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Section 5.4.5 requires a municipal, educational or religious organization or private lodge or club to get a Special Permit for fairs, bazaars, antique shows, suppers, dances or similar events if they are conducted outside or last longer than 3 days.

The Town often holds outdoor events:

- Picnic in the Park
- Stow Street Block Party
- JazzFest
- Drop-off/Swap-off
- Discover West Concord Day.

These events are coordinated through:

- Various Town Departments
- Select Board
- Town Manager
- Police Chief.

No beneficial purpose for the Town to get a Special Permit

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This proposed amendment deletes the word municipal and adds the following statement:

Any such event held by the Town of Concord, in or on any building or premises owned or operated by the Town of Concord, shall not be subject to the restrictions of this Section or the requirement to obtain a special permit hereunder



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