



CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, N.Y.
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Honorable Members of the City Council
1 Roosevelt Square
Mount Vernon, New York 10220

Re: 3rd Annual Big Block Party

June 30, 2025

Dear Honorable City Council Members:

The City of Mount Vernon Fire Department has no objections to the 3rd Annual Big Block Party on Saturday August 23, 2025.

The celebration will be held on So. 4th Avenue from 12:00pm until 5:00pm, we further understand that So. 4th Ave between 2nd Street and 3rd Street will be closed due to the celebration.

Food vendors shall comply with FDMV Mobile Food Preparation guidelines; fire extinguishers shall be present at each cooking station. Please ensure the roadway will remain passable in event of an emergency vehicles access.

Respectfully submitted:

Theodore W. Beale, Jr.
Deputy Fire Commissioner

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