

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-037

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO APPROVE A NEW SPECIAL EVENT APPLICATION FROM THE KENT JAYCEES KNOWN AS "KENT CRAFT BEER FESTIVAL" TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY, MAY 21, 2022, AND THE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF NORTH WATER STREET BETWEEN MAIN STREET AND PORTAGE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Kent Craft Beer Festival is a way to enjoy the growing craft beer economy in Northeast Ohio and highlight the work of breweries in Kent and neighboring cities; and

WHEREAS, the Kent Jaycees would like to host the Kent Craft Beer Festival with breweries in a new location of Downtown Kent; and

WHEREAS, the Kent Craft Beer Festival will take place Saturday, May 21, 2022 from 2:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. The temporary closure of North Water Street between Main Street and Portage will begin Saturday morning at 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the Kent City Council consents to authorizing the City Manager or his designee to sign the Special Event Application as long as he is comfortable and believes the safety and security of the City's citizens will not be adversely affected.

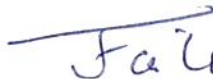
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Kent, Portage County, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. That the Kent City Council authorizes the City Manager or his designee to execute the Special Event Application from The Kent Jaycees in substantial conformance with the Special Event Application attached hereto as Exhibit "A", as long as the City Manager or his designee believes the safety and security of Kent's citizens are adequately projected.

SECTION 2. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.


SECTION 3. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the residents of this City, for which reason and other reasons manifest to this Council this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force immediately after passage.

PASSED: April 20, 2022
Date



Jerry T. Fiala
Mayor and President of Council

EFFECTIVE: April 20, 2022
Date

ATTEST: 

Amy Wilkens
Clerk of Council

I, AMY WILKENS, CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, AND STATE OF OHIO, AND IN WHOSE CUSTODY THE ORIGINAL FILES AND RECORDS OF SAID COUNCIL ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF *ORDINANCE No. 2022-037*, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON April 20, 20 22.

(SEAL)


AMY WILKENS
CLERK OF COUNCIL