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AGENDA ITEM

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Crossroads Crush Festival

DATE: May 18, 2015

RE: Crossroads Crush Festival

Issue:

The Crossroads Crush Festival will be held in the downtown business area on September 26, 2015. The Crossroads Crush Festival Committee would like to allow Festival visitors the ability to drink and purchase malt liquor (beer), wine, and/or mixed drinks in a designated area. The Crossroads Crush Festival Committee would like to limit the public consumption and sale of alcoholic beverages to a specific time commencing on Saturday September 26 at 11:30 am till 6:30 pm.

Recommendation:

Council to allow the Mayor to sign an ordinance to allow the Crossroads Crush Festival Committee and people visiting the Festival, the ability to drink malt liquor (beer), mixed drinks, and/or wine in the designated area as described.

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AN ORDINANCE STATING EXCEPTIONS TO SECTION 6-115. DRINKING IN PUBLIC ALLOWED, OF DIVISION 1. GENERALLY, OF ARTICLE V. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OF CHAPTER 6, LICENSES AND BUSINESS REGULATIONS WITH RESPECT TO PUBLIC SALE AND CONSUMPTION OF MALT LIQUOR AND WINE IN THE STREET AREA ON CHERRY STREET BETWEEN THIRD STREET AND SECOND STREET INCLUDING PUBLIC RIGHT A WAY WITHIN THE CITY OF CAMERON, MISSOURI (Crossroads Crush Festival)

WHEREAS, the Aiden McVicker Charitable Foundation will be hosting a local Music, Art, and Spirits Festival in the area of McCorkle Park and the downtown business district on Saturday, September 26, 2015 from 12:00 pm until 6:00 pm. The festival will be called the 'Crossroads Crush Festival'; and

WHEREAS, the Crossroads Crush Festival Committee asked that the Cameron City Council allow Festival visitors the ability to drink and purchase malt liquor (beer),wine, and/or mixed drinks in a designated area; and

WHEREAS, the Crossroads Crush Committee asked that the Cameron City Council limit the public consumption and sale of alcoholic beverages to a specific time and well-defined area during the Festival event.

WHEREAS, vendors duly licensed and authorized, intend to establish defined venues for public sale and consumption of malt liquor and wine; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cameron recognized the necessity of limiting public sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages of all types to well-defined areas.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Cameron, Clinton and DeKalb Counties, Missouri, as follows:

Section 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 6-115 of the revised Ordinances of the City of Cameron, which shall continue in full force and effect except for September 26, 2015 in the street area of Third Street starting at Walnut Street to Cherry Street and Chestnut Street from Third Street to Fourth Street. Also, all of McCorkle Park and in case of bad weather all of the property north of McCorkle Park commonly referred to as the Old Middle School Building. The described areas include sidewalks and Public Right a Way upon which date there shall be permitted and authorization to a duly licensed applicant to sell alcohol on public property and to allow public consumption of alcohol on public property in accordance with a picnic license duly issued by the State of Missouri, the County of Clinton and the City of Cameron.

Section 2. The Mayor is authorized to sign this Ordinance.

Section 3. The City Clerk is directed to attest to the Mayor's signature.

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Section 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

Passed and approved on first reading this 1st day of June 2015.
Passed and approved on second reading this _____ day of _____ 2015.
Passed and approved on third and final reading this _____ day of _____ 2015.

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Mayor Dennis M. Clark

ATTEST:

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City Clerk/Finance Clerk

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