



March 21, 2016

Mark Thiel  
Assistant Public Works Director/Infrastructure & Maintenance  
City of Lawrence

Dear Mr. Thiel:

As with any street event, we are aware that the Kansas Half Marathon will create some potential parking conflicts with nearby businesses and organizations. Specifically, with the event held on a Sunday, we acknowledge that some of the churches near downtown will be impacted by our event. It is our goal to proactively address this issue this year, as we have done the past several years. We have compiled a list of 12 possibly impacted services and contacted the appropriate administrations. Our proactive contact and information sharing will allow congregations to be aware of the event's course and road closures along with pinpointing which parking areas will likely be affected on the morning of the race. This approach was successful in the past and we had zero complaints. We will replicate our outreach so we avoid these issues once again.

Our list of congregations includes any religious organization within a 7 block radius of the main event festivities at Watson Park- 737 Kentucky Street. We'll also be contacting any congregation in proximity to any section of the race course.

Finally, we'll be proactive about informing any residence that will be impacted by the race in any way. We will be distribute letters with race information at least one week prior to the event. We'll also be working with Lawrence Journal World to facilitate event/course information to be posted for the community.

Based on our experience with this event in the past, we believe the aforementioned communication to be sufficient. However, we are always happy to explore additional and/or substitute options if you have any suggestions. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

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