

In the Year of Our Lo	ord Two Thousand and	five	*********************************	**************************************
A RESOLUTION	RELATING TO FRE	E PARKING		
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Resolved by the City Council of the City of Keene, as follows:

WHEREAS: the Keene City Council routinely receives requests for free parking for

events and activities downtown; and

WHEREAS: Having standards and criteria by which these requests are evaluated is

good public policy and assures consistency and equity in managing the

approval of these requests; and

WHEREAS: The Keene City Council wishes to establish uniform standards and

practices to which it would judge the merits of future requests.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED To the extent that parking space is logistically necessary for an event or to assure public safety during the event, the Keene City Council may grant a waiver of applicable parking regulations based upon a demonstration of compliance with the following criteria:

- 1. Must either be sponsored by a non-profit entity or must be for the exclusive financial benefit of a non-profit entity, or must be a governmental entity.
- 2. Must be a leisure activity that appeals to a cross section of the community and which contributes to the vitality of the downtown area of Keene.
- Must be reviewed by the City's public safety agencies to confirm compliance with City laws and public safety issues.

lichael E.J. Blastos, Mayor

PASSED august 4, 2005

A true copy; attest:

City Clerk