

TO: Mayor Robinson and City Council

FROM: Jeffrey L. McCormick, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: Final Stretch Dualathon

DATE: February 25, 2016

BACKGROUND

The City has received a request from Final Stretch, Inc. to hold a Duathlon in Cannon Falls on April 30, 2016. The event does result in the closure of some streets and limited interruption to other streets and the trail. Final Stretch hires the Police Department to provide off-duty officers to do traffic control, and is billed for the cost of doing so. Final Stretch, Inc. has been doing this event for the past several years without any problems. The setup begins around 6am and is the race is finished around noon with takedown following.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

I respectfully request a motion and approve the request from Final Stretch, Inc. to hold a Duathlon in Cannon Falls on April 30, 2016 and authorize the Police Department to close any streets and trails they determine are necessary for the safety of the event.