



*** DES MOINES CITY COUNCIL MEETING REPORT ***

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SUMMARY OF DES MOINES CITY COUNCIL MEETING

City Hall, City Council Chambers

400 Robert D. Ray Drive

Des Moines, Iowa 50309

July 22, 2024

7:30 AM - Immediately following Work Session

- [24-1023](#) 1. ROLL CALL: Present: Boesen, Simonson, Voss, Coleman, Westergaard, Mandelbaum and Gatto. Council Member Voss participated in the meeting by phone.
- [24-1024](#) 2. APPROVING AGENDA, AS PRESENTED AND/OR, AS AMENDED: Moved by Gatto to adopt and vote on item 7 before item 5 and allow public comment at that time. Second by Coleman. Motion Carried 7-0.
- [24-1025](#) 3. [Approving](#) Alcoholic Beverage License Applications for the following: Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Coleman. Motion Carried 7-0.

RENEWAL APPLICATIONS

(A) BEECHWOOD LOUNGE	416 E WALNUT ST	Class C Liquor
(B) DRAKE UNIVERSITY	2615 CARPENTER AVE	Special Class C
(C) DRAKE UNIVERSITY	2875 UNIVERSITY AVE	Class C Liquor
(D) HY VEE FAST & FRESH #5	1113 E ARMY POST RD	Class E Liquor
(E) HY-VEE FAST FRESH #4	4701 FLEUR DR	Class E Liquor
(F) THAI FLAVORS	1254 E 14TH ST	Special Class C

[24-1026](#) 3-I [Approving](#) Class C Liquor License for Top it Off Liquid Catering at 4530 E. 46th Street. Sponsor: Mayor Boesen. **Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Coleman. Motion Carried 7-0.**

[24-1027](#) 4. [City](#) Clerk to issue Cigarette/Tobacco/Nicotine/Vapor Permits. **Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Coleman. Motion Carried 7-0.**

[24-1028](#) 5. [Ordinance](#) amending Sections 102-8, 102-615 and 3-23 of the Municipal Code relating to abandoned property and the removal of encroachments. **Moved by Coleman that this ordinance be considered and given first vote for passage. Second by Gatto. Motion Carried 5-2. Nays: Simonson and Mandelbaum.**

WITHDRAWN

[24-1029](#) (A) ~~[Final](#) consideration of ordinance above (waiver requested by Scott Sanders, City Manager), requires six votes.~~

[24-1030](#) 6. [Ordinance](#) amending Chapter 102 of the Municipal Code relating to prohibited camping. **Moved by Gatto that this ordinance be considered and given first vote for passage. Second by Coleman. Motion Carried 5-2. Nays: Simonson and Mandelbaum.**

WITHDRAWN

[24-1031](#) (A) ~~[Final](#) consideration of ordinance above (waiver requested by Scott Sanders, City Manager), requires six votes~~

[24-1032](#) 7. [Approving](#) directions to City Manager when implementing an ordinance prohibiting sleeping and camping on public property: **Moved by Coleman to adopt with these conditions: 1. Add public restrooms to many of the City parking garages. 2. Have four outreach workers to work directly with the Des Moines homeless population to provide services. 3. Hire a hearing officer to expedite hearings in a shorter timeframe. Second by Gatto. Motion Carried 7-0. Motion by Gatto to receive and file document from Angie Arthur. Second by Mandelbaum. Motion Carried 7-0.**

- (A) Work with shelter operators, discuss current shelter practices and policies, and identify ways to reduce barriers to emergency shelter use.
- (B) Establish an agreement with an animal services provider to shelter animals of unhoused individuals in Des Moines while individuals seek emergency shelter.
- (C) Identify secured personal storage options for unhoused individuals.
- (D) Establish a process making transportation available from campsites to emergency shelter for individuals interested in entering emergency shelter.

[24-1033](#)

8. [Ordinance](#) amending Sections 18-4 and 18-136 of the Municipal Code relating to agricultural nondomestic animals and exotic animals and the types permitted. **Moved by Westergaard that this ordinance be considered and given first vote for passage subject to these changes: 1. On Section 18-4(h)(4) reduce 30 to 12. 2. On Section 18-4(i) remove effective August 1, 2025. Second by Gatto. Motion Carried 6-1. Nays: Mandelbaum.**

WITHDRAWN

[24-1034](#)

- (A) ~~[Final](#) consideration of ordinance above (waiver requested by Scott Sanders, City Manager), requires six votes.~~

[24-1035](#)

MOTION TO ADJOURN. **Moved by Gatto to adjourn at 10:44 AM. Second by Coleman. Motion Carried 7-0.**

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