City Of Woodland
City Council Meeting Agenda Summary Sheet

Agenda Item: Adopt Ordinance No. 1289 amending title 9.26.115 (Ordinance No. 1269) as it relates to the consumption of alcohol at a city approved beer garden and/or wine tasting event (First Reading)

Agenda Item #: (G) Action

For Agenda of: 12/16/2013

Department: Clerk/Treasurer

Date Submitted: 12/11/2013

Cost of Item: _____

Amount Budgeted: _____

Unexpended Balance: _____

BARS #:

Description:

Department Supervisor Approval: *Mari E. Ripp, Clerk-Treasurer / s /*

Committee Recommendation: Presented at 11/18, 11/25 and 12/9/2013 Council meetings

Agenda Item Supporting Narrative (list attachments, supporting documents):

Ordinance No. 1289

Summary Statement/Department Recommendation:

There was a request from the sponsors of the Special Event-Brews to Blooms that will be held on April X, 2014 to change the time that they would be allowed to serve alcohol at Horseshoe Lake Park. Per the current ordinance, it is not allowed before 12:00 p.m. /noon. Their event is a fundraiser for the new Scott Hill Sports Complex and the runners would be returning before noon, thus the request to change the time. The council heard this request at the council meeting on November 18th and at the workshop on November 25th and December 9th and instructed the City Attorney to prepare a modified ordinance.

Recommend approval to adopt First Reading of Ordinance No. 1289 amending title 9.26.115 (Ordinance No. 1269) as it relates to the consumption of alcohol at a city approved beer garden and/or wine tasting event.

CITY OF WOODLAND

ORDINANCE No. 1289

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 9.26.115 (ORDINANCE 1269) AS IT RELATES TO THE CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL AT A CITY APPROVED BEER GARDEN AND/OR WINE TASTING EVENT AS MORE SPECIFICALLY SET FORTH HEREIN AND AUTHORIZE PUBLICATION BY SUMMARY.

FINDINGS OF FACT

The City Council of the City of Woodland finds as follows:

WHEREAS, there has been a requested change in code to allow for the consumption of beer and wine before noon at City approved events;

WHEREAS, the strict time requirement in the current ordinance is not flexible enough to accommodate different types of public events;

AND, WHEREAS, with the deletion of the time requirement in current 9.26.115, the City Council retains discretion to designate stop and start time for the consumption of wine and beer at such events and it remains part of the permitting process.

ORDINANCE

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Woodland as follows:

1. Section WMC 9.26.115 - City Approved Beer Gardens and/or Wine Tasting Areas

OLD SECTION 9.26.115 - City Approved Beer Gardens and/or Wine Tasting Areas

Subject to approval by the City of a site plan designating areas within Horseshoe Lake Park as a beer garden and/or wine tasting areas submitted by festival organizers as part of a special event permit, and subject to all applicable requirements and regulations of the Washington State Liquor Control Board, win, champagne and beer may be possessed, sold and consumed within such designated areas, provided that such designated areas will not open before 12:00 p.m. (noon) and shall close at or before 1:00 p.m. on each day of the event.

The City of Woodland can only approve a maximum of three special event permits a hear allowing beer gardens and/or wine tasting areas at Horseshoe Lake Park.

To receive approval of a special event permit for a beer garden and/or wine tasting area at Horseshoe Lake Park, the applicant must meet the following conditions:

1) The applicant must be a 501-3(c) non-profit organization.

2) The applicant will pay a $250 non-waivable fee in addition to the regular special event permit fee. This fee is to cover additional costs the City will incur for Police and Public Works Staff time dealing with issues from the beer gardens and/or wine tasting areas.

New code section to be inserted as follows:

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2. Severability

If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or constitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance.

3. Effective Date

This ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after its publication in the media or paper of record as required by law.

4. Publishing

A summary of this ordinance shall be published.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after publication as required by law.

ADOPTED IN OPEN MEETING THIS 6th day of January, 2014.

CITY OF WOODLAND, WASHINGTON

Approved:

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Grover B. Laseke, Mayor

Attest:

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Mari E. Ripp, Clerk/Treasurer

Approved as to form:

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William J. Eling, City Attorney

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 1289
OF THE CITY OF WOODLAND, WASHINGTON

On January 16, 2014 the City Council of the City of Woodland, Washington, approved Ordinance No. 1289 the main point which may be summarized by its title as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 9.26.115 (ORDINANCE 1269) AS IT RELATES TO THE CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL AT A CITY APPROVED BEER GARDEN AND/OR WINE TASTING EVENT AS MORE SPECIFICALLY SET FORTH HEREIN AND AUTHORIZE PUBLICATION BY SUMMARY.

The full text of this Ordinance will be mailed upon request.

APPROVED by the City Council at their meeting on January 6, 2014.

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Mari E. Ripp, Clerk-Treasurer

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