

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

09-0113R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN PUBLIC PLACES IN CANAL PARK ON JUNE 20, 2009, IN CONJUNCTION WITH GRANDMA'S MARATHON AND SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS.

CITY PROPOSAL:

BE IT RESOLVED, that pursuant to Section 8-22(b) of the Duluth City Code, the Duluth City Council hereby authorizes consumption of alcoholic beverages in public places in the areas bounded by Commerce Street, the Lakeshore, Canal Park Drive and Lake Avenue during the marathon on June 20, 2009, to coincide with Grandma's Marathon special events license, provided that all alcoholic beverages consumed outside of the designated serving areas of licensed establishments be consumed only from paper or plastic cups.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the dates of this authority may be amended, in the case of inclement weather, if requested in writing by the licensee and approved by the administration.

Approved:

Approved for presentation to council:

Police Chief

Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:

Attorney

DPD/CLERK JJC:mao 2/9/2009

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution waives the drinking in public prohibition for the end area of Grandmas Marathon. Such waiver for special events is authorized by Section 8-22(b) of the City Code and is requested by the police department after consultation with the race sponsors to eliminate the law enforcement problem of having to take action against persons wandering beyond the designated service areas with drinks. For safety purposes, all alcoholic beverages consumed in these areas will have to be in paper cups.