

# Council Rooms, City of Rockford

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Date: March 16, 2026

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

WHEREAS, Michael Thomas has submitted a request for a Special Event Permit;  
and

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

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that City Council approves the request for a Special Event Permit No Kings Event, which is a national movement united across cities and communities, demanding an end to authoritarian overreach and standing on Democracy. The event will take place at 116 North Water Street (City Market Pavilion) on March 28<sup>th</sup> from 11 a.m. -1 p.m.

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

AH:sa

Committee action taken: March 9, 2026