

**ORDINANCE TO
AMEND SECTION 428-11 OF THE CITY OF WATERTOWN GENERAL
ORDINANCES**

**SPONSOR: ALD. DAVIS
FROM: PUBLIC SAFETY AND WELFARE COMMITTEE**

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATERTOWN DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. § 428-11 of the Watertown Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

The Watertown Farmers Market, which occurs within the corporate City limits of the City of Watertown on each Tuesday of each month between May and November, shall be administered by the Watertown Area Chamber of Commerce or Watertown Main Street Program. Subject to the following restrictions, the operation and promotion of the event, including the establishment of rules and regulations governing the vendors, the location of the vendors' leased stalls, and appropriate fees, are delegated to the Chamber of Commerce or Watertown Main Street Program, which shall retain all revenues that it generates.

- A. Location of farmers market. The farmers market may be held within the border of Riverside Park, which includes the volleyball area, the ball diamonds, the island, swimming pool and entire area between Labaree Street and the Rock River from Boughton Street west up to and including the west playground area. as defined at § 428-15 of Article IV of this chapter. A person who has leased space shall not place any merchandise outside of the limits of the stall assigned by the Watertown Area Chamber of Commerce or Watertown Main Street Program and must stay within the perimeter of his leased area. Sale of merchandise by any firm or person at the farmers market other than within the confines of leased stalls as mentioned hereinabove is prohibited.
- B. Sale of livestock. No person shall offer for sale, barter, trade or give away any animals at the farmers market.
- C. Anne Street (East of Labaree Street and West of the Aquatic Center entrance) may be closed to thru traffic during the hours of the Watertown Farmers Market.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force the day after its passage and publication.

<i>DATE:</i>	July 2, 2025		August 6, 2025	
<i>READING:</i>	<i>1ST</i>		<i>2ND</i>	
	<i>YES</i>	<i>NO</i>	<i>YES</i>	<i>NO</i>
DAVIS				
LAMPE				
BERG				
BARTZ				
BLANKE				
SMITH				
ARNETT				
WETZEL				
MOLDENHAUER				
MAYOR STOCKS				
<i>TOTAL</i>				

ADOPTED August 6, 2025

CITY CLERK

APPROVED August 6, 2025

MAYOR