

**RESOLUTION 11-13 Passed February 28, 2011**

**SEEKING PERMISSION TO REGULATE  
TRAFFIC ON ILLINOIS ROUTE 38 BETWEEN  
FIRST STREET AND FOURTH STREET  
MONDAY, MAY 30, 2011 FOR THE PURPOSE  
OF HOLDING A MEMORIAL DAY PARADE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of DeKalb is sponsoring a Memorial Day parade in the City of DeKalb, which event constitutes a public purpose; and,

**WHEREAS**, this parade will require the temporary closure of Illinois Route 38/Lincoln Highway, a State highway in the City of DeKalb, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Monday, May 30, 2011 from Illinois Route 23/Fourth Street to First Street; and,

**WHEREAS**, Section 4-408 of the Illinois Highway Code authorizes the Department of Transportation to issue permits to local authorities for the temporary closure of portions of State highways for such public purposes; now,

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL** of the City of DeKalb, Illinois, as follows:

**Section 1.** That permission to close Illinois Route 38 between First Street and Fourth Street, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. on Monday, May 30, 2011 for the purpose of holding a Memorial Day Parade be requested of the Department of Transportation.

**Section 2.** That if such permission is granted, traffic from that closed portion of highway shall be detoured over routes with an all-weather surface that can accept the anticipated traffic, which will be maintained to the satisfaction of the Department and which is conspicuously marked for the benefit of traffic diverted from the State highway. (The parking of vehicles shall be prohibited on the detour routes to allow an uninterrupted flow of two-way traffic.) The detour route shall be the same in both directions and as follows:

**BEGINNING AT THE INTERSECTION OF ILLINOIS ROUTE 38 AND ILLINOIS ROUTE 23 THE DETOUR ROUTE WILL GO SOUTH ON FOURTH STREET TO FRANKLIN STREET, THEN WEST ON FRANKLIN STREET, THEN NORTH ON SOUTH FIRST STREET, RETURNING TO ILLINOIS ROUTE 38.**

The City of DeKalb assumes full responsibility for the direction, protection and regulation of the traffic during the time the detour is in effect. Police Officers or authorized flaggers shall, at the expense of the City of DeKalb, be positioned at each end of the closed section and at other points (such as intersections) as may be necessary to assist in directing traffic through the detour. The Police Officers, flaggers and officials shall permit emergency vehicles in emergency situations to pass through the closed area as swiftly as is safe for all concerned.

**Section 3.** That if such permission is granted by the Department of Transportation, the City of DeKalb assumes full responsibility for the direction, protection and regulation of two through-bound traffic lanes during the time the event is in effect, and all liabilities for damages of any kind occasioned by closing of the state highway, and it is further agreed that all weather traffic control devices will be maintained in accordance with the "Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices", and to the satisfaction of the Department and effectively placed for the benefit of traffic diverted.

**Section 4.** That all debris shall be removed by the City of DeKalb prior to the re-opening of the state highway.


**Section 5.** That a copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the Department of Transportation to serve as a formal request for the permission sought in this Resolution and to operate as part of the conditions of such permission.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL** of the City of DeKalb, Illinois at a regular meeting thereof held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011 and approved by me as Mayor on the same day. Passed on the Consent Agenda by roll call vote: 8-0. Aye: Simpson, Teresinski, Verbic, Gallagher, Naylor, Baker, Kammes, Povlsen.

**ATTEST:**

  
STEVEN C KAPITAN, City Clerk



  
KRIS POVLSSEN, Mayor