



Memorandum

Meeting Details: October 22, 2025 – Board of Commissioners Regular Workshop Meeting
Prepared For: Honorable Mayor Brooks and the Board of Commissioners
Staff Contact: Community Development Department (Marci Forbes)
Subject: Noise Ordinance Discussion

Background & Discussion:

At the request of the Board of Commissioners, City Staff is reviewing our noise ordinance, documented complaints as provided by the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office (PCSO), and how we can better define our ordinance for clearer public understanding and enforcement. The timing for our local discussion now coincides with Pinellas County revising their noise ordinance as well. The revised Pinellas County noise ordinance has been included in the agenda packet for review. Since our noise ordinance refers to the Pinellas County ordinance, city staff is actively reviewing these changes to determine how the ordinance will impact our existing interpretations and enforcement.

Fiscal Impact:

Increased enforcement might require additional staff and equipment. Any revisions to the code will also cause increased staff and or subconsultant time.

Recommendation(s):

1. City staff will need to review the changes adopted by Pinellas County and determine how these changes impact our existing ordinance.
2. Review the cases provided to staff, by the PCSO on October 10, 2025, for reoccurring issues, locations, time frames, etc.
3. Based on completion of items #1 & #2 above, staff will provide more specific feedback and recommendations.

Attachments/Corresponding Documents:

Madeira Beach Noise Ordinance Article III

Pinellas County Noise Ordinance Revision Redline Version for ease of Review 25-17

Pinellas County Ordinance 25-17 Final Version 9.22.25