

CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
ORDINANCE 1138

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA, AMENDING
SECTION 6.12.040 OF THE CORDOVA MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING ISSUANCE OF USE
PERMITS FOR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – CONSUMPTION IN PUBLIC PLACES

WHEREAS, the Cordova Center is currently booking events such as conferences, concerts, weddings, etc.;
and

WHEREAS, the consumption of alcoholic beverages at such events is customary, expected by the sponsoring
entity, and enhances the marketability of the Cordova Center; and

WHEREAS, it has become impractical to have the City Council except by use permit the Cordova Center
from the provisions of 6.12.030 each time an event is scheduled.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Cordova, that:

Section 1. Section 6.12.040 of the Cordova Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

6.12.030 - Alcoholic beverages—Consumption in public places.

A. It is unlawful for any person to consume any alcoholic beverage on any public street, alley or
highway within the city limits or in or upon the grounds of any city building or property, except as
permitted by ordinance, use permit or regulation.

B. It is unlawful for any person to possess any open bottle, can, or other receptacle, containing any
alcoholic beverage on any public street, sidewalk or alley within the city limits or in or upon the grounds
of any municipal building or property, except as permitted by ordinance, use permit or regulation.

C. The city council is authorized to designate public areas and places within the city limits, in addition
to those specified in subsection A and B of this section, in which the consumption of alcoholic
beverages or possession of open alcoholic beverage containers is prohibited, and to cause signs to be
posted in such areas or places advising members of the public of the prohibition.

6.12.040 - Exceptions.

A. The city council is authorized by use permit to except any public street, alley, highway, city building
or city property from Section 6.12.030.


**B. The city manager or his designee is authorized by use permit to except special events at the
Cordova Center from Section 6.12.030.**


Section 2. This ordinance shall be effective thirty (30) days after its passage and publication. This
ordinance shall be enacted in accordance with Section 2.13 of the Charter of the City of
Cordova, Alaska, and published within ten (10) days after its passage.

1st reading: November 4, 2015
2nd reading and public hearing: November 18, 2015



PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 18th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2015


James Kacsh, Mayor

Attest: 
Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk

[ADDED LANGUAGE BOLD AND UNDERLINED, REMOVED LANGUAGE STRICKEN OUT]