

MINUTES
CITY OF LARAMIE, WYOMING
AD HOC COMMUNITY ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION AND BEST PRACTICES REVIEW
COMMITTEE MEETING
FEBRUARY 11, 2019

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Regular Meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee was called to order by Chair O'Doherty at 2:34 p.m.

Roll call showed Present: Bartholomew, Blackburn, Brooks (Represented by Bailee Harris), Hensley, Keele, Morris, O'Dwyer, O'Malley (arrived at 2:38 p.m.), Patel, Chief Stalder, Jessica Stalder (arrived at 2:38 p.m.), and O'Doherty. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce.

Staff Present: Robert Southard, City Attorney.

2. Approval of Agenda and Minutes

2.A. Consideration of Changes in Agenda and Setting the Agenda

MOTION BY PATEL, seconded by Morris, that the Agenda be set as submitted.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote.

2.B. Minutes from the January 28, 2019 Ad Hoc Community Alcohol Consumption and Best Practices Review Committee Meeting

MOTION BY HENSLEY, seconded by O'Dwyer, to approve the minutes from the January 28, 2019 meeting.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote.

3. Public Comments on Non-Agenda Items- No action will be taken

4. Ad Hoc Committee and Staff Reports and Comments

5. Disclosures

Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk- will abstain from policy votes.

Dale Stalder, Police Chief- will abstain from policy votes.

6. Business

6.A. Old Business

6.B. New Business

Councilor Stalder arrived at 2:38 p.m.

6.B.i. Discussion and Action Regarding Recommendations/Continuation of Best Practices for Community Alcohol Consumption to Council.

Member David O'Malley arrived at 2:38 p.m.

MOTION BY O'DWYER, seconded by Blackburn, to recommend considering methods to increase minimum fines for underage drinkers presenting false ids.

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Roll call showed Aye: Blackburn, Harris, Keele, Morris, O'Dwyer, O'Malley, Patel, and O'Doherty. Nay: Hensley. Absent: Humphrey, Grisham, and Pearce. Abstain: Bartholomew, Chief Stalder, and Jessica Stalder. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION BY O'DWYER, seconded by Patel, to recommend requiring licensee or representative to attend two tavern meetings per year to discuss best practices.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote. Aye: 11. Nay: 0. Abstain: Bartholomew. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce.

MOTION BY BLACKBURN, seconded by O'Malley, to recommend the City implementing a voluntary pilot program regarding the use of ID scanners in license holder's facilities.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote. Aye: 11. Nay: 0. Abstain: Bartholomew. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce.

MOTION BY BLACKBURN, seconded by Patel, to recommend Council reconstitute the Ad Hoc Committee two years from the completion of this Ad Hoc Committee to review the changes and their impacts.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote. Aye: 12. Nay: 0. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce.

MOTION BY BLACKBURN, seconded by Harris, to recommend that Council consider increasing public education for "Providing a Dwelling" laws.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote. Aye: 12. Nay: 0. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce.

MOTION BY BLACKBURN, seconded by Harris, to recommend the City of Laramie (City) and the Laramie Police Department continues their efforts to increase safety and security in establishments who serve alcoholic beverages within the City through random Compliance Checks and increase the number of the Compliance Checks within a year.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote. Aye: 10. Nay: 0. Abstain: Bartholomew and Chief Stalder. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce.

MOTION BY BLACKBURN, seconded by Keele, to recommend the City implement Late Night Drink-Special Restrictions on all license holder facilities in Laramie.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote. Aye: 9. Nay: 1. Abstain: Bartholomew and Stalder. Absent: Grisham, Humphrey, and Pearce.

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7. Date for Next Regular Meeting- February 25, 2019 at 2:30 p.m. at City Hall, Council Chambers.

8. Adjourn

MOTION BY PATEL, seconded by Blackburn, to adjourn.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote.

Ad Hoc Committee adjourned at 3:47 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Bartholomew
City Clerk