

RESOLUTIONS OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA

RESOLUTION NO. 26076

A RESOLUTION SUSPENDING THE PROHIBITION OF CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND POSSESSION OF OPEN CONTAINERS OF INTOXICATING BEVERAGES ON CITY PROPERTY WITHIN THE DOWNTOWN URBAN RENEWAL DISTRICT FOR EVENTS TAKING PLACE ON JULY 16 AND 17, 2021

WHEREAS, §7-14-1, Helena City Code, prohibits the consumption of alcoholic beverages on the City's rights-of-way, including public ways, streets, alleys, parks and other places owned by the City unless a permit has been issued by the City Manager;

WHEREAS, §5-1-1, Helena City Code, possession of intoxicating beverages on the streets, alleys, parks or on any other public premises is prohibited unless a permit has been granted pursuant to §7-14-1, Helena City Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission desires to suspend the prohibition in §7-14-1 and §5-1-1, Helena City Code within the Downtown Urban Renewal District as defined by Ordinance 3242 and amended by Ordinance 3275 adopted October 29, 2018 and November 18, 2019 respectively for events taking place on July 16 and 17, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA:

Section 1. The City Commission hereby suspends the prohibitions in §§7-14-1 and 5-1-1, Helena City Code within the

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Downtown Urban Renewal District as defined by Ordinance 3242 and amended by Ordinance 3275 adopted October 29, 2018 and November 18, 2019 respectively for events taking place on July 16 and 17, 2021. Consumption of alcoholic beverages and possession of open containers of intoxicating beverages is expressly permitted on the City's rights-of-way, including public ways, streets, alleys, parks, and public premises and other places owned by the City without a permit issued by the City Manager within the Downtown Urban Renewal District as defined by Ordinance 3242 and amended by Ordinance 3275 adopted October 29, 2018 and November 18, 2019 respectively for events taking place on July 16 and 17, 2021.

Section 2. The commercial use and other temporary uses of public right-of-way, including the sale of alcoholic beverages is still regulated by Title 7, Chapter 13, Sections 4 and 5, "Nonexclusive Right-of-Way Use" and "Exclusive Right-of-Way Use." Further, the provisions of Title 7, Chapter 9, "Pedestrian Mall" are not affected by this Resolution.

**PASSED AND EFFECTIVE BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA,
MONTANA, THIS 21st DAY OF JUNE, 2021.**

/S/ WILMOT COLLINS
MAYOR

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ATTEST:

/S/ DANNAI CLAYBORN
CLERK OF THE COMMISSION