

AN ORDINANCE

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APPROVING THE PARADE PERMIT AND AUTHORIZING THE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF PORTIONS OF CERTAIN STREETS IN CONNECTION WITH THE 2004 MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. MARCH AND CELEBRATION PROGRAM TO BE HELD FROM 1:00 P.M. SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 2004 UNTIL 7:00 P.M. MONDAY, JANUARY 19, 2004.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby approves the requested parade permit to the **City of San Antonio's Martin Luther King Jr. Commission** to hold the "2003 Martin Luther King, Jr. March and Celebration Program" beginning at 1:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 18, 2004 and 9:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Monday, January 19, 2004.

SECTION 2. In order to hold the "2003 Martin Luther King, Jr. March and Celebration Program" on Sunday, January 18, 2004 and Monday, January 19, 2004, the following streets listed below are hereby authorized to be closed to vehicular traffic:

Celebration Program/Preparation of Stage: New Braunfels from Crockett to Gulf and east Houston from St. James to Polaris will be closed from 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 18, 2004 until 7:00 p.m. on Monday, January 19, 2004, and

Parade Route: Assembling at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, January 19, 2004 at 3500 Martin Luther King, thence west on Martin Luther King to New Braunfels, thence north on New Braunfels, disbanding at Martin Luther King, Jr. Plaza.

SECTION 3. The City Manager is authorized to further implement this ordinance by taking any additional actions deemed necessary to protect the public.

SECTION 4. **City of San Antonio's Martin Luther King Jr. Commission** shall be responsible for the following: shall be responsible for all a) insurance requirements, b) obtaining the required street closure permit fee, and any other fees, and license charges, c) posting signs, barricades, and off-duty police officers, as may be required by the City of San Antonio's Public works and/or Police Departments, to evidence the street closure and to provide for the safety of patrons and the rerouting of traffic and d) cleaning up after the event is held.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall be effective on the 14th day of December, 2003.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 4th day of December, 2003.



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EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST:

Mary Lou Roddy
for City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

[Signature]
City Attorney