

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

10-0481R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN PUBLIC PLACES ON SEPTEMBER 18, 2010, IN CONJUNCTION WITH HILLFEST 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 on Fourth Street between Fifth and Seventh Avenues East on September 18, 2010, between 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to coincide with Neighborhood Housing Services of Duluth 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:

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Police Chief

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Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:

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Attorney

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution waives the drinking in public prohibition for Hillfest. 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 Neighborhood Housing Services of Duluth 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.