

Mary Immaculate Catholic Church

September 3, 2014

City of Farmers Branch
DELIVERED ELECTRONICALLY

Dear Farmers Branch City Council,

Mary Immaculate Catholic Church, established in 1956 in Farmers Branch, once again humbly seeks your approval permitting us to host our now 12th Annual Parish Fall Festival from 6:00pm to 10:00pm on the evening of October 3rd and then again on Saturday October 4th beginning with breakfast sales from 8:00am to 10:00am and continuing with festival rides and food sales from 10:00am to 9:00pm that day.

The Parish Fall Festival provides our church an opportunity to come together and offer food, rides, entertainment and fellowship for people of all ages, races, creeds and socioeconomic backgrounds, namely it reaches out to members of the larger Farmers Branch community.

Last year, you all graciously and unanimously approved our request to host the Fall Festival and the event was a huge success, despite an early closure due to wind and rain. Thank you for your confidence in our ability to manage the event without a lot of neighborhood backlash. We managed to keep the volume of the outside performances to a decent and acceptable level and will do so again this year.

Once again, I am asking that you please grant permission for us to continue offering our Festival with an outside PA system for announcements, music and entertainment.

If you have any questions, or need further clarification, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Rev. Michael D. Forge

Pastor