



CITY OF KING CITY COUNCIL

MEETING DATE:

August 4th, 2025

PART A

Subject: Change to City Ordinance to allow Alcohol at Central Park

Action Requested: Approve changes to the city's code of ordinances

Attachments: Ordinance Amendment, Public Hearing Ordinance Change Ad, Ordinance Resolution

This abstract requires review by:

City Manager

City Attorney

Benjamin Marion, City Engineer

PART B

Introduction and Background:

Per the request of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board's recommendation at the April 11th, 2025 meeting, the board would like to change the City of King's Park and Recreation Ordinance, Chapter 20-10, subsection 11 to allow alcohol at Central Park only with a special events permit as well as supporting documentation required by the special events permit to include meeting ABC boards guidelines to sell and consume alcohol at public events. A revision to the city's special events permit will be brought before the council in August 2025. With this recommendation by the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, city staff have made changes to the ordinance throughout chapter 20, specifically section 6, to clarify contact information for the Parks and Recreation Department within the ordinance.

Discussion and Analysis:

With liquor by the drink and mixed beverages now being allowed inside the City of King, the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board feels that changing this ordinance along with the special events permit will promote outside organizations utilizing Central Park, specifically the Amphitheater location, for more events on a much more frequent schedule. This item's Public Hearing was done at the June 2nd, 2025, meeting to allow input to changes of the city's code of ordinances.

Budgetary Impact:

With more events being held at more frequency, more rental fees along with shared profiting would create more revenue for the City of King's Park and Recreation Department.

Recommendation:

Approve changes to ordinance.