



# Village of Skokie

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## **For Immediate Release** **Public Information Division**

### **Village Approves Temporary Sidewalk Sale Permit for Skokie Merchants**

The Village of Skokie will allow any interested Skokie merchant the opportunity to participate in a temporary, weekend-long sidewalk sale during the weekend of the 2011 Backlot Bash in Downtown Skokie. The event is scheduled to take place from Friday, August 26 through Sunday, August 28, 2011. Details on the event can be found at [www.backlotbash.com](http://www.backlotbash.com).

The sidewalk sale will allow Skokie merchants temporary approval to display and sell products on the sidewalk in front of their respective establishments as part of the Backlot Bash festival or wherever their business is located in Skokie. Please note that here may be. Specific permits are required if a merchant would like to construct a tent, use an amplifier or other specific equipment. If you are a merchant that may require additional permitting, please first check with the Village of Skokie Licensing Officer at 847/933-8400 for further information or to obtain a permit application.

**For more details on the sidewalk sale, please contact the Skokie Chamber of Commerce directly at 847/673-0240.**

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Gold Level Clean Air Counts  
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