

DECISION/DIRECTION NOTE

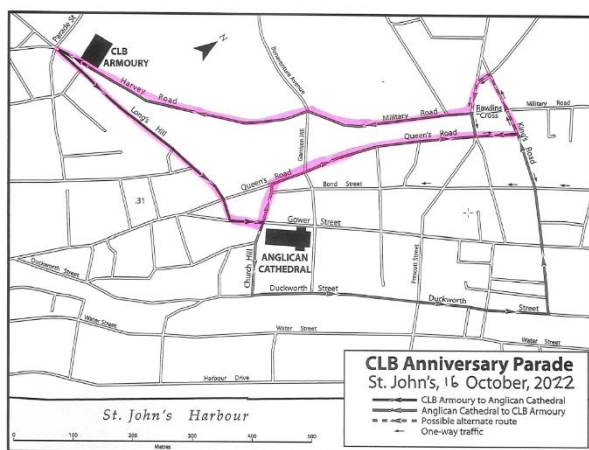
Title: SERC – 2024 Fall Events 2
Date Prepared: September 25, 2024
Report To: Regular Meeting of Council
Councillor and Role: Councillor Jill Bruce, Cruise and Special Events
Ward: N/A

Decision/Direction Required: Seeking Council approval of road closures and noise by-law extensions for the following events: CLB Anniversary Parade on October 20, Cape to Cabot road race on October 20, and George Street Mardi Gras on October 26.

Discussion – Background and Current Status:

CLB Anniversary Parade

- Scheduled to take place on Sunday October 20.
- The Parade will leave the CLB Armory on Harvey Rd at 1:30pm, proceed down Long's Hill, turn left onto Queen's Rd, right onto Church Hill to enter the Anglican Cathedral.
- Following the Church Service, the parade will reform in Veteran's Sq (Queen's Rd at Church Hill) proceed north on Church Hill to Queen's Rd, east on Queen's Rd to Rawlins Cross.
- The unit will turn left onto Military Rd, to Harvey Rd returning to the CLB Armory.
- The Royal Newfoundland Constabulary will be present to implement rolling road closures.



Cape to Cabot Road Race

- Scheduled to take place on Sunday October 20 from 8:00am to 11:00am.

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- The Royal Newfoundland Constabulary for has been secured for this event, along with volunteer road marshals.
- The full route, along with road closures, are listed below.

Blackhead Road – Warford Road to Cape Spear

Closed Both Directions

7:45am – 10:00am

Blackhead Road – Warford Road to Linegar Avenue (lower intersection)

Northbound Lane (downhill) Closed

8:30am – 10:00am

Southside Road – Leslie Street to 245 Southside Rd

Single Lane Traffic

Running Lanes on both sides marked with cones

Traffic controlled by marshals at both ends, with radios

8:45am – 10:15am

Water Street West – Leslie Street to Harbour Drive

Curb Lane Eastbound Closed

Marked with Cones

8:45am – 10:30am

Exit Ramp – Pitts Memorial to Water Street West

Closed

8:45am – 10:30am

Harbour Drive – Water Street to Prescott Street

Eastbound Lane Closed

9:00am – 10:45am

Water Street East – Prescott Street to Hill O’Chips

Eastbound Lane Closed

9:00am – 10:45am

Water Street East – Hill O’Chips to Temperance Street

Eastbound Lane Closed

9:00am – 11:00am

Duckworth Street – Plymouth Road to Temperance Street

Eastbound Lane Closed (except to local residents of Duckworth St)

9:00am – 11:00am

Temperance Street

Both Directions Closed

9:00am – 11:00am

Signal Hill Road – Battery Road to Cabot Avenue

Eastbound Lane (Uphill) Closed

Westbound Lane (Downhill) Closed from St. Joseph's Ln to Battery Rd

9:00am – 11:00am

Access to Battery and Signal Hill Area

Local residents may access/leave Battery Rd via Quidi Vidi Rd

Resident below St. Joseph's Lane on Signal Hill Rd may access Quidi Vidi Rd by descending Signal Hill Rd, all other descending traffic to exit via St. Joseph's Lane.

Local resident access to area controlled at Plymouth Rd and Quidi Vidi Rd.

9:00am – 11:00am

George Street Mardi Gras

- Scheduled to take place on Saturday October 26.
- This is a 19+ event that consists of an on-street costume party and DJ on George Street Stage.
- George Street Association are requesting a noise by-law extension until 12:00am.

Key Considerations/Implications:

1. Budget/Financial Implications: N/A
2. Partners or Other Stakeholders: Royal Newfoundland Constabulary, George Street Association.
3. Is this a New Plan or Strategy: No

If yes, are there recommendations or actions that require progress reporting?

If yes, how will progress be reported? (e.g.: through the strategic plan, through Cascade, annual update to Council, etc.)

4. Alignment with Strategic Directions:

A Connected City: Increase and improve opportunities for residents to connect with each other and the City.

5. Alignment with Adopted Plans: N/A
6. Accessibility and Inclusion: N/A
4. Legal or Policy Implications: N/A
5. Privacy Implications: N/A
6. Engagement and Communications Considerations: Residents will be notified of road closures through a public advisory.
7. Human Resource Implications: N/A
8. Procurement Implications: N/A
9. Information Technology Implications: N/A
10. Other Implications: N/A

Recommendation:

That Council approve the road closures and noise by-law extensions for the following events: CLB Anniversary Parade on October 20, Cape to Cabot road race on October 20, and George Street Mardi Gras on October 26.

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Report Approval Details

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