

**ORDINANCE 08-2023**  
**AMENDING CHAPTER 109 OF THE VILLAGE OF**  
**COTTAGE GROVE CODE OF ORDINANCES**

The Village Board for the Village of Cottage Grove, Dane County Wisconsin, does hereby ordain as follows:

**Section I:** Chapter 109-28 of the Village of Cottage Grove Code of Ordinances is amended as follows:

§ 109-28 Alcoholic beverages in Village parks and public buildings.

A. Restrictions.

(1) Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages is prohibited in Village parks except under either of the following circumstances.

(a) ~~No~~The person has obtained the applicable temporary alcohol license.

(b) ~~person shall possess, serve, or consume an alcoholic beverage in a Village park except by permit issued by the Village Clerk or designee.~~Alcohol is served at a private event that is not open to the public and no charge is imposed for alcoholic beverages. If alcohol will be served at such an event, the person organizing the event must notify the Village Police Department at least seven calendar days prior to the event.

(2) No person shall ~~at any time~~ possess, serve, or consume an alcoholic beverage in a parking lot of a Village park, in the parking lot of or in any Village building, on the grounds of or other public areas adjacent to a Village park or building.

~~B.~~  
~~Permits.~~

~~(1)~~  
~~All requests for a permit to possess, serve, or consume alcoholic beverages under this section shall contain the name and address of the individual responsible for the conduct of the persons represented by the permit, the number of persons to be included in the permit, the type/types of alcoholic beverages to be possessed, served, or consumed and other information which may be required in the opinion of the Village Clerk or designee or the Village Board.~~

~~(2)~~

~~All permits shall be made available to the appropriate agencies by the applicant, upon request. Failure to show proof of a permit shall be sufficient grounds for revocation of the permit, confiscation of alcoholic beverages, and subject the offender to arrest.~~

~~C.~~

~~The following statement shall appear on all permits: "The individual whose name appears above is responsible for the conduct of all persons covered by this permit, as well as all the conditions of the permit as noted above. Violation of Chapter 109 of the Village Code may result in confiscation of alcoholic beverages, revocation of this permit and may subject the offender to arrest."~~

~~D. The Village Board may waive the requirements of this section, upon proper justification, for major public events, or other events of benefit to the general public. The grant or denial of permits by the Village Clerk or designee are appealable to the Board.~~

~~E. Fees. Any person serving alcohol under subsection A. in a Village park shall pay a fee to the Village in accordance with the Village's fee schedule.~~

**Section II:** This ordinance shall take effect upon compliance with the publication/posting requirements of the Wisconsin Statutes.

Adopted this 2 day of October, 2023.

BY ORDER OF THE VILLAGE BOARD  
VILLAGE OF COTTAGE GROVE



John Williams, Village President

Attest:



Lisa Kalata, Village Clerk