Ord. No. 21C-16: Updating Interim Regulations for Outdoor Dining

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Legislative History

- August 4, 2020: Adopted Ord. No. 20C-17, authorizing interim regulations to enable use of ROW and private parking for outdoor dining
- **September 15, 2020**: Conducted Public Hearing and provided update on regulation use
- **February 16, 2021**: Adopted Ord. No. 21C-03, reinstating the interim regulations
- April 6, 2021: Conducted Public Hearing and provided update on regulation use



What's in the new ordinance?

- Continues previous interim regulations enabling use of ROW or private parking for outdoor dining by existing eating and drinking establishments
- Waives minimum parking regulations for duration of the ordinance
- Repeals Ord. 21C-03, which is only effective while indoor dining is restricted to 75% or less





Duration & Next Steps

- Once adopted, Ord. 21C-16 remains in effect for six more months following the adoption
- Prepared to follow up with current ROW permit holder to renew permit
- Staff will return on August 31 to hold the Public Hearing and to seek direction on formalizing interim regulations that have enabled outdoor dining and other local business needs during the pandemic



Recommended Action

Adopt Ordinance No. 21C-16 updating and replacing interim regulations to allow more outdoor seating for existing eating and drinking establishments during the declared COVID-19 emergency and setting a Public Hearing date of April 6, 2021.

