

CIRCLEVILLE JUDICIAL COMMITTEE 8-3-2021 MINUTES

MEETING CALLED BY	Judicial Chair: Katie Logan Hedges
CLERK	Linda Chancey and Darci Valentine Clerks.
MEMBERS PRESENT	Committee members present: Tom Klitzka and Barry Keller. Others present - David Crawford, Michelle Blanton, Jeff Hallinan, Barry Keller, Sheri Theis. Invited guests: Service Director Terry Frazier and Service Director Terry Frazier, Auditor Mark Bidwell
1. MEETING MINUTES	Chair Hedges stated there are no minutes to approve tonight

Hedges called the Judicial meeting to order at 7:47 pm. (immediately after council meeting)

2. Downtown Outdoor Refreshment Area (DORA)

The Mayor submitted the application for the DORA to Council mtg on June 15th for Outdoor Entertainment in the downtown in designated areas. The Mayor submitted a 2nd application to Council with a new signed application with an expanded map area and days added (Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, excluding Circleville Pumpkin Show third Wednesday of October). A Public Hearing was then held for the DORA for Tuesday, July 6, 2021. The DORA was forwarded to the Judicial Cmte for further review and then forwarded to August 3rd Council Mtg. but pulled from the agenda by the Chair Katie Hedges for further discussion.

(Draft) An Ordinance Approving An Application For The Creation Of A Designated Outdoor Refreshment Area (DORA) For Downtown City Of Circleville, To Authorize The Mayor To Take All Necessary And Proper Actions To Provide For The Operation And Maintenance Of The Designated Outdoor Refreshment Area And Declaring An Emergency

Hedges stated this is a draft ordinance prepared by the law director. There are blanks in the ordinance that need clarification for a new ordinance to be drafted for the next council meeting on August 17, 2021. There are three items that needs clarification the boundaries map which was defined.

Section 3 – specifically related to signage and how many. According to Uptown Circleville walked the whole proposed map and identified the twenty-two signs in the external boundaries in downtown area for the public.

Section 5 how many safety officers will be designated to the DORA. The mayor's response was that they will monitoring the area, and this can be adjusted as needed. The police officer assigned to the downtown will be one that already covers this area. If a situation arises, it can be adjusted.

Crawford asked about one officer not dedicated officers. Law Director Gary Kenworthy explained d that it's the one that is patrolling the area monitoring with marked cups, and peace is being kept. Not a designated officer but the officer that is assigned to the downtown.

Hallinan asked about square footage of the DORA boundaries. Hedges did not know... but Steven Collin of the Herald stated it was 39 acres.

Keller motioned to forward the ordinance to the August 17, 2021, Council meeting with a recommendation for approval. Klitzka seconded the motion. Roll Call. (3 Yeas - 0 Nays). Motion carried.

4. Adjournment

Keller motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:54 pm. Klitzka seconded the motion. Motion carried.