

November 1, 2012

To: Mayor John Dickert & Common Council

A group of local artists and business people with a common interest in the art's and community are looking to continue the long tradition of Racine's Monument Square Art Fair by bringing the event back to Monument Square on Saturday June 1 and Sunday June 2 in 2013.

The two day event will welcome over 70 juried artists and thousands of visitors to Downtown. The event will receive support from the Racine Arts Council and will give back to the community through the RAC.

We are requesting approval to use Monument Square and to close Monument Square Drive from the Parks and Recreation Department.

Via this letter we are also requesting to close 5th Street from Main Street to Wisconsin Avenue for these two days, starting early Saturday morning and ending late Sunday afternoon.

The permission to close these streets is vital to proceeding with any plans for the event. Please forward this request to the Public Works and Services committee. Thanks in advance for your attention to this.

All the Best,

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