



RAPID CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Steve Allender, Chief of Police

June 25, 2012

Dear Mayor and Council:

I am writing you, hoping to clear up any misinformation or misconceptions about the Summer Nights set up and road closures. Here is the set-up regimen for Summer Nights:

- At 1:00 pm the parking spaces on 7th Street between Main and St. Joe are taken through attrition.
- At 1:30 pm parking spaces are taken in the 600 block of Main Street through attrition.
- Barricades are dropped at intersections by Traffic Safety Services, but are not erected until 3:00 pm.
- At 3:00 pm the section of 7th between Main and St. Joe is closed.
- At 3:00 pm the 600 block of Main is closed.
- The stage arrives between 3:20 and 3:30 and is installed at Main and 7th.
- The 500 block of Main is left open so cars can turn north on 6th.
- 7th Street North of Main is left open to southbound cars wishing to turn West onto the 700 block of Main Street.

In addition, Lt. Peter Ragnone is typically on-scene during the set-up. He is assigned to the downtown area for all law enforcement activities and special events. He is available during this time for trouble shooting and problem solving related to the downtown businesses.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Allender".

Steve Allender
Chief of Police