. Amendments to Incident Action Plans or Parking Plans at the request of the Town are not considered amendments to the application.

2. \_\_\_ Comprehensive Liability Insurance Policy naming the Town of Southampton, 116 Hampton Road, Southampton, NY 11968 as an additional insured in the amount of \$1,000,000. If serving alcohol, Liquor Liability Insurance naming the Town of Southampton as an additional insured will also be required. *Insurance coverage must include set-up and break-down time and must list the name, date & location of the event under description of operations.*

3. \_\_\_ Disclosure Affidavit, Owner’s Endorsement, Authorization for Inspection & Indemnity, Consent of Agent for Service on pages 7 - 11, of application. **GARDEN TOURS ONLY:** separate form to replace 8&9.

4. \_\_\_ Copy of current contract or agreement with property owner.

5. \_\_\_ Detailed Map, Plan or Sketch, Drawn to Scale, showing the following, on 8½ x 11 paper:

Location, Size and Number of the Following:

- a. \_\_\_ Existing Building(s) or Structure(s)
- b. \_\_\_ Proposed Temporary Building(s), Structures(s) or Trailer(s)
- c. \_\_\_ All Access Roads Including Internal Circulation
- d. \_\_\_ Tent(s), including size, number and location. **Permit required from Chief Fire Marshal for all tents greater than 200 square ft.** Contact 702-2919 for more information.
- e. \_\_\_ Stages, Decks, Bleachers, Platforms (**If applicable certification and/or inspection**)
- f. \_\_\_ Areas of Assembly for Spectators, Vendors, Exhibitors, Employees, Organizers, Animals
- g. \_\_\_ Exits, Width(s) Specified
- h. \_\_\_ Restrooms, Including Handicap Accessibility
- i. \_\_\_ All Temporary Utilities  
 \_\_\_ Generator(s) \_\_\_ Fuel Storage \_\_\_ Cooking Facilities \_\_\_ Water (Supply, Storage, Distribution)
- j. \_\_\_ All Audio Equipment (Loudspeakers, Horns, Music, etc.)
- k. \_\_\_ Location of Fire Extinguishers, Location of Fire Lanes, Location of Water Supply
- l. \_\_\_ Dumpsters, Trash Barrels

6. \_\_\_ Letter from Participating Charity, confirming the anticipated donation. Non-profit organizations must show proof of 2019 donation in the form of a cancelled check 90 days after the event date.

7. \_\_\_ Incident Action Plan. Any questions regarding this document, call the Chief Fire Marshal’s Office at 702-2919 or [JJRankin@southamptontownny.gov](mailto:JJRankin@southamptontownny.gov)



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8. \_\_\_ Use of Town Facilities. If the Event is to be held at a Town Park, Beach or other Town-owned Property a "Facility Use Permit" is required pursuant to Town Code §111-3D. If and when both a facility use permit and a special event permit are required, the validity of the facility use permit is contingent upon issuance of the special event permit (Southampton Town Code 283-7). Please contact Parks & Recreation (728-8585) for information regarding a facility use permit. In addition all vendors hired by host shall provide proof of general liability, workers compensation, disability insurance and licenses required by New York State, Suffolk County or the Town of Southampton
9. \_\_\_ Plan for Disposal of Garbage, Trash, Rubbish and Sanitary Waste and Sewage including dumpster location. Attach Town of Southampton Solid Waste Collection Permit (Southampton Town Code 205-5)
10. \_\_\_ Parking Plan both onsite and offsite (if applicable) including method of transport, layout, ingress and egress, loading and delivery, passenger pick-up/discharge.
11. \_\_\_ Plan, drawings and locations for All Signs.
12. \_\_\_ Lighting Plan. Include Type(s) of lighting, overhead, ground etc. and number of fixtures by type (search lights, strobe lights, laser lights or revolving lights are prohibited, Town Code 283).
13. \_\_\_ Copy of Any Applicable Legal Protective Measures (Covenants, Easements, Indentures or Other Restrictions, Including Approvals/ by the Southampton Town Board, Planning Board, Zoning Board of Appeals or Conservation Board.)
14. \_\_\_ Additional Town permits may be required: (1) Events with Animals (Southampton Town Code §150-9). Contact Department of Animal Control, 702-2915 (2) Events with Fireworks (Southampton Town Code §164-5). Contact Fire Prevention, 702-2919.
15. \_\_\_ Copy of Sanitary, Food Service or other Health related permits issued by the Suffolk County Department of Health Service along with a valid Workers Comp Certificate listing the Town of Southampton as certificate holder. If alcohol is being served, additional insurance for Liquor License and NY State Liquor Permit is required. (See page 3)
16. \_\_\_ Security Company: A copy of a NY State License must be submitted, along with a valid Workers Comp Certificate listing the Town of Southampton as certificate holder and a copy of the Certificate of Liability Insurance. A signed contract must be attached if 250+ attendees are expected along with a security plan (See page 3).
17. \_\_\_ Parking Company: A copy of a valid Workers Comp Certificate and listing the Town of Southampton as certificate holder. A signed contract must be attached if 500+ attendees are expected (See page 3).
18. \_\_\_ Residential Zoning Requirement, CH 283-3H.
19. \_\_\_ Copy of Electrician's Suffolk County Electrician's License (See page 3).

### PLEASE SUBMIT ORIGINAL APPLICATION, PLANS & ALL DOCUMENTATION

I hereby depose and certify that all the above statements and information and all statements and information contained in the supporting documents and drawings attached hereto are true and correct. I hereby agree to provide notice in writing to the Town Clerk's Office immediately, should there be any material changes regarding the information submitted in this application. I hereby authorize officials and employees of the Town of Southampton to enter the property to make any and all inspections necessary in connection with this Special Event.

Sworn to before me this

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

**A false statement made herein is punishable as a class A misdemeanor pursuant to section 210.45 of the penal law of the State of New York.**

*\*NOTICE: A violation of any of these provisions of chapter 283 pertaining to special events permits shall be a misdemeanor and shall be punishable as the chapter provides.*







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## 2021 SPECIAL EVENTS DISCLOSURE AFFIDAVIT

5. During the preceding 24 months before the filing of this application, have any of the following individuals employed any Town officer or employee or a relative thereof involving compensation in an amount of \$500 or more? Said compensation may be directly made, or indirectly made through a corporation or business interest held by any Town officer or employee or their relative.

	Yes	No
a. Owner	_____	_____
b. Applicant	_____	_____
c. Agent for owner or applicant	_____	_____
d. Attorney	_____	_____
e. Other	_____	_____

If the answer to Question 5 is yes, Town Code Chapter 23 requires that the information be provided below:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position (Owner, Agent, Attorney, Other)</u>	<u>Corporation</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

Sworn to before me this  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

**A FALSE STATEMENT MADE HEREIN IS PUNISHABLE AS A CLASS "A" MISDEMEANOR PURSUANT TO SECTION 210.45 OF THE PENAL LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK**

For the purposes of this disclosure, an official of the State of New York or an elected or appointed official or employee of the Town of Southampton shall be deemed to have an interest in the applicant and/or owner when that official or employee, their spouse, brothers, sisters, parents, children, grandchildren or the spouse of any of them is:

- a. the applicant or owner; or
- b. an officer, director, partner, or employee of the applicant or owner; or
- c. Legally or beneficially owns or controls stock of a corporate applicant or owner, or is a member of a partnership or association applicant or owner; or
- d. Is a party to an agreement with the applicant or owner, express or implied, whereby said official or employee may receive any payment or other benefit, whether or not for services rendered, dependent or contingent upon the favorable approval of such application. Ownership of less than five percent of the stock of a corporation whose stock is listed on the New York Stock or American Stock Exchange shall not constitute an interest for the purposes of this disclosure.







