



LETTER TO THE COMMISSION

LTC No: 26-089

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
FROM: Rickelle Williams, City Manager *RW*
DATE: March 31, 2026
SUBJECT: **April 2026 Special Events and Special Parking Rates**

The purpose of this Letter to the Commission (LTC) is to inform the City Commission of the special events and parking rates occurring in April 2026.

Per Article V, Sections 15-181 - 15-184 of the City of Fort Lauderdale Code of Ordinances, the attached events have been approved, pending approval by the City Commission or administratively to host a special event. Additionally, City Parks and Recreation events are also included in Attachment 1. For further information regarding special events, please contact Carl Williams, Parks and Recreation Director, at 954-828-5804 or cwilliams@fortlauderdale.gov.

Per Section 26-161 of the City of Fort Lauderdale Code of Ordinances, the City Manager may authorize a special parking rate of no more than \$30.00, provided that written notice is given to the City Commission. Attachment 2 identifies the special parking rates for April 2026. For further information regarding special parking rates, please contact Milos Majstorovic, PE, Transportation and Mobility Director, at 954-828-5216 or mmajstorovic@fortlauderdale.gov.

Attachments:

1. April 2026 Special Events
2. April 2026 Special Parking Rates

c: Shari McCartney, City Attorney
David R. Soloman, City Clerk
Patrick Reilly, City Auditor
City Manager's Office
Department Directors

April 2026 Special Events

Name of Event	Event Date	Event Location	Event Time
Noon Tunes*	0/01/2026	Laura Ward Plaza	12:00pm – 1:30pm
Corporate Run	04/02/2026	Esplanade Park	6:45 pm – 9:45pm
Friday Night Sound Waves	04/03/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	5:00pm – 10:00pm
Dining in the Streets	04/03/2026	North Beach Shoppes	6:00pm - 10:00pm
Oceanside Park Farmers Market	04/04/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	9:00am – 5:00pm
Lauren’s Kids – Walk in My Shoes	04/04/2026	800 NE 8 Street	8:30am – 9:30am
Easter	04/04/2026 - 04/05/2026	1500 Brickell Drive	10:00am – 1:00p, (Sat) 8:00 am – 9:30 am (Sun)
Jazz Brunch*	04/05/2026	Esplanade Park	11:00am – 2:00pm
NOBE Sunday Block Party	04/05/2026	North Beach Shoppes	5:00pm – 9:00pm
Sunday by the Shore	04/05/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	10:00am – 5:00pm
Lauderdale Tropical Bear Week	04/05/2026	3109 E Sunrise Boulevard	1:00pm – 8:00pm
New Hope City Church	04/05/2026	60 SE 1 Avenue (12 Parking Spaces)	9:15am – 1:15pm
Dining in the Streets	04/10/2026	North Beach Shoppes	6:00pm - 10:00pm
Tortuga Music Festival	04/10/2026 – 04/12/2026	Fort Lauderdale Beach Park	12:00pm – 10:00pm

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Oceanside Park Farmers Market	04/11/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	9:00am – 5:00pm
Movie Night – Riverside Park*	04/11/2026	Riverside Park	6:00pm – 9:00pm
17 th Annual International Orchid & Garden Festival	04/11/2026 – 04/12/2026	900 N Birch Road	9:00am – 4:00pm
Sunday by the Shore	04/12/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	10:00am – 5:00pm
New Hope City Church	04/12/2026	60 SE 1 Avenue (12 Parking Spaces)	9:15am – 1:15pm
Redbull Volleyball Tournament	04/14/2026	Fort Lauderdale Beach Park	1:00pm – 4:00pm
USA Diving – International Diving Invite	04/16/2026 – 04/19/2026	Fort Lauderdale Aquatic Complex	8:00am – 8:00pm
Carter Park Jamz*	04/17/2026	Carter Park	7:00pm – 10:00pm
Dining in the Streets	04/17/2026	North Beach Shoppes	6:00pm - 10:00pm
Duck Fest Derby	04/18/2026	Esplanade Park	12:00pm – 3:00pm
Igloo Cooler Festival	04/19/2026	Mills Pond Park	3:00pm – 9:00pm
New Hope City Church	04/19/2026	60 SE 1 Avenue (12 Parking Spaces)	9:15am – 1:15pm
Sunday by the Shore	04/19/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	10:00am – 5:00pm
Las Olas Triathlon	04/19/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	7:00am - 10:20am

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Las Olas Wine & Food Festival	04/24/2026	Las Olas Boulevard (between SE 6 Avenue and SE 11 Avenue)	7:00pm – 10:30pm
Viernes Musicales	04/24/2026	Riverland Park	7:00pm - 10:00pm
Dining in the Streets	04/03/2026	North Beach Shoppes	6:00pm - 10:00pm
Plywood Regatta	04/25/2026 – 04/26/2026	Snyder Park	8:00am – 6:00pm
New Hope City Church	04/26/2026	60 SE 1 Avenue (12 Parking Spaces)	9:15am – 1:15pm
Move with MADD & MADD Dash	04/26/2026	SE 1 Avenue and Las Olas Boulevard	6:00am – 11:30am
Sunday by the Shore	04/26/2026	Las Olas Oceanside Park	10:00am – 5:00pm

* City Produced Events

April 2026 Special Parking Rates

Name of Event	Event Date	Parking Location	Event Rate
Tortuga Music Festival	04/10 2026 – 04/12/2026	E Clay Shaw East	\$30.00
		E Clay Shaw West	
		Las Olas Garage	
		North Beach Parking Lot	
		On Street Spaces	
		Vistamar Street to Las Olas Circle	