

# **TOWN OF FAIRFAX** STAFF REPORT June 1, 2016

TO:

Mayor and Council

FROM:

Michele Gardner, Town Clerk

SUBJECT: Approval of Town Sponsorship of Streets for People Event on August 28,

2016

### RECOMMENDATION

Approve Town sponsorship of the "Streets for People" event and authorize the Town Manager to commit staff and resources for the event including the closure of the Bolinas Road on Sunday, August 28, 2016.

### **DISCUSSION**

Mayor Goddard requested this item be placed on the agenda for consideration. This will be the fifth annual "Streets for People" event in Fairfax. All four, held in August 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015, were sponsored by the Town. The event will be coordinated by Sustainable Fairfax with assistance from the Fairfax Chamber of Commerce. This is a family-friendly affair that includes activities for kids and adults.

Similar to prior years, the Town would provide police officers for traffic control, and Public Works staff would post "no parking" signs in designated areas. The Town would absorb any staff overtime costs within its existing budget and cover the event under its insurance plan. Staff, along with the Ross Valley Fire Department, would issue the necessary permits and would work with the organizers to ensure the event meets Town regulations and policies.

#### FISCAL IMPACT

The Town would absorb the cost of police staff for traffic control (approx. \$700) and any Public Works staff overtime costs(\$45/hour) for tasks that could not be completed during regular work hours.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

None