

Common Council Report

Agenda Item: Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Ordinance #495 Concerning Possession of Alcoholic Beverages in Public Areas – Veterans Park
Meeting Date: April 6, 2022
Presenter: Jenny Salvo, City Clerk
Department: City Hall

Conformance with Strategic Plan:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Affordability & Financial Stability
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Safe, Inclusive, Welcoming Community
<input type="checkbox"/>	Diverse Opportunities for Fun and Life-Long Learning
<input type="checkbox"/>	High Performing Organization with Professional Staff
<input type="checkbox"/>	Environment for Business Success with Thoughtful Growth and Development

Summary

Sec. 50-115 provides regulations for the possession of alcoholic beverages in certain public areas. There has been a request to allow fermented malt beverages and wine in the pavilion at Veterans Park.

Analysis and Key Issues

Sec. 50-115 (b) generally prohibits alcoholic beverages in public areas with the exception of Community House, Lamar Park and Central Park. To apply for this exemption, a park use or special event permit is required to be submitted to the City Clerk.

The pavilion in Veterans Park was completed and a dedication held July 5, 2020. Since the ordinance was last amended in December of 2013, the ordinance does not include the Veterans Park Pavilion as an exemption. Veterans Park has been consistently rented from its completion by residents and organizations. To stay consistent with other rental pavilions/structures, staff would like to receive direction from the Common Council on adding Veterans Park as an exemption.

Fiscal Impact

The City may see an increase in the use of the pavilion with this change.

Recommended Motion

Staff recommends approval of Ordinance #495 Amending Section 50-115(b) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milton Concerning Possession of Alcoholic Beverages in Public Areas

Attachments

- Ordinance #495 – Ordinance Amending Section 50-115 (b) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milton Concerning Possession of Alcoholic Beverages in Public Areas

