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ORDINANCE NO. 17668


WHEREAS, the aforementioned are not-for-profit corporations committed to organizing, planning, and promoting events which capture public attention, build positive visions for the future, foster cooperation among Topeka’s varied institutions, and celebrate Topeka’s unique historic downtown.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS:

Section 1. Authorization is hereby given to Downtown Inc., The Greater Topeka Chamber of Commerce and The Topeka Convention and Visitors Bureau to hold “Thursday Live – Meet Me Downtown” events on 9th Street between Kansas Avenue and Jackson Street on May 24, May 31, June 7, June 14, June 21, June 28 and August 30, September 6, September 13, September 14, September 15, September 20 and September 27, 2001.

Authorization also is given to barricade 9th Street between Kansas Avenue and Jackson Street between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. Attendance to “Thursday Live – Meet Me Downtown” events is open to the public between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. Licensed retailers may sell non-alcoholic commodities or food between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m., and event attendees may buy, possess and consume cereal malt beverages on the barricaded portion of 9th Street during 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall be null and void on October 1, 2001.
Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its
passage, approval and publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED and APPROVED by the City Council March 27, 2001.

Joan Wagnon, Mayor

ATTEST:

Iris E. Walker, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY
DATE 3/27/2001
TO BE CODIFIED
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