

City of the Village of Clarkston

375 Depot Road
Clarkston, Michigan 48346

Resolution - Temporary Use of City Property on E. Washington by Old Village Café

WHEREAS, throughout the COVID pandemic, the City has endeavored to assist our struggling local businesses, including the temporary suspension of paid parking and parking enforcement and the temporary closing of E. Church Street, and;

WHEREAS, in December 2020 the City submitted an application to Oakland County's Restaurant Relief Grant and was ultimately awarded \$11,500 in products, including three (3) greenhouses and one (1) igloo to enable increased outdoor restaurant seating during COVID, and;

WHEREAS, one (1) of the greenhouses was allocated to the Old Village Café (2. S. Main) under the assumption that this 8' x 12' structure could temporarily occupy ~~one (1)~~ **two (2)** E. Washington parking spaces and ~~approximately 12'~~ **of the adjacent** sidewalk owned by the City (Note: plenty of space remains for pedestrians to walk around the greenhouse without walking in the street), and;

WHEREAS, it is therefore proposed that the Old Village Café be allowed to temporarily use ~~one (1)~~ **two (2)** parking spaces and ~~12'~~ **of the adjacent** sidewalk owned by the City to seat and serve customers in the one (1) allocated greenhouse, provided concrete barricades are installed next to the structure, and;

WHEREAS, it is further proposed that the timeframe for this temporary approval align with that given to Union Joints for the use E. Church Street, and;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City approves the temporary usage through Sunday, May 2, 2021 of ~~one (1)~~ **two (2)** parking spaces and ~~12'~~ **of the adjacent** sidewalk on E. Washington by the Old Village Café to place one (1) greenhouse to expand their outdoor seating capacity during the COVID pandemic, provided that the Cafe' owners list the City as an additionally insured party on their insurance policy and that all existing operational, health and fire ordinances that currently apply to the Cafe are extended to this outdoor space.

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Resolution is Adopted

Resolution is Defeated

Jennifer Speagle, City Clerk

January 25, 2021

Date