



City of Denton

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AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Denton Parks and Recreation

ACM: Christine Taylor, Assistant City Manager

DATE: July 15, 2025

SUBJECT

Consider adoption of an ordinance of the City of Denton granting the North Texas State Fair Association a three-year noise exception for the North Texas Fair and Rodeo which will be held August 15-24, 2025, August 14-23, 2026, and August 13-22, 2027, at 2217 N. Carroll Boulevard; and providing an effective date.

BACKGROUND

The North Texas State Fair Association is a volunteer-supported, 501(c)(3) non-profit community organization that preserves and promotes western heritage and values. The North Texas Fair and Rodeo contributes to the quality of life in the City of Denton, Denton County, and throughout the North Texas area. This is done through a first-class nine-day Fair and Rodeo, year-round facilities, and various community and youth-oriented programs and events. The North Texas State Fair Association strives to preserve and promote an understanding of the agricultural industry. The North Texas State Fair Association is true and committed to its mission of supporting Youth, Agriculture, and the Community. All revenue generated is reinvested into various programs, scholarships, and facilities

The North Texas State Fair Association requests an exception to the noise ordinance in sound levels and variance in hours of operation for amplified sound levels on August 15-24, 2025, August 14-23, 2026, and August 13-22, 2027, Monday through Thursday from 10:00 p.m. to midnight; Friday and Saturday from 10:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.; and Sunday from 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. at 2217 N. Carroll Blvd.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval.

PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW

On July 23, 2019, City Council approved a three-year exception to the noise ordinance for the North Texas Fair and Rodeo under Ordinance #19-1726.

On June 7, 2022, City Council approved a three-year exception to the noise ordinance for the North Texas Fair and Rodeo under Ordinance #22-1028

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1- Agenda Information Sheet

Exhibit 2- Ordinance

Exhibit 3- Letter of Request

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Respectfully submitted:
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