

# COUNCIL ITEM AGENDA REQUEST FORM

**Department:** Administration

**Meeting Date:** 05/01/2025 **Staff Contact:** Phillip Trocquet

**Agenda Section:** Old Business

## **Staff Report:**

### **Item Description:**

Consideration of a text amendment to Section 4-1 of Article VI of the Alcohol Ordinance regarding definitions.

#### **Background/History:**

In review of the Town's alcohol ordinance in conjunction with the requested modifications for parks and special events, it was found that the definitions section for Restaurant was particularly restrictive and not in keeping with the spirit of recent changes.

#### **Findings/Current Activity:**

Staff found that certain provisions regarding the minimum number of persons, layout of seating, and operating hours was overly prescriptive and not consistent with some existing restaurants currently in operation who have sought, had, or will potentially seek an alcohol license.

As such, this language was simplified to be more consistent with existing and potential future restaurant businesses.

#### **Actions/Options/Recommendations:**

Staff recommends approval of this text amendment.