



Town of Arlington Select Board

Meeting Agenda

May 28, 2025

7:45 PM

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1. Legislative Provision for Remote Participation

CONSENT AGENDA

2. Rainbow Commission Requests
 - a) Crosswalk Paintings
 - b) Banners
 - c) ProclamationRamsha Baluch, Director of Diversity Equity & Inclusion
3. Proclamation
4. Request: Special (One Day) Beer & Wine License, 6/7, 6/14, 6/28, 7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26, 8/2, 8/9, 8/16, 8/23, 8/30, 9/5, 9/13, 9/27@ Jason Russell House for a Beer Garden
Robert Brazile, Chair
Arlington Historical Society

Next Scheduled Meeting of Select Board June 9, 2025

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Topic: Select Board Meeting

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Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Legislative Provision for Remote Participation



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Rainbow Commission Requests

Summary:

- a) Crosswalk Paintings
- b) Banners
- c) Proclamation

Ramsha Baluch, Director of Diversity Equity & Inclusion

ATTACHMENTS:

Type	File Name	Description
▢ Reference Material	2025_Pride_Banner_Application_and_Design.pdf	Banner Application and Design
▢ Reference Material	Banner_Schedule.pdf	Banner Schedule
▢ Reference Material	Banner_Locations.pdf	Banner Locations
▢ Reference Material	2025_Rainbow_Crosswalk_Painting.pdf	Crosswalk Painting Proposal
▢ Reference Material	2025_Pride_Proclamation.pdf	Pride Proclamation

**TOWN OF ARLINGTON
TEMPORARY BANNER PERMIT APPLICATION**

Applicant and Sponsoring Organization Information

Name of Organization / Sponsor: LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission

Address: 27 Maple Street City: Arlington State: MA Zip: 02476

Applicant Name: Ramsha Baluch Tel#: 781-316-3250

E-mail: rainbow@town.arlington.ma.us

Banner Information

Event Name: Pride Month Celebration Event Date(s): June 1-June 30, 2025

Request Installation Date: June 1, 2025 Date Removed: June 30, 2025

Requested Location: Street (specify): Mass Ave, Arlington Center

Other (specify): _____

Banner Message: Happy Pride Banner

Material: Vinyl

Required Attachments

Banner Design, Color, Wording and Dimensions ☐

Banner Location Site Map ☐

After banner has been approved at a Select Board Meeting, you are responsible for having the banner made and getting it out to the Public Works Department a week prior to the installation date. They are located at 51 Grove Street, 781-316-3100.

Approved by the Select Board ☐

Date Approved: _____

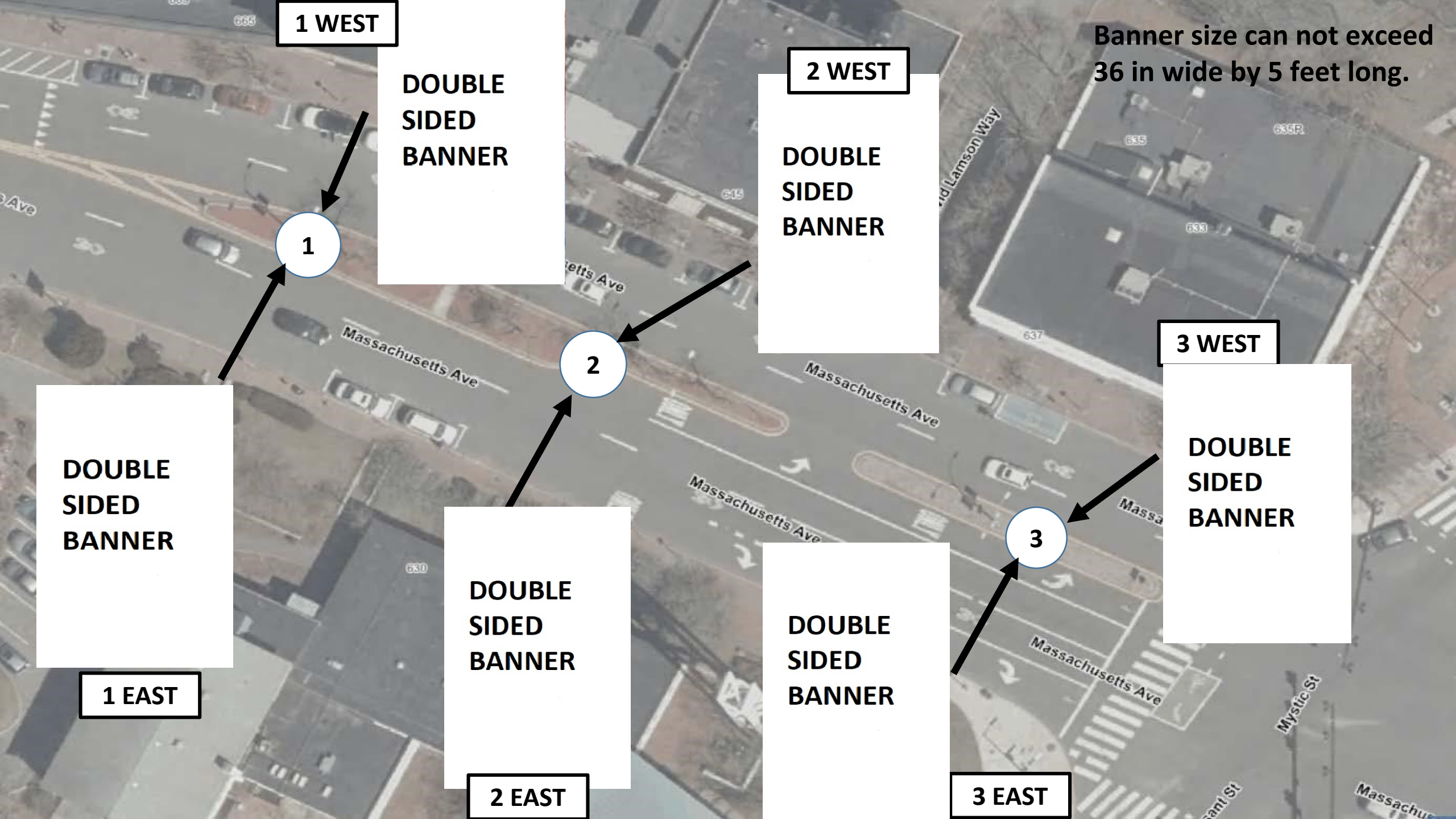


**HAPPY
PRIDE**



Banner Schedule - 2025

MONTH	EVENT	EVENT	EVENT	EVENT	EVENT
January					
February	Black History Month				
March	3/28/2025 Semiquencentennial Banners - Katie				
April	2025 Semiquencentennial Banners - Katie				
May	2025 Semiquencentennial Banners - Katie				
June	Pride Month				
July					
August	Farmers Market				
September	Farmers Market				
October					
November					
December					



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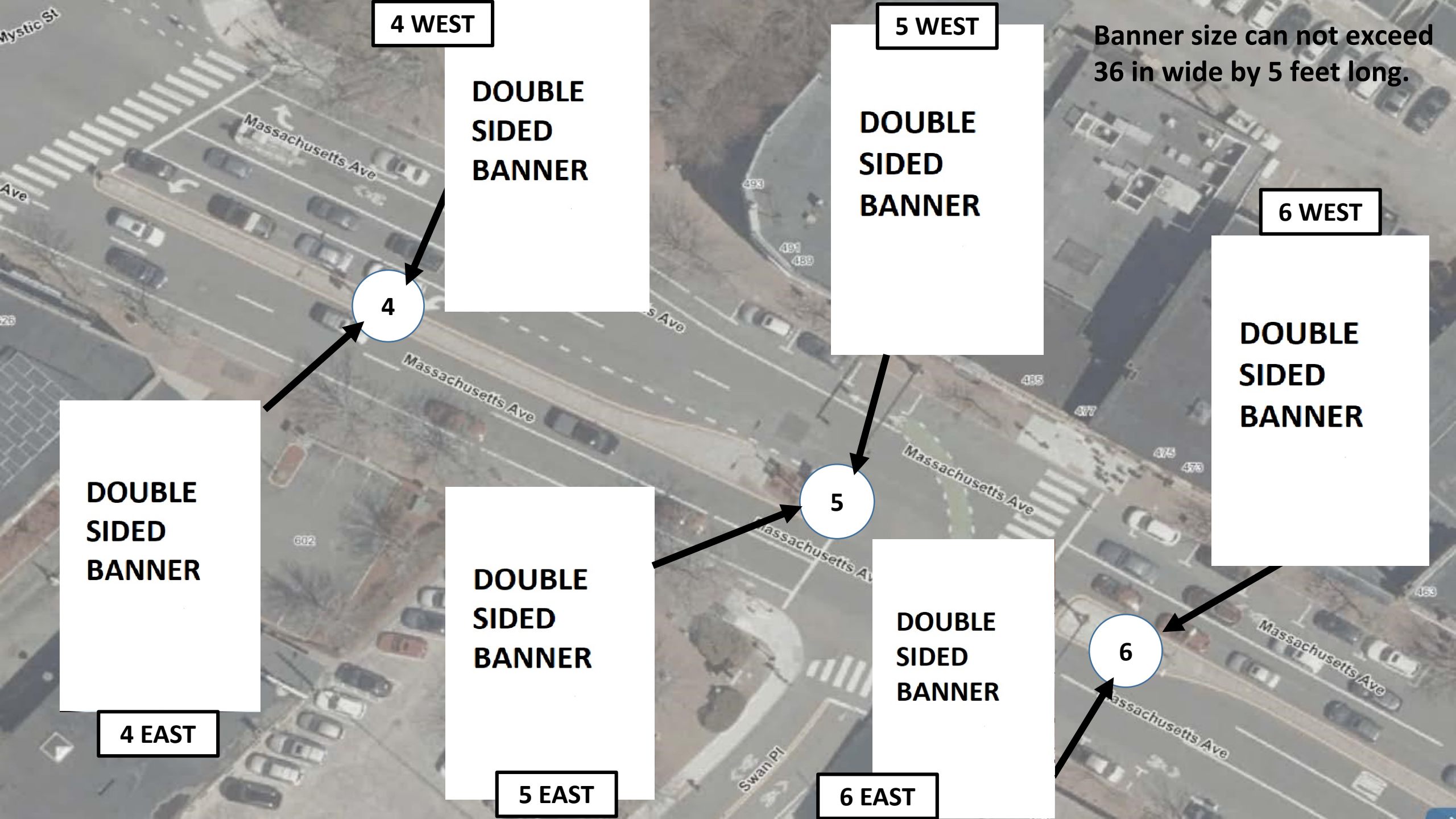
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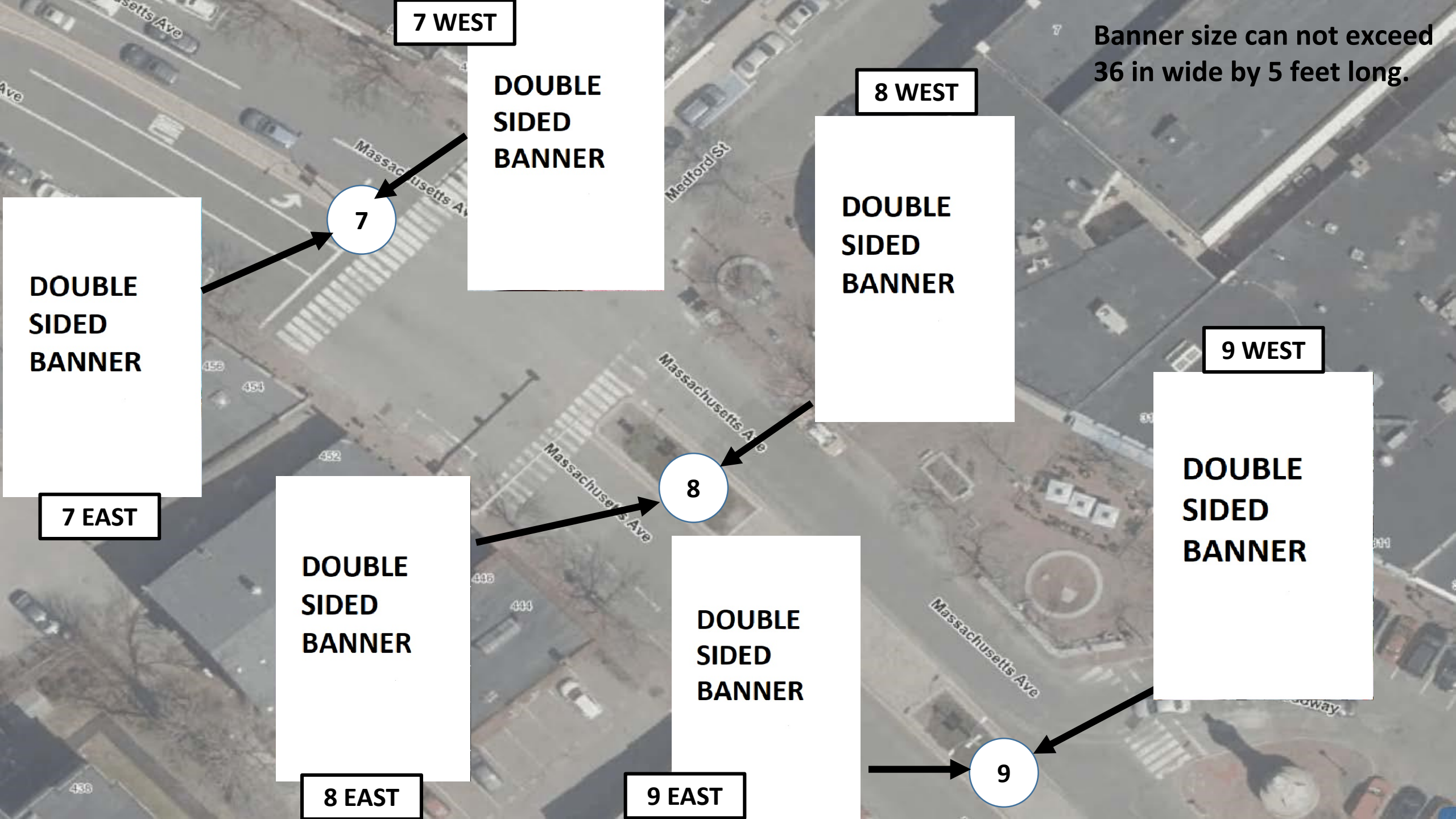
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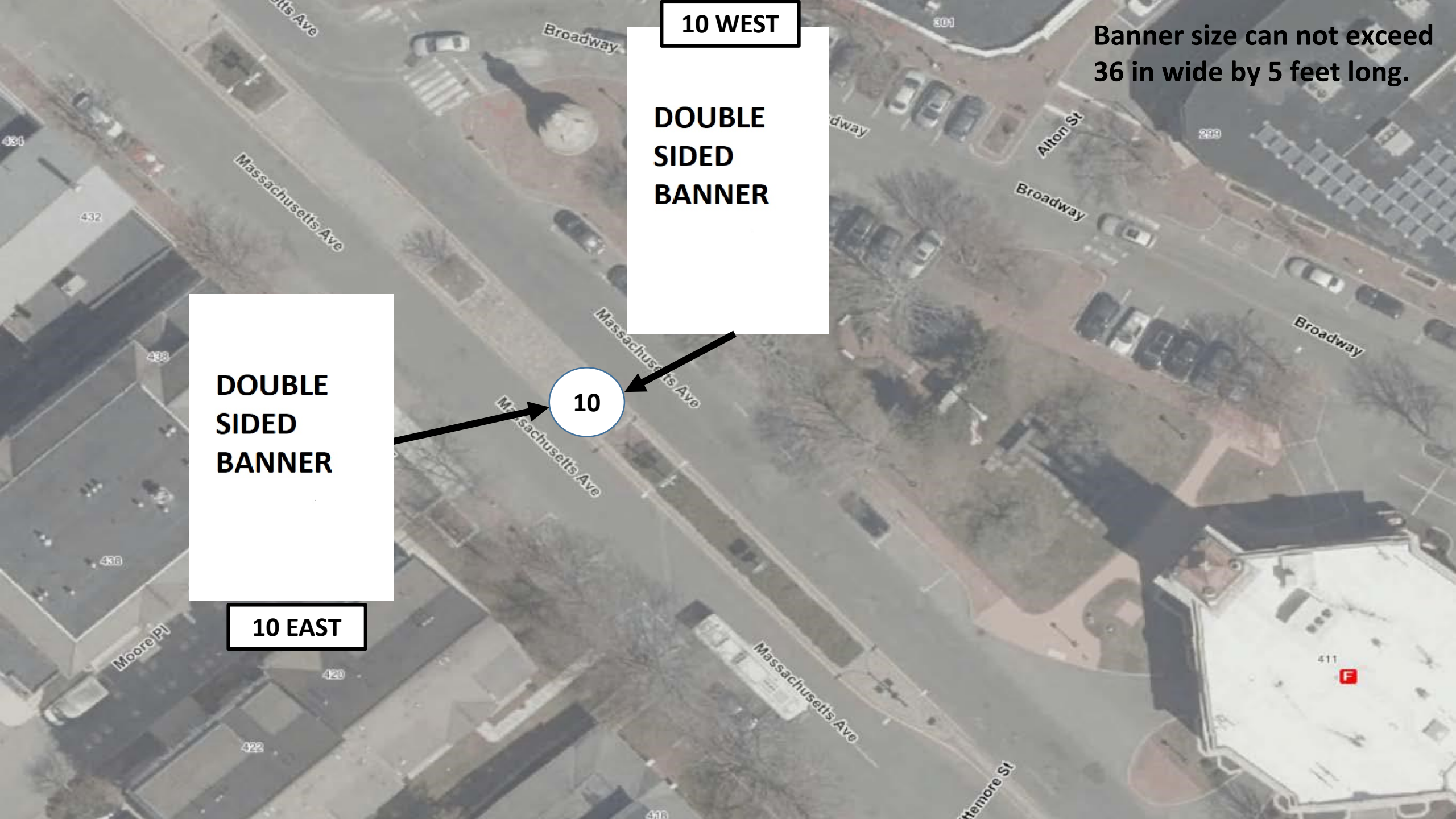
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Town of Arlington
Department of Health and Human Services
LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission

27 Maple Street
Arlington, MA 02476



Tel: (781) 316-3250
Fax: (781) 316-3175
rainbow@town.arlington.ma.us

To: Select Board, Chair Mahon
From: LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission
RE: June 2025 Pride Events Request
Date: May 23, 2025

Dear Select Board Chair Mahon,

Starting in 2021, the Town's LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission used temporary chalk paint on three of the crosswalks across Arlington and painted them in the colors of a rainbow to kick off Pride month in June.

The Select Board has supported and previously approved this request as well as the assistance from the Arlington Police Department to safely decorate the crosswalks and avoid any traffic injury.

The last two years' crosswalk paintings drew nearly 50 people of all ages including elementary, middle, and high school age students, parents, and other residents of town. It was an incredibly fun and spirit-building event.

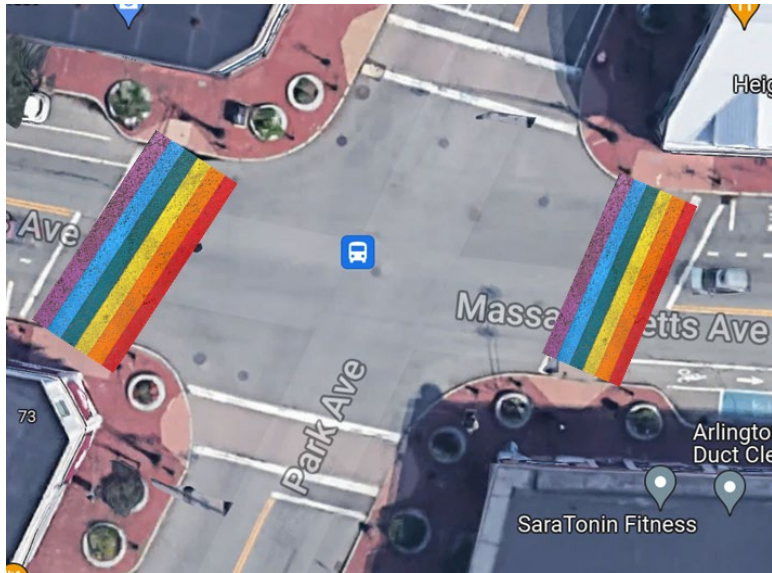
This year, we are requesting to paint the same three sets of crosswalks to bring the spirit of Pride month to East Arlington, the Heights, and Arlington Center.

The intersections shown below are what have been previously painted and that the Commission is seeking to paint again this year (design will be different, but crosswalks are highlighted):

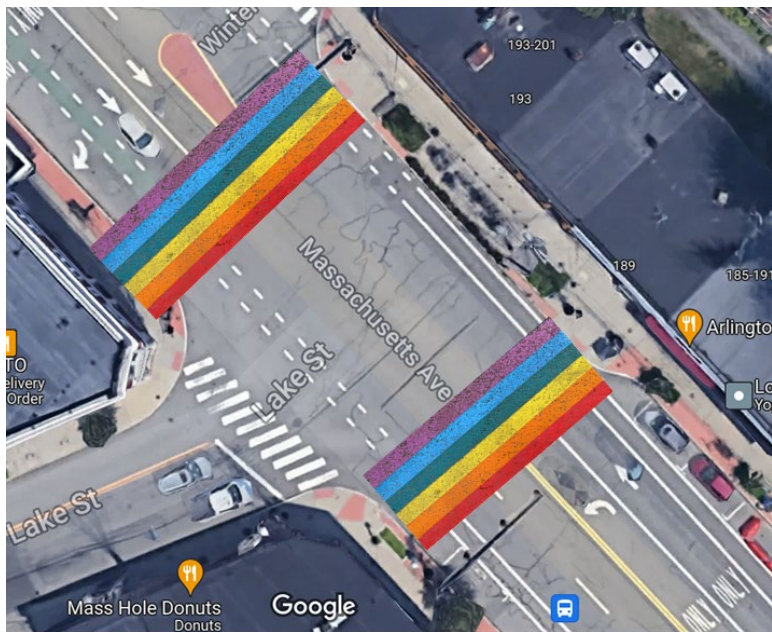
Arlington Center - Mystic/Pleasant and Mass Ave



Arlington Heights - Park Ave and Mass Ave



East Arlington - Lake St & Mass Ave



Proposed painting dates are below:

- Arlington Center - evening of Thursday June 5th
- Arlington Heights - evening of Monday June 9th
- East Arlington - evening of Sunday June 1st

In collaboration with APD, we have previously painted later in the evening. We'd like to begin at 7:00pm when there is less routine traffic - so that there is less disruption to traffic patterns as the APD redirects cars to use only one lane while the others are painted. The painting will be completed each night by 9:30pm.

We have an enthusiastic volunteer group who are ready and willing to paint rainbows across the intersections' crosswalks and we estimate that each intersection will take approximately 2.5 hours to paint from start to finish. The assistance of APD is critical to ensuring participants' safety by redirecting traffic while residents are painting.

We hope you will continue to support this fun and visible effort for all of Arlington (and those who drive through) to celebrate LGBTQIA+ Pride with us!

Molly Blaauw Gillis and Paloma Cotton-Herman, Rainbow Commission Co-Chairs

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TOWN OF ARLINGTON MASSACHUSETTS 02476-4908

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS:** The month of June is recognized nationally as LGBTQIA+ Pride Month to commemorate the resistance by LGBTQIA+ people against on-going harassment and abuse by New York City police at the Stonewall Inn in 1969 which marked the beginning of the modern LGBTQIA+ rights movement; and
- WHEREAS:** That uprising was one of many acts of resistance to the enforcement of unjust laws and the local-, state-, and federally-sanctioned harassment and abuse of marginalized people, including people who are LGBTQIA+, BIPOC, and living with disabilities, and
- WHEREAS:** The legal and legislative advocacy, popular demonstrations, and social change efforts to create a more equitable world continues today; and
- WHEREAS:** Residents and employees of Arlington have contributed to efforts to create a town in which everyone's humanity and dignity is recognized and honored; and
- WHEREAS:** These acts include the unanimous passage by Town Meeting of Article 18 in 2016 adding gender identity and expression to the town of Arlington's non-discrimination provisions; the creation by Town Meeting of the LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission in 2017 to promote LGBTQIA+-affirming policies for all residents of the Town of Arlington; and approval of an historic Domestic Partnership Bylaw by Town Meeting in 2021 that recognizes the diverse composition of families in Arlington; and
- WHEREAS:** The Town of Arlington was one of only 10 municipalities in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to earn a spot on the Human Rights Campaign's 2023 Municipal Equality Index and one of seven in the state to earn a perfect score; and
- WHEREAS:** The LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission is aware that in Massachusetts LGBTQIA+ people of all ages are more likely to experience disparities in health and wellbeing as compared with their straight and cisgender peers and that these disparities are even greater among transgender and LGBTQIA+ people of color; and
- WHEREAS:** The town of Arlington's 2021 "Youth Risk Behavior Survey" found that genderqueer students reported the highest rates of depression and suicidal ideation with 68 percent of genderqueer high school students reporting that their mental health was "not good most of the time or always" as compared with 27 percent of their peers; and
- WHEREAS:** In the past year, the LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission has expanded their events to continue to involve a wide range of Town residents, hosting its Transgender Day of

Resilience and Transgender Day of Visibility events, as well as Arlington Public Schools' Pride and Back to School events in partnership with the Rainbow Task Force and school and district leadership; and

WHEREAS: The LGBTQIA+ community in Arlington is resilient, creative, and innovative, and enjoys strong allied partnerships with the Town's Human Rights Commission, Disability Commission, Council on Aging, Commission for Arts and Culture, Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, Police Department, and numerous other groups, residents, and elected officials that support the LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission's work to bring greater visibility and empowerment to the LGBTQIA+ population through education, advocacy, and collaboration with other Town agencies, schools, and community groups; and

WHEREAS: Celebrating LGBTQIA+ Pride Month, in part, by displaying Rainbow Commission Pride flags in Arlington Center and issuing this proclamation are outward representations of the Town's commitment to full inclusion of the LGBTQIA+ community in Arlington's civic life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Members of the Select Board, reaffirm our support for equal protections for LGBTQIA+ residents of Arlington.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we designate June 2025 as LGBTQIA+ Pride Month in Arlington.

<u>Kelane M. Mahon</u>	SELECT BOARD
<u>LD</u>	OF THE
<u>Jim V. Huff</u>	TOWN
<u>Stephen W. McGarry</u>	OF
<u>Eric D. Schultz</u>	ARLINGTON

A true record.

ATTEST:

By: Ashley Maher
Board Administrator



Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Proclamation



Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Request: Special (One Day) Beer & Wine License, 6/7, 6/14, 6/28, 7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26, 8/2, 8/9, 8/16, 8/23, 8/30, 9/5, 9/13, 9/27@ Jason Russell House for a Beer Garden

Summary:

Robert Brazile, Chair
Arlington Historical Society

ATTACHMENTS:

Type	File Name	Description
Reference Material	Beer_Garden_2025_Arlington_Historical_One_Days_Redact.pdf	Special One Day License Application

OFFICE OF THE SELECT BOARD
TOWN OF ARLINGTON
MASSACHUSETTS 02476-4908

SPECIAL ALCOHOL LICENSE APPLICATION

Name of Applicant:

Arlington Historical Society, Robert Brazile Board Chair

Address, phone & e-mail contact information:

[REDACTED]

Name & address of Organization for which license is sought:

Does this Organization hold nonprofit status under the IRS Code? X Yes _____

Name of Responsible Manager of Organization (if different from above):

Address, phone & e-mail contact information:

Has the Applicant or Organization applied for and/or been granted a special liquor license this calendar year? yes If so, please give date(s) of Special Licenses and/or applications and title of event(s). 4/19/2025

Is this event an annual or regular event? If so, when was the last time this event was held and at what location? Weekly event summer 2024

24-Hour contact number for Responsible Manager of Alcohol Event date:

617-299-9095 Tom Allen Arlington Brewery

Title of Event:

Beer Garden 2025

Date/time of Event:

Saturday's 2:00 pm – 7:00 pm June 7, 14, 28; July 5, 12, 19, 26; August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; September 5, 13, 27, 2025

Location of Event: Jason Russell Lawn & Museum

Location/Event Coordinator: Patsy Kraemer

What types of food and non-alcoholic beverages do you plan to serve at the Event?

Grilled burgers, hot dogs, bratwurst, veggie burgers, chips, cookies, waters, lemonade

Who will be responsible for serving alcoholic beverages at the Event?

Arlington Brew Company bartenders

What training or certification in responsible alcohol service does this person have? Please attach certificate or other proof of training for at least one person who will have responsibility for serving alcoholic beverages at each point of service and who will be present for the entire Event.

TIPS certification - attached

Please list the names and dates of birth for all people who will be responsible for serving alcoholic beverages at the Event. Anyone serving alcoholic beverages must be at least 21 years of age.

attached

Name of the Massachusetts wholesaler who will deliver to site? (Full supplier list available on the ABCC website: www.mass.gov/abcc)

ABC Beer dba Arlington Brewing Company

Date of Delivery: Saturday's June, July, August September, 2025 – as specified above . , S

Alcohol Serving Time (s): 2:00 pm – 6:30 pm

How, when, and by whom will excess alcoholic beverages obtained for the Event be disposed of?

Arlington Brewery will take excess alcohol with them at end of each event.

Please provide details (insurance company, type of policy, name of insured, and policy limits) of any relevant insurance coverage for the Event, included but not limited to General Liability



ROBBINS MEMORIAL TOWN HALL AUDITORIUM
730 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington, Ma. 02476

12 May 2025

SECURITY PLAN FOR BEER GARDENS 2025

The Arlington Historical Society is sponsoring a Beer Garden event to be held on each Saturday in June, July, August, and September 2025, at the Jason Russell House Lawn and Museum.. The event will run from 2:00 pm to 7:00 pm. A special permit application has been submitted to the Select Board Office.

This is the Security Plan.

We estimate approximately 200 people to attend. This is a family event and young people will be in attendance. Once an ID is shown the attendee will be given a wrist band to indicate eligibility to consume the beer.

Patsy Kraemer will be the event coordinator for the event. Arlington Brew Company will provide food and drink for the event. Food will be coordinated with various food trucks. Board and staff of the Arlington Historical Society are the planning group for this celebration. The staff of the Arlington Brewing Company will join the Historical Society group in ensuring that the event runs smoothly.

A police detail will be requested.

Parking for the event will be available in the small lot behind the Jason Russell House and on street parking.

Please advise if there are other items that we need to consider.



ABCBEER-01

TANKERS

CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

3/6/2025

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

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PRODUCER Allen Insurance and Financial	CONTACT NAME:	
	PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (800) 439-4311	FAX (A/C, No):
	E-MAIL ADDRESS: info@allenif.com	
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	NAIC #
INSURED ABC Beer, Inc. DBA Arlington Brewing Company 251 Lowell St Arlington, MA 02474	INSURER A: Tri State Insurance Co	31003
	INSURER B: Hartford Insurance Group	29459
	INSURER C:	
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	INSURER E:	
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B	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) <input type="checkbox"/> Y/N If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below		N/A	04WECBD1VUX	1/30/2025	1/30/2026	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 500,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 500,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 500,000
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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
Certificate holder is included as an Additional Insured in regard to the general liability for ongoing operations when required by written contract or written agreement via the policy broadening endorsement.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

CANCELLATION

Arlington Historical Society
7 Jason St
Arlington, MA 02476

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

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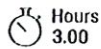
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This certifies that

Peter Caradonna

is awarded this certificate for

TIPS On-Premise Alcohol Server Training



Hours
3.00



Completion Date
05/23/2023



Expiration Date
05/22/2026



Certificate #
ON-000028876919

Official Signature

THIS CERTIFICATE IS NON-TRANSFERABLE

5000 Plaza on the Lake, Suite 305 | Austin, TX 78746 | 877.881.2235 | www.360training.com

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Issued: 05/23/2023
Certificate #: ON-000028876919

Peter Caradonna

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Expires: 05/22/2026



Phone: 800-438-8477
www.gettips.com

This card was issued for successful completion of the TIPS program.

Signature _____

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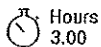
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02/08/2023



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02/07/2026



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