

# Council Rooms, City of Rockford

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April 20, 2026

By Alderman Bonne on behalf of the Code and Regulation Committee:

WHEREAS, the ETHNIC HERITAGE MUSEUM (MOU w/CCS, LA ONDA AND SWIFT ) a Non-for-Profit Organization has submitted a request for a Special Event Permit, and a Not-for-Profit Liquor Permit; and

WHEREAS, Staff reviewed the request and approved the same based on plans submitted.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that City Council approves the request for a Special Event Permit, and a Not-for-Profit Liquor Permit for South Main Mercado. The event will be held on Sunday, June 7, 2026. The event hours are Noon-7 p.m. The event location will be on South Main Street between Loomis Street and Kent Street.

For the purposes of insurance, this approval shall be considered a lease of such facilities for a nominal consideration.

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Committee action taken: April 13, 2026