



Agenda Item: Original Ordinance, Second Reading

Title: Original Ordinance No. 2056, Amending Laramie Municipal Code 9.12.130 – Disorderly Conduct – Generally to Prohibit Intoxicated Individuals from Entering Private Homes or Places without the Knowledge or Consent of the Owner or Occupant

Recommended Council MOTION:

I move to approve on second reading Original Ordinance No. 2056, amending Laramie Municipal Code 9.12.130 to also prohibit intoxicated individuals from entering private homes or places without the knowledge or consent of the owner of occupant under subsection (E).

Administrative or Policy Goal:

To amend Laramie Municipal Code to prohibit intoxicated individuals from entering private homes or places without the knowledge or consent of the owner of occupant.

Background:

Right now, Laramie Municipal Code finds that a person is guilty of disorderly conduct if, with intent to cause public inconvenience, annoyance or alarm, or carelessly creating a risk thereof, he or she is found in any public place under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drug or any combination of any intoxicating liquor or drug, in such a condition that he or she is unable to exercise care for his or her own safety or the safety of others. The current ordinance only applies when the intoxicated individual is found in a public place. It does not cover situations where a highly intoxicated individual enters a private home or private property, without the knowledge or consent of the owner, due to the individual’s level of intoxication. The proposed amendment will cover situations where law enforcement encounter an intoxicated individual who is carelessly creating a risk of alarm and the individual has entered the private property of another without knowledge or consent of the owner or occupant while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drug or any combination of any intoxicating liquor or drug, in such a condition that he or she is unable to exercise care for his or her own safety or the safety of others.

Responsible Staff: City Attorney

Future dates are subject to change

Introduction/1 st Reading	January 17, 2023
Public Hearing	February 7, 2023
2d Reading	February 7, 2023
3d Reading	February 14, 2023

Attachments:
Original Ordinance No. 2056