ORDINANCE NO. 2024 - 035

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO APPROVE A NEW SPECIAL EVENT APPLICATION FROM BRANDED IN KENT KNOWN AS "EARTH DAY VENDOR MARKET" TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2024, AND THE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF EAST ERIE STREET BETWEEN SOUTH WATER STREET AND THE PRIVATE ALLEY BY TREE CITY COFFEE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Branded in Kent would like to hold a special event known as "Earth Day Vendor Market";

WHEREAS, the Earth Day Vendor Market will take place Saturday, April 20, 2024 from 11:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. The temporary closure of East Erie Street between South Water Street and the private alley by Tree City Coffee will begin Saturday morning at 9:00 a.m. until 7:00 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:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> That the Kent City Council authorizes the City Manager or his designee to execute the Special Event Application from Branded in Kent 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.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> 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.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. 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.

Jerry T. Fiala

Mayor and President of Council

April 17, 2024

Date
April 17, 2024

EFFECTIVE:

Date

ATTEST:

Amy Wilkens, CMC
Clerk of Council

I, AMY WILKENS, CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PO	ORTAGE, 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 2024-035, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON	AND EXACT COPY OF ORDINANCE No.

(SEAL)

AMY WILKENS, CMC CLERK OF COUNCIL

