MINUTES COMMITTEE MEETING
REYNOLDSBURG DEVELOPMENT, PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE
March 11, 2019

Chairman Marshall Spalding called the meeting to order at 7:32 PM

Call to Order - Roll Call

PRESENT: Clemens, Spalding, Baker, Bryant, Skinner, Joseph
ABSENT:

Approval of Agenda

Agenda stands approved.

Approval of Minutes

a. Development, Parks and Recreation Committee – Committee Meeting – February 25, 2019

RESULT:	**ACCEPTED**

NEW LEGISLATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

A RESOLUTION TO WAIVE THE PROVISION OF SECTION 971.16 OF THE CITY'S CODIFIED ORDINANCES FOR THE 2019 REYNOLDSBURG FARMERS' MARKET. --- Spalding. Development, Parks and Recreation Committee.

Ms. Bauman: the Parks and recreation department is requesting authorization to waive the provision for section 971-16 of the codified ordinances for the 2019 Reynoldsburg Farmers Market, to run from June 6th through September 5th of this year. From 4 PM to 7 PM, those dates are Thursdays. We would like to apply for an F-10 permit from the Ohio department of Commerce. This permit would allow wine samples on 1 ounce, this is 1 ounce, of 1 ounce or less be sold by an A2 or and S permit holder. The F-10 permit would also allow for the sale of wine, manufactured by an A2 or an S permit holder in sealed containers for consumption off the premises where the farmers market is located. The permit holder of the A2 or S permit is required to check ID. So basically what we would like to do is bring in a wine vendor to the Farmer Markets. Someone who makes it locally at an Ohio distillery or winery I should say not distillery, Ohio Winery. They would sell a sample, so you would get sample a 1 ounce sample, that you would be able to taste, you would not be able to purchase a glass of wine and walk the grounds with it, you would just get a sample, and if you like that wine, you could purchase a bottle, take it home and consume it there. And we would like this to run just during the duration of the Farmers Market on Thursdays. Any questions?

Mr. Cotner: Thank you. So the sample would be consumed right there?

Ms. Bauman: At the table.

Mr. Cotner: And they would be sold also, correct?

Ms. Bauman: I believe they are $0.50 or a $1.00 for a sample, I would have to verify that pricing.

Mr. Cotner: Ok. And do you have someone that has come seeking this prior to?

Ms. Bauman: To a specific vendor but we have had a lot of talks and people have mentioned it, so we thought well lets go ahead get the process underway, get this through council, then apply for the permit. Right now we have had some conversation with vendors, but not anyone whose specifically is wanting to be here. And just as a point of reference, the Franklin Park Conservatory holds an F-10 permit for their Farmers and the Canal Market district in Newark holds an F-10 permit as well.

Mr. Cotner: Ok, thank you.

Mr. Hood: Thank you, I was just going to add, these permits are new to the state of Ohio and they are only for not for profit Farmers Markets, that's why the designation F. And by way as limits, each vendor who works with Donna's Farmers Market is prohibited from selling more than 5 samples to any one person per day. So there is, you need a lot of thimbles but its capped at 5. The idea here is to have a sample, find something you like, buy a bottle, take it home with you to enjoy as opposed to on the premises. I think its a really neat idea and its the state trying to be more friendly with local producers. I'm sorry, just to add, what she is asking you to do is to suspend the provision of having any alcohol in our parks for these limited purposes. We have done this is the past for the Tomato Festival, that's your next request. We have prepared that we have done well in regulating in those and we have had really little problems if at all that I can recall since we have been doing that. Just kind of adding onto the provisions we have done for the Tomato Festivals that we have done in the past.

Ms. Bryant: I think Mr. Hood might have already answered the question but could this potentially be something we could use to have like a wine festival?

Ms. Bauman: We would have to apply for a different permit for that. The F-10 is specifically for farmers markets.

Mr. Hood: Yea the F-10 is a farmers market only. There are festival permits that we can obtain, that's the permit that she obtaining for the Tomato Festival, for limited purposes. There is a limit on how many you can do per year and I think there is no more than four days a time.

Ms. Bryant: Is there a limit on the number of vendors at a farmers market.

Ms. Bauman: Were going to limit ours to just one.

Mr. Hood: The F-10 permit does not have a limit but they have to have their own permit from the State of Ohio before they can work under Donna's for the farmers market. So were not going to be signing people up, they have to have their permit already before they can work with us.

Ms. Bryant: Ok, great.

Mr. Spalding: Its upon them to ask for their ID? So they have to bring some staff. Do you have a question. Ok alright, Mr. Baker.

Mr. Baker: Your limiting to one, is this just to see how it will go first before you expand it?

Ms. Bauman: Yes, we just want one, just to see how it goes. Small steps and see how it goes yes.

Luzader: Its just for the summer?

Ms. Bauman: Yes.

Mr. Luzader: If its successful do you see it <INAUDIBLE>

Ms. Bauman: We could, there is also a cap on this, you can only apply for an F-10 permit I believe its good for either 6 or 9 months. So if it goes well, the permit would allow us to carry it over. We would probably see if they could add two addresses to it. The Senior Center address and the Huber Park address.

RESULT:	**REFERRED TO COUNCIL [UNANIMOUS]**	**Next: 3/11/2019 7:35 PM**
MOVER:	Marshall Spalding, Chairman	
SECONDER:	Caleb Skinner, Ward 1 Councilmember	
AYES:	Clemens, Spalding, Baker, Bryant, Skinner	

A RESOLUTION TO WAIVE THE PROVISION OF SECTION 971.16 OF THE CITY'S CODIFIED ORDINANCES FOR THE 2019 TOMATO FESTIVAL. --- Spalding. Development, Parks and Recreation Committee.

Ms. Bauman: This is asking for permission authorization to waive that again for the Tomato Festival. In your map it shows where the potential layout of the festival. The orange line marks where we would have the safety fence put up. When reviewing my notes, I realized I forgot to place the orange marking wherever the beer garden is. So the beer garden will also have safety fencing around it, there will be a one point of entry into the beer garden where your ID will be checked. What we would like to do differently this year than in the past is enable the patrons to be able to walk the grounds with their beer. Which means they would stay within the orange markings, they would not be able to take their beer or wine, we would like to sell wine as well, take their beer or wine into the parking lot, across Davidson Drive. They would have to keep it with in that orange marking. They couldn't take it into the Senior Center. So it would all have to be consumed in that area. There will be signs posted. So we will have designated entrances and exits within the grounds, no alcohol beyond this point. And like I said at the beer garden, there will be an individual there checking ID and we would like for this F2 permit to allow for the sale of beer and wine, it allows it under the permit, but we would like Council's authorization to sell beer and wine at the Tomato Festival. We've also had conversations about possibly, maybe having a bloody mary bar. The bloody mary bar would be separated from the beer garden and that would be roped off as well. You would

not be able to walk the grounds with your bloody mary. Under the F2 permit you can sell beer, wine and spirits.

Mr. Spalding: Certainly staying with the Tomato theme, is that correct.

Ms. Bauman: Staying with the tomato theme.

Mr. Spalding: That's kind of what I had too.

Mr. Clemens: I do spend a lot of time in Lancaster. And they have 7 festival sand it goes all over town. What t does, it keeps people from carrying things that they have bought some place else and so forth. Same color of cup and so forth, not that I would buy any. Its a lot of fun and they do a good job and they never have any problems and I think they are probably one of the biggest in Ohio with how many they have. Its worked out well for them. I think as the other communities do such things, we should investigate them, I think we are, which is good job.

Ms. Bauman: We will have different colored wrist bands for each night, that way you cant some how get it off and pass it on to someone else. So there will be a different color wrist band and we will specific cups that will be used as well.

Mr. Spalding: And I think its a good idea to try some different things. I mean it wasn't that many years of really having the beer garden. But it was pretty successful and brought in a ton of revenue for the meeting. Wow, we almost needed that money to really make all the ends meet. So I'm glad that when, you know the prior folks put that together, it was powerful. And I think that we can do something things, not just making money but they really have some fun too and bring more people out. I think if were going to have multiple days, we need to have things that continue make people want to come out and have some fun things and bring families too.

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MOVER:	Marshall Spalding, Chairman	
SECONDER:	Kristin Bryant, At-Large Councilmember	
AYES:	Clemens, Spalding, Baker, Bryant, Skinner	

LEGISLATION FOR EMERGENCY ADOPTION

ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO: ENACTING SECTION 1171.09 WIRELESS FACILITIES AND SUPPORT STRUCTURES OF CHAPTER 1171 GENERAL REGULATIONS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (HELD FROM 2/25/2019). --- Spalding. Development, Parks and Recreation Committee.

Mayor McCloud: Mr. Spalding if I may, we would like this to be held for two weeks.

RESULT:	**ITEM HELD**	**Next: 3/11/2019 7:35 PM**

LEGISLATION FOR SECOND READING

ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FROM UNAPPROPRIATED GENERAL FUND TO AN ACCOUNT IN THE PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT --- Spalding. Development, Parks and Recreation Committee.

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