



To: Members of the Arlington Select Board

From: Linda Shoemaker

Date: April 18, 2019

**RE: PORCHFEST and the Beer Garden**

Dear members of the Arlington Select Board,

I am writing with an update on plans for the shared use of Whittemore Park on June 8, by Arlington Porchfest and the Beer Garden.

ACA and the Aeronaut Brewing Company have worked out a space use plan that will put the "Porchfest HQ" Tent at the corner of Mass Ave and RT 60, just inside the Park entrance, where Aeronaut normally places their food vendor. Aeronaut will locate the food tent elsewhere that day, to allow the Arlington Center for the Arts team to distribute maps and information about Porchfest.

The Porchfest HQ tent will be accessed from the sidewalk, so people wishing to pick up a map will not need to enter the beer garden. A barrier will be placed behind the Porchfest tent so anyone wishing to enter the beer garden will need to enter through the regular entrance and the security check. A site plan is attached.

ACA is happy with this arrangement, and sees the addition of the Beer Garden on Porchfest as a positive contribution to the fun and festivity of the day.

With many thanks for your support,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Linda Shoemaker". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Linda Shoemaker  
Executive Director

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Diagram of Proposed Site Plan for Arlington Porchfest Headquarters & Beer Garden, June 8, 2019

