## Southwest and More 727 Massachusetts Street Lawrence, KS 66044

June 11, 2007

Mr. David Corliss, City Manager City of Lawrence 6 East Sixth Street Lawrence, KS 66044 JUN 1 1 2007

CITY MANAGERS OFFICE LAWRENCE, KS

Dear Dave:

Accompanying this letter is an Application and Permit for Use of Public Right-of-Way from The Eldridge Hotel. The application is for temporary closing of 7<sup>th</sup> Street between Vermont and Massachusetts Street (with access to the public parking lot and alley open) on Sunday, July 15, 2007 beginning at 10:00 a.m. through 3:00 p.m. Also requested is the hooding of meters on Massachusetts Street that are directly in front of the hotel and the adjacent vacant lot.

The Eldridge Hotel will host the Kansas City Chapter of the Ferrari Club of America at their Sunday Brunch on that day. My husband Don and I are members of the Kansas City Ferrari Club Chapter and will team with The Eldridge to bring this event to Lawrence. The Kansas City Ferrari Club Chapter is a very active club of 60 members with two to three events scheduled each month. The Eldridge Hotel's Ferrari Brunch will bring an exciting Ferrari car show to Lawrence with vehicles dating from the 1960s to present. Media releases and advertisements will announce this special event.

With a decrease in sales tax revenue and the loss of some unique retail businesses, it may be our time to think of addressing Lawrence's image as a destination place not only for visitors but for our community. We would like to have the opportunity to bring this event to our community and hope that its success will be the start of continuing shows, hosted at The Eldridge, of the many car clubs that would welcome an opportunity to showcase their vehicles in Lawrence. I preliminarily explored this idea with Mayor Hack and with her encouragement am now moving forward.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact myself (760-0401) or Nancy Longhurst at The Eldridge (749-5011).

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Maria S. Martin (and Don Martin)

cc: Mayor Sue Hack

## CITY OF LAWRENCE, KANSAS APPLICATION AND PERMIT USE OF PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY

The Eldridge
NAME OF APPLICANT
DATE: 7 15 107 FROM - TIME: 0:4M TO - TIME: 3: PM
DATE:/ FROM - TIME: TO - TIME:
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LOCATION OF USE: 7th Street between Vermont
and new Wampshire
IS APPLICANT OWNER OF ADJOINING PROPERTY? YES X NO
IF NOT, ATTACH WRITTEN PERMISSION OF OWNER TYPE & PURPOSE: OF USE:
IDENTIFY THE USE OF RIGHT-OF-WAY: (Including the site plan on the reverse side showing structures, table or other items to be located on the R-O-W)
Chase 7th Street Com
Vermont to Massachusetts and
Wood all neters in front of the
noted one the adjoining vacant lot.
Proof of Insurance that the applicant has obtained general liability insurance in the amount of \$500,000.00 with the City as a named insured, for the described activity and a \$10.00 filing fee must accompany this application.
NAME OF PERSON COMPLETING APPLICATION TELEPHONE NO.: HOME TELEPHONE NO.: WORK
701 Massachusetts Kurence, KS
SIGNATURE DATE

	SITE	PLAN		

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This permit should be prominently displayed where the Public Right-of-Way is being used or be available for review by any officer or employee of the City of Lawrence upon demand.

This permit may be revoked or suspended as provided by Law.