



## City of Tacoma Special Events Office

**JUNE 14, 2018**

### **To local resident or business owner:**

This notice is to inform you of a pending application for a Special Event Permit which will impact roads and/or other public right-of-way in your neighborhood. Closing the road during this event is required for the greatest public safety. Efforts will be made to minimize the impact to your residence or business. Event coordinators are required to instruct participants to follow all applicable City, State and Federal laws. Access to private driveways, parking lots/garages, sidewalks, walkways and/or alley ways may be delayed during the event; emergency vehicles will always have access to roads. This letter has been mailed to the general surrounding area as part of our public notification process. Please feel free to share with others in your neighborhood.

### **ROAD CLOSURE IMPACTS AND EVENT INFORMATION**

**Silverstone Beer Garden and performance stage** – St. Helens between S. 9th and Opera Alley.

Event hours: Sound check at 4:00 pm; event 5:00 PM on Saturday, July 14 – 12:00 AM on Sunday, July 15, 2018.

Approximate road closure time: 6:00 AM Saturday, July 14 – 2:00 AM Sunday, July 15, 2018.

**Noise code information:** The event is proposing commercial music not to exceed 85 dBA at the edge of the event until 12:00 AM. This could result in sound impacts to the neighborhood that varies by the distance from the event. Common noise comparisons include a lawn mower at the edge of the event, at 100' from the event it will sound like standing 10' from a vacuum cleaner (73 dBA), at 300' it will sound like normal speech at 3' (65 dBA), at 1000' from the event it will sound like urban daytime noise (56 dBA), and at 2000' it will sound like average in home activities (50 dBA).

If you have concerns about the event sounds and/or hours, please contact the event coordinator indicated below and City staff.

### **PLEASE CONTACT THE EVENT COORDINATOR WITH SPECIFIC EVENT RELATED QUESTIONS**

**NOTE:** This event is not associated with Tacoma Pride Festival or the Mix Pride Block Party, presented by the Rainbow Center. Please direct all questions and concerns to Club Silverstone.

**Event coordinator:** Cheryle at Club Silverstone (253) 265-8614 [cherylef@comcast.net](mailto:cherylef@comcast.net) or visit <http://clubsilverstone.com/parties.html>.

### **SPECIAL EVENTS OFFICE**

The City's Special Events Office makes every effort to notify the public of impacts to neighborhoods. Festivals, parades and fairs can be positive impacts to the economy as long as ample advance notice has been provided and businesses and residents can plan to navigate around or to the event. For general information about the City's Special Events Program, contact our office at (253) 573-2523 or [kdralle@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:kdralle@cityoftacoma.org). You can view our online calendar of pending events at [www.cityoftacoma.org/events](http://www.cityoftacoma.org/events).

