

Special Events Weekly Digest

Friday, August 2 – Thursday, August 8

City of Raleigh Special Events Office
specialevents@raleighnc.gov | (919) 996-2200 | www.raleighnc.gov/specialevents

Permitted Special Events

First Friday Market Series

Hargett Street

Friday, August 2

Event Time: 7:00pm - 11:00pm

Associated Road Closures: E. Hargett Street between Fayetteville Street and S. Wilmington Street will be closed from 6:00pm until 11:59pm.

Downtown Raleigh Food Truck Rodeo

Fayetteville Street District

Sunday, August 4

Event Time: 3:00pm - 9:00pm

Associated Road Closures: Fayetteville Street between Morgan Street and Lenoir Street, and Hargett Street, Martin Street, and Davie Street between S. Salisbury Street and S. Wilmington Street will be closed from 6:00am until 11:59pm. The 500 block of Fayetteville Street will remain open for local traffic only.

Raleigh Scooter Education Tabling

Exchange Plaza

Monday, August 5

Event Time: 11:00am - 4:00pm

Associated Road Closures: No roads will be closed for the event. Exchange Plaza will be used from 10:30am until 4:30pm.

NCSU Old Tuffy Beer Launch Party

Oberlin Road

Monday, August 5

Event Time: 5:00pm - 9:00pm

Associated Road Closures: Oberlin Road between Hillsborough Street and the roundabout will be closed from 9:00am until 11:00pm.

Raleigh Night Market

City Market

Thursday, August 8

Event Time: 5:30pm - 10:30pm

Associated Road Closures: Parham Street between Martin Street and Wolfe Street, Wolfe Street between Blount Street and Blake Street, and Blake Street between Martin Street and Davie Street will be closed from 2:00pm until 11:59pm.

Other Events This Weekend

First Friday Raleigh

Friday, August 2

Downtown Raleigh

KIDZ BOP

Friday, August 2

Coastal Credit Union Music Park at Walnut Creek

Original Sewing & Quilt Expo

Friday, August 2 – Saturday, August 3
Raleigh Convention Center

Moore Square Grand Opening Celebration

Saturday, August 3
Moore Square Park

Why Don't We

Saturday, August 3
Red Hat Amphitheater

moe. and Blues Traveler

Sunday, August 4
Red Hat Amphitheater

Summer Concert Series: Thelonius

Sunday, August 4
Pullen Park

Moore Movies – The Iron Giant

Sunday, August 4
Moore Square Park

Neha Kakkar – Live in Concert

Sunday, August 4
Meymandi Concert Hall

Public Resources

Event Feedback Form: Tell us what you think about Raleigh events! We welcome citizen and participant feedback and encourage you to provide comments or concerns about any events regulated by the Special Events Office. We will use this helpful information in future planning.

Temporary Road Closures: A resource providing current information on street closures in Raleigh.

Online Events Calendar: View all currently scheduled events that are regulated by the City of Raleigh Special Events Office.

Council Member Follow Up



Raleigh

MEMO

TO: Ruffin Hall, City Manager

FROM: Cassandra Deck-Brown, Chief

DEPARTMENT: Police

DATE: August 1, 2019

SUBJECT: Council Inquiry Regarding LGBT's Website

Upon further review of the LGBT Center's website, we found that the center had noted one of the community officers in the downtown district on their site as a resource. This is not unusual for a community, apartment complex, community watch group, Next Door and other community groups to notify their members of a police point of contact. However, I would yield with extreme caution in noting a single officer who is actually one of several officers serving businesses and residences in the Downtown District to include the LGBT Center. By posting a single community officer on the city's website as a liaison for any one community would not be totally accurate or totally effective because community officers are all over the city and in each police district and all of them are expected to liaise with all communities they serve.

In my conversation with the new LGBT Director following Mr. Miller's retirement, we discussed the importance of serving all within the LGBT Community and as she is rolling out her vision of inclusivity, the RPD will have an even greater role and partnership with the LGBT Community. It is important to establish this greater partnership from a more global community perspective because the while the LGBT Center is a resource, the greater LGBTQAI community lives, works, plays and learns throughout all of the City of Raleigh.

Municipal Building
222 West Hargett Street
Raleigh, North Carolina 27601

One Exchange Plaza
1 Exchange Plaza, Suite 1020
Raleigh, North Carolina 27601

City of Raleigh
Post Office Box 590 • Raleigh
North Carolina 27602-0590
(Mailing Address)



Raleigh

MEMO

TO: Ruffin Hall, City Manager

FROM: C. L. Deck-Brown, Chief of Police

DEPARTMENT: Police

DATE: August 1, 2019

SUBJECT: Special Operations Division

The Special Operations Division is a compact and flexible unit that often sees the nature of its assignments change in response to crime trends and other identified special needs. Currently, the Special Operations Division is allocated 104 personnel: 88 sworn positions and 16 civilian positions. Special Operations Budget for fiscal year 2019-2020 is approximately \$9.2 million.

The Special Operations Division facilitates a unity of investigational and tactical teams that work together to form a joint force that is capable of effectively addressing nearly every possible situation. Major operational elements of the Special Operations Division include:

- Selective Enforcement Unit;
- DWI Unit;
- Traffic Enforcement Unit;
- Staff Planning and Logistics Unit;
- Code Enforcement Unit;
- Net Forces/Permits;
- K-9 Unit;
- Animal Control Unit
- Mounted Unit;
- Crash Reconstruction Unit;
- Taxi Inspections; and,
- Secondary Employment.

This Division closely monitors statistical information generated by the Department's Crime Analysts and the Records Section, along with intelligence gathered from the Field Operations District Commands and other sources. It maintains direct relationships both with district commanders and with the Detective Division, and provides the districts with resources that specifically target criminal activities and assist with investigations.

Municipal Building
222 West Hargett Street
Raleigh, North Carolina 27601

One Exchange Plaza
1 Exchange Plaza, Suite 1020
Raleigh, North Carolina 27601

City of Raleigh
Post Office Box 590 • Raleigh
North Carolina 27602-0590
(Mailing Address)