



# City of Tulsa

## SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION

### Summary of Event

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Name of Event: Folds of Honor FreedomFest presented by QuikTrip Date(s) of Event: Saturday, July 4, 2026

Location Address: Start: 2300 S. Jackson Ave Council District(s): 4, 2  
End: 1700 S. Jackson Ave

Event Description: 4th of July - Visible for miles around, an estimated 80,000 spectators enjoy the view of the Folds of Honor FreedomFest 2026 presented by QuikTrip Corporation from River West Festival Park and along the Arkansas River.

Event Category: Festival/Celebration

Event Includes: Amplified Sound, Tent/Canopy, Public Right of Way, Public Park, Live Entertainment, Food Sales, Fireworks/Pyrotechnics, No Parking Signage, Street Closure

Anticipated Attendance: Total: 50000 Per Day: 50000

Anticipated Participants: Total: 50000 Per Day: 50000

Number of Events for Monthly Event: No

### Host Organization, Applicant and Professional Event Organizer Information

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Host Organization: River Parks Authority Website: https://www.riverparks.org/

Chief Officer of Host Organization: Tonja Carrigg

Email and Phone: tcarrigg@riverparks.org 918-645-7424

Applicant Name: Ryan Howell

Email and Phone: ryan@riverparks.org 918-596-2008

Professional Event Organizer:

Email and Phone:

On-site Contact: Ryan Howell Mobile: 918-264-9915

Billing Contact: River Parks Authority Phone: 918-596-2008

Billing Address: 2121 S Columbia AVE 205  
Tulsa, 74114

## **Event Timeline and Lane/Street Closure Information**

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**Event Setup:** Date: 07/04/2026 Time: 7am  
Street Closure for Event Setup: Date: 07/04/2026 Time: 10am  
Street(s) to be Closed for Event Setup: Neighborhood - From Jackson Ave to SW Blvd and between 17th St and 23rd St, 10am - Midnight by barricade company.

**Event Start:** Date: 07/04/2026 Time: 6pm  
Street Closure for Event Start: Date: 07/04/2026 Time: 5pm  
Street(s) to be Closed for Event Start: Riverside Dr between 21st St and Houston Ave 5pm - Midnight by TPD.

Run, Walk, Parade Start Time: N/A  
Daily Event Hours: Activities: 6 - 10pm  
Fireworks: 9:30 - 10pm

**Event End:** Date: 07/04/2026 Time: 10pm  
Street Reopens after Event End: Date: 07/04/2026 Time: Midnight

**Event Teardown:** Date: 07/04/2026 Time: 11pm  
Street Reopens after Event Teardown: Date: 07/04/2026 Time: Midnight

## **Secondary Permits Required**

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Beer Sales, Alcohol Sales: Not Applicable  
Number of Food Vendors: 10  
Number of Food Trucks: 10  
Food Cooked on-site: Yes Fuel(s) to be used: Electric, Gas  
Number of Item Vendors: 1 Number of Service Vendors: 1  
Number & Sizes of Tents: 2 tents (one 60x40 and one 20x20) Provider and Phone: Party Pro Rents, 918-622-8102, Dana Barnes, dana@partyprorents.com  
Number of Inflatables: Yes 20 Provider and Phone: Bouncers Kingdom, 918-813-7498  
Number of Amusement Rides: No 0 Provider and Phone: NA  
Use of fireworks, rockets, lasers, or other pyrotechnics: Yes  
Provider and Phone: Rainbow Fireworks, Bethannie Jenkins, beth@fireworks-display.com, 1-620-663-7714

## **Security, Medical, Traffic Control, Crowd Management and Parking Plans**

Security and/or Police: Yes Contact, Email and Phone: Lt Jack Hoehner | TPD Special Events Unit, 918-586-6054, 918-527-0025, jhoehner@cityoftulsa.org.  
Terra Shelton | Special Event Services, 918-688-2169, terra@gsoklahoma.com.

Medical and/or First Aid Services: Yes Contact, Email and Phone: Chad Miller | Tulsa Fire Department, 918-271-2096, JCMiller@cityoftulsa.org.  
Barrett Cramer | Tulsa Fire Department, 918-697-1771, barrettcramer@cityoftulsa.org.

Traffic Control Barricade Company: Yes Contact, Email and Phone: Ben Hill, Action Safety Supply, 918-720-6051, ben@actionsafetysupply.com

Equipment Setup: Date: 07/03/2026 Time: 5pm Equipment Pickup: Date: 07/06/2026 Time: 8am

Crowd Management Fencing Company: No Contact, Email and Phone: N/A

Equipment Setup: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Equipment Pickup: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Parking Type: Street, ADA parking available, Paved Lot

Transportation Service: No service

Transportation Service: Contact, Email and Phone: N/A

## **Sponsor and Other Event Information**

Event Sponsor(s): River Parks Authority and QuikTrip

Park: Yes Name of Park and Location: River Parks, 2100 S Jackson Ave

Drone: No

Portable Toilets: Yes Provider and Phone: Jim Talley | At Your Service Rentals, 918.272.0568, 918.344.7042, jim@aysrentals.com

Total Number of Portable Toilets: 70 Number of ADA Accessible Portable Toilets: 10

Equipment Setup: Date: 07/03/2026 Time: 7

Equipment Pickup: Date: 07/06/2026 Time: 7

Other Event Information: See attachment(s). Due to weather, road construction or unforeseen circumstances, the timelines for activities and closures (including relocation, if necessary) are subject to change. TPD will close the 21st St Bridge, Riverside Dr between 21st St and 31st St, and 23rd St at SW Blvd from 9 p.m. to Midnight (subject to change).

**Entertainment and Related Activities**

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Number of Stages: 1

Number of Performers/Bands: 1

Performer/Band name and music type: Cover band and DJ

Sound Amplification: Yes

Start Time: 5pm

Finish Time: 10pm

Please describe the sound equipment that will be used for your event:

Outdoor stage sound speakers

Sound checks conducted prior to the event: No

Start Time: N/A

Finish Time: N/A

Hot air balloons, fire lanterns or similar devices used at event: No Describe:

N/A

Use of any signs, banners, decorations, or special lighting used at event: No Describe:

N/A

**Mitigation of Impact**

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Please describe your plan for cleanup and removal of recyclable goods, waste and garbage during and after your event: River Parks staff and contractors and volunteers will clean up

Number of Trash Receptacles: 200

Number of Dumpsters: 2

Number of Recycling Containers: 0

Cleanup Service: Yes Provider and Phone: Hawkeye Professional Services, LLC, 918-724-0544, HawkeyeProServi

Presented Event Concept to:

Residents, Businesses

If not presented, please explain:

N/A

**Affidavit of Applicant**

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I certify that the information contained in this Application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. That I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the rules and regulations governing this Event. I agree to comply with all requirements of the City, County and State, and any other regulatory entity related to this Event. I agree to pay and be financially responsible for any costs and fees that may be incurred by the City of Tulsa due to the Event. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Tulsa, and all City of Tulsa officers, employees, agents, representatives, from any claims (including cost of defending such claims) or damages that may arise from activities related to the Event. I understand that a Permit does not excuse my failure to comply with orders of law enforcement personnel, firefighters, City Event personnel, or emergency workers, and does not provide immunity from civil claims of third parties that are based upon injuries sustained at, or in conjunction with this Event.

Initials:                     On File

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**For City of Tulsa Special Events Committee Use Only**

Date received: 04/27/2026      Date routed: 06/14/2026      Date for review: 06/24/2026

Special Events Committee Recommendation: \_\_\_\_\_      Yes  No  \_\_\_\_\_

Date routed to Mayor: \_\_\_\_\_      Mayor's Recommendation: Yes  No  \_\_\_\_\_

Date routed to Council: \_\_\_\_\_      City Council Approval: Yes  No  \_\_\_\_\_

Date Permit Issued: \_\_\_\_\_      Comments: SEC meeting 06/17/2026. Mayor agenda 06/24/2026. City Council agenda 06/24/2026. Application revised 06/14/2026.

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FOLDS of HONOR  
**FreedomFest**  
presented by  
**QT**  
 Friday, July 4th, 2025

Best Viewing Locations

River West Festival Park  
 2100 S. Jackson Ave

Zink Lake Watch Zone  
 1800 S. Riverside Dr.

Fireworks Display  
 9:30 - 10:00 pm

[www.freedomfesttulsa.com](http://www.freedomfesttulsa.com)

Tulsa Police will close  
 21st St bridge, Riverside from  
 21st to 31st and West 23rd  
 Street at 9pm or earlier

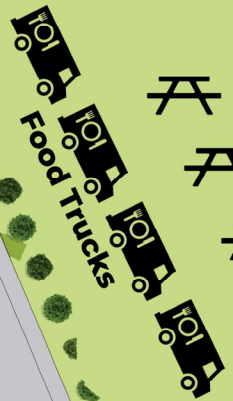


FOLDS of HONOR  
**FreedomFest**



Main Stage

**HF Sinclair**  
Kids Zone



Food Trucks



Stars & Stripes  
Sponsors  
Pavillion



Food Trucks



JACKSON AVE

PARK  
HERE  
**20**

Main  
Entrance

Exit  
to 23rd St  
Parking

5 p.m. - Midnight by TPD



ZINK LAKE EAST BANK



\*See W 17th St Traffic Detail

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**Author:** Ben Hill **Project:** Freedom Fest  
**Comments:** NOT TO SCALE. 10 a.m. - Midnight by barricade co.

