




CITY OF SANTA FE

Memorandum

Date: June 18, 2025

To: Governing Body and Quality of Life Committee

From: Andréa Salazar, City Clerk 

RE: Alcohol Approval for Wine and Chile Fiesta's Chile Friday

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The proposed resolution would grant permission to the Santa Fe Wine and Chile Fiesta to serve beer, wine, cider, and mixed drinks that include liquor at the Santa Fe Wine and Chile Fiesta's Chile Friday tasting event on City of Santa Fe ("City") property, specifically Fort Marcy Park/ Mager's Field, on the last Friday of September from the years 2025 -2029.

BACKGROUND:

SFCC 1987, Section 23-6.1, requires the Governing Body to adopt a resolution to allow consumption of alcohol on City property at locations that are not specifically listed in Section 23-6.2(A). The resolution must identify the event, date, hours, location, number of expected attendees, type of alcohol to be served, required permits, and insurance as required by the City's Code.

The proposed resolution addresses the required elements:

- the event is the Santa Fe Wine and Chile Fiesta's Chile Friday tasting event;
- the location is Fort Marcy Park/Mager's Field;
- the dates are September 26, 2025, September 25, 2026, September 24, 2027, September 29, 2028, and September 28, 2029;
- the time is from 12:00 p.m. through 3:00 p.m.;
- the alcohol served will be beer, wine, cider and mixed drinks that include liquor;
- 1,850 attendees are expected;
- a Public Celebration Permit, a Special Dispenser Permit, and an Interstate Wine Tasting/Competition Permit is required; and
- the liquor liability and general liability insurance will list the City as an additional insured in the amount of not less than \$2,000,000, per occurrence and in the aggregate.

Chile Friday is a tasting event serving mixed beverages with liquor. Tasting events are authorized pursuant to SFCC 1987, Section 23-6.3(B)(7).



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ATTACHMENTS:

Resolution
Fiscal Impact Report