



May 1, 2017

City of Rochelle
420 North Sixth Street
Rochelle, IL 61068

To Rochelle City Council and City Manager,

City of Rochelle staff members are seeking Council approval to hold the second annual "Ale on Lincoln" event this June. The goal of the event is to introduce our region to a variety of ales while attracting visitors to local businesses. We plan to feature ale, food vendors, local merchants and music in downtown Rochelle on Saturday, June 10th from 5:00-9:00 pm.

The Prairie Street Brewhouse, Cademon Brewing, Generations Brewing and The Forge Brewhouse have agreed to partner with us for this event and will apply for a One-Day Liquor License from the City and a Special Event Retailer's License from the Illinois Liquor Commission. The breweries will provide tastings and sell beer by the glass for consumption at the event. Wristbands will be issued to all attendees over 21. Food vendors will include Hicks BBQ, Ralfie's BBQ, Abraham's Bar & Grille, Aldo's & Alfano's.

Tickets for 10 tastings and a commemorative tasting glass will be available for purchase in at Rochelle City Hall, Colonial Flowers and online for \$10.

The Ale on Lincoln Planning Committee respectfully requests the closure of the following street on June 11th:

- Lincoln Highway from Cherry Avenue north to 5th Avenue (5th Avenue will be open for traffic)
- RMU Parking Lot

We are excited about the opportunity to host this event in the downtown and appreciate your consideration.

Sincerely,

Ale on Lincoln Planning Committee

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