

TOWN OF HOMER  
STATE OF ILLINOIS  
COUNTY OF WILL

OFFICIAL TOWNSHIP POLICY APPROVED BY TOWN BOARD

Description: Policy on Alcohol use and consumption on Township managed Public Properties  
Resolution or Order # 4107122010  
Effective Date: 7-12-10  
Approval Date: 7-12-10

A POLICY RESOLUTION REGARDING ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION, CONTROL AND POSSESSION ON TOWNSHIP MANAGED PUBLIC PROPERTIES

WHEREAS, Homer Township has a policy of no alcohol permitted on public property under its control and management as recommended by the Township Officials of Illinois Risk Management Association; and

WHEREAS, the no alcohol policy is posted by signage at each of its properties and various other locations under the jurisdiction of Homer Township, and

WHEREAS, there is limited or no liability insurance coverage (depending on the circumstance) to protect Homer Township and its taxpayers from potential alcohol associated legal and medical claims; therefore, payment for any damages, medical or legal claims would be the sole responsibility of Homer Township; and

WHEREAS, on occasion the Homer Town Board finds it desirable to make certain exception to said policy to allow alcohol for a specific event by certain organized groups using township facilities and properties at their own risk;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Homer Town Board as follows:

Section 1. Homer Township will continue its policy of "No alcohol permitted" on its properties used by the general population. The Township will continue to post this information at each property and in any other manner that would help to fortify their position should a legal claim be registered.

Section 2. If the Homer Township Board should vote at a Board meeting to approve making an exception to the no alcohol policy and thereby allow an individual resident or group to serve, sell or give away liquor at a specific event; a dram shop policy should be obtained and provided to the Township Supervisor or designee at least three (3) business days prior to the event. The policy should specify the specific coverage afforded and the time and date of the approved event.

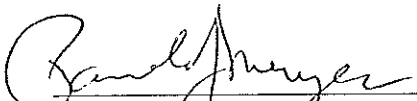
Section 3. If the Homer Township Board should vote at a Board meeting to approve making an exception to the no alcohol policy and thereby allow an individual resident or group to bring and consume their own alcohol at a specific event, the township will require the individual or group to provide proof of Host Liquor Liability coverage with a limit of no less than \$1,000,000. The minimum amount of coverage will be determined at the Board meeting when the exception to the policy is granted and based upon the nature and circumstances of the planned event. The Township Supervisor or designee shall be provided a copy of the complete and entire insurance policy identifying Homer Township as the

Additional Insured, and, the policy should indicate the specific date and time of the approved event at least three (3) business days prior to the event.

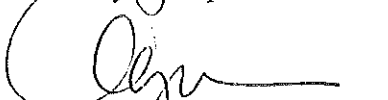
Section 4. The Homer Town Board will enforce this policy to the best of their ability. If these conditions of the exceptions to the policy have not been complied in advance of the event taking place, the event will not be allowed to continue or take place. Further, if an individual or group does not comply with the policy, they will be banned from holding future events on Homer Township public properties and/or Homer Township will file a complaint with the appropriate Law Enforcement Agency having jurisdiction over the location.

Section 5. If any provision of this order is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect.


THIS POLICY NOW ADOPTED by the Homer Town Board as signed below on July 12, 2010.

  
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Pam Meyers, Supervisor

  
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Steve Balich, Clerk

  
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