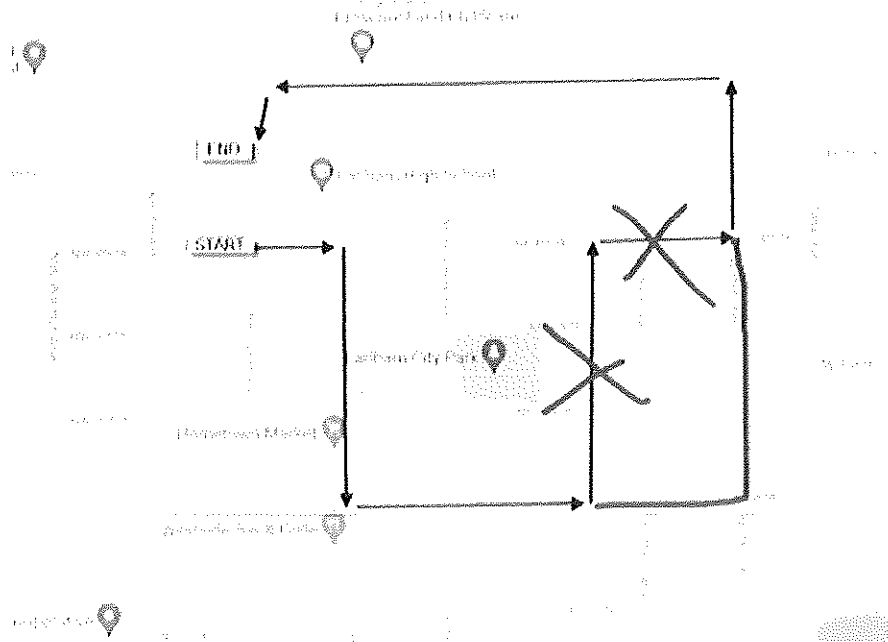


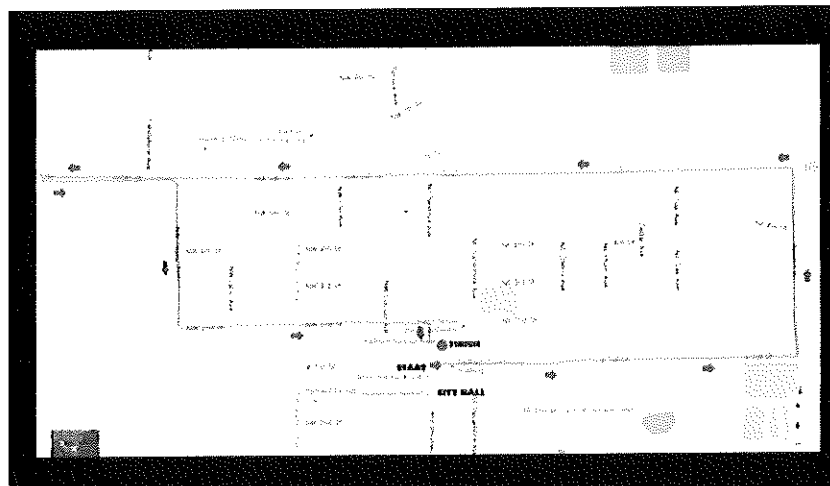
Freedom Fest 2023 will begin Monday, JULY 3<sup>RD</sup> at 2 PM at the park with the cornhole tournament, followed by the carnival opening at 4 PM and the street dance that night. The parade and other park activities will be Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>.

### Parade Route- Tuesday, July 4th



Parade route is the same as last year. We will be leaving from the school, headed down Chestnut, Turning on 1<sup>st</sup> street and then turning down Plum, then head back to the school. Parade time will be line up at 10 am and parade start at 10:30 am. Can we get "No Parking Parade Route" signs posted ahead of time?

### 5k Route-Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>



The 5k will be the same route as previous years. Can we get the route marked again? We need to have that done prior to the event. Here is the map. 8 am start time.

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### City Park Lay Out-Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>



This is a rough draft park layout. New this year is the Carnival. The red marks are the streets that need to be blocked off so that no one parks around the park or in these designated areas. The carnival will be setting up Sunday evening/Monday morning to allow them to open Monday afternoon. We are asking to have those streets blocked early to facilitate carnival set up. The carnival will go all the way up 2<sup>nd</sup> st. The carnival will extend slightly north onto Sycamore, but then extend south on Sycamore all the way until 1<sup>st</sup> street. The streets we are requesting to be blocked would be Sycamore and the corner of NE 3<sup>rd</sup>, Sycamore and across the sidewalk of NE 2<sup>nd</sup>, and where Sycamore meets 1<sup>st</sup> street. The alley east of the tennis courts on 2<sup>nd</sup> would also need to be blocked as well as the alley directly across the park on the north side of 3<sup>rd</sup> street. Maple and the corner of 3<sup>rd</sup> as well as Maple and the corner of 2<sup>nd</sup> also need to be blocked. 3<sup>rd</sup> street wouldn't necessarily need to be blocked Sunday evening, but could be if you are wanting to do it all at once, otherwise Monday evening would work, so that people aren't parking around the park for Tuesday's events. The cornhole tournament will be at the park Monday afternoon on that side, but shouldn't be a problem if people access 3rd street that day.

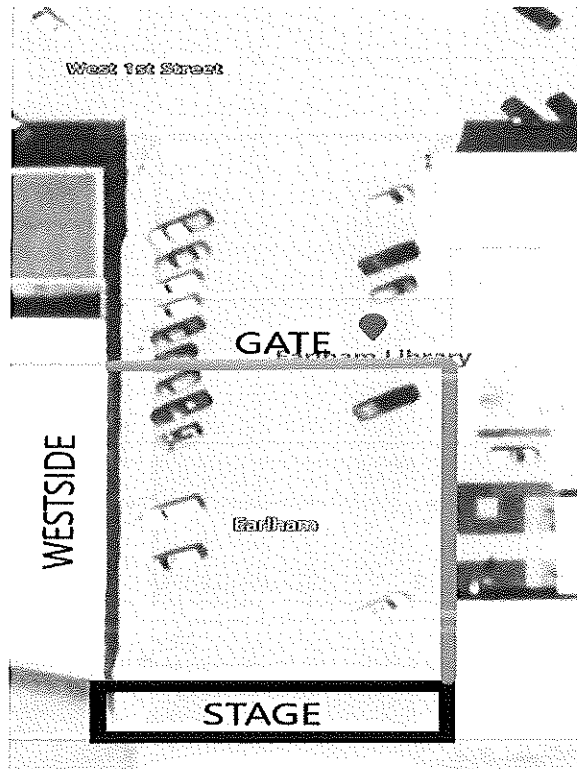
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The freedom fest has really grown in size. One of the problems we ran into last year is we did not have enough trash receptacles throughout the park. This year we are requesting 7 dumpsters as well as 10 trash bins to be stationed throughout the park. See pic for reference. We are also looking into added some additional portable bathrooms on either side of the park. Additional dumpsters would be located in alley, along with possibly a few more portable bathrooms in this area.

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### Street Dance-Monday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>



Would the fire department be willing to fill the barrels for the street dance Monday evening? Can we have approval to have the sound ordinance extended until 12 pm on Monday, due to the street dance?

Also, would it be ok to leave the semi-trailers (stage) in the street overnight like last year and move them early in the morning.

In the past, the band has had access to the Old Master Griller building for electric. Can we still have access to that for the street dance?

Further discussion of carnival crew and the use of pool facilities and where to park their campers. Few sites recommended were grassy area to the south of city maintenance shed and/or pool parking lot. Electrical hook-ups??