

Legislation Text

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Committee on Special Events and Cultural Affairs City Council Meeting May 4, 2011 Alderman Brendan Reilly, 42<sup>nd</sup> Ward Special Event Fee Waiver

ORDERED, That the Director of Revenue is hereby authorized and directed to issue the following licenses and permits, free of charge to the Consul General of Turkey in Chicago, for the special event "Chicago Turkish Festival" scheduled to take place Sunday, May 22, 2011 through Wednesday, May 25, 2011 at Daley Plaza, 50 West Washington Street.

Tent and Canopy Permits, Itinerant Merchant License Fees and Temporary Food Vendor Licenses Fees, Special Event Permit, Street Closure Permit, and all other permits and fees related to this event

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April 22, 2011

Mr. Brendan Reilly Alderman 42<sup>nd</sup> Ward 311 West Superior, Suite 212 Chicago, IL 60610

Dear Alderman Reilly:

This is a special request for your consideration to waive the Itinerant Merchant and Food & Liquor License fees for the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Chicago Turkish Festival which will be held at the Daley Plaza from Sunday, May 22, 2011 through Wednesday, May 25, 2011. As you may know, Chicago Turkish Festival is being organized by a group of volunteers with the support the Consul General of Turkey in Chicago. The funding for the festival is made possible by a local nonprofit organization namely Turkish American Cultural Alliance.

Since the above mentioned fees have been waived by you for past seven years, we hope that you would diligently consider our request once again this year.

Please feel free to contact me at 312-933-4635 should you have any questions, concerns or need further information.

Sincerely,

Hatice Dine Chair Festival Committee

Turkish American Cultural Alliance