



ANNOUNCING THE SPECIAL EVENTS CO-SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

Ybor City Development Corporation, Inc. is NOW ACCEPTING applications for its annual Special Events Co-Sponsorship Program for Fiscal Year 2009. This grant program is designed to assist the funding of new or existing special events happening in Ybor City's CRA 1 area through September 30, 2009. Events must address at least one of the following components to be considered for funding: 1) Reinforce Ybor City's cultural roots and/or historical attributes; 2) Be family-oriented and attract daytime/early evening crowds; 3) Maintain and improve Ybor City's traditional events and/or 4) Promote the Arts. The program budget for 2009 is \$52,000.

To download an application, please visit www.tampagov.net/YCDC or pick up an application at:

**Ybor City Development Corporation
2015 E. 7th Avenue
Tampa, FL 33605**

All completed applications must be received at the YCDC office by Wednesday, October 29, 2008 at 5:00 p.m. (No exceptions.)

For more information about this program, please contact Brenda Thrower, Ybor City Development Corporation at (813) 274-7917 or email at Brenda.thrower@tampagov.net.