



Text Amendment to address Power Assisted Beach Carts

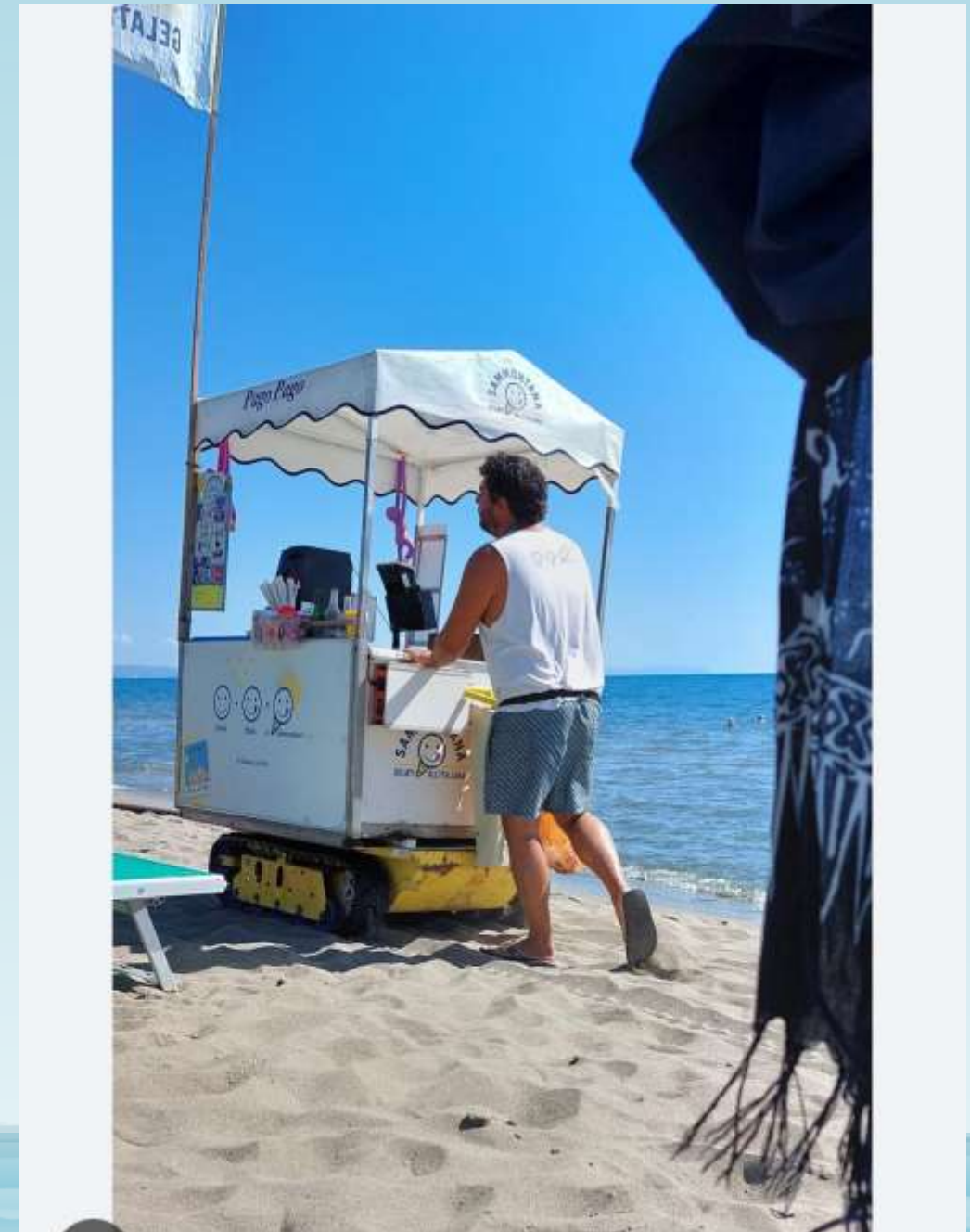
Applicant: Uncle Vinny's

History

- 1996 – 3 permits
- 2007 – 2 permits
- 2011 – 5 permits
- 2019 – 6 permits
- 2023 – 10 permits

Proposed Change

- (a) Non-motorized Beach carts.
 - (1) A maximum of ten permits shall be authorized by the Town to sell food, beverages and sundries.
 - (2) Each permit shall allow one non-motorized or power-assisted cart to access the municipal beach strand and/or Freeman Park.
 - i. Power-assisted carts shall be electric powered only.
 - ii. Gas powered beach carts shall be prohibited.



Staff Concerns

- Crowded beach strand
- Non-motorized carts operate on wet sand
- Block emergency lane
- Mechanical issues / leaks
- Existing vehicles used by emergency personnel + beach services
- Increased response time
- Speed
- Maneuvering

Motion

Approval – to amend Ch. 28, Art. I to allow for power assisted beach carts

Denial – to amend Ch. 28, Art. I to allow for power assisted beach carts

Further Direction/Discussion