



GARDINER CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION SHEET



Meeting Date	09/16/2020	Department	City Council
Agenda Item	4.k Consider Request from Backyard Dogs Catering Hot Dog Cart/Use of Common and Waterfront Park		
Est. Cost	n/a		

Background Information

At a recent City Council meeting proposed amendments to Chapter 12 Mobile Food Vending Units were adopted. Part of those amendments was the inclusion of a mobile vending unit rules when they are not part of a festival or other community event and want to be located on public property. The rule states that when a unit is placed on public property other than a street or the Waterfront Park it would be allowed with prior approval of the City Manager or City Council and shall be placed in the location designated by the City Manager.

Backyard Dogs Catering is seeking permission to locate their hot dog cart on the grassy area of the Common. This location will allow customers to be served while standing outside of the travel way of the street. The owner has also been made aware of hours of service available (6:00am-11:00pm), use of flags, daily cleanings, and the requirement of the cart to be removed nightly.

As this is the first request for these new amendments, the Mayor asked that this item be brought forth to the City Council for their consideration.

Requested Action	'I move to allow Backyard Dogs Catering to place a mobile hot dog cart on the Common as long as all site requirements are adhered to and met.'
City Manager and/or Finance Review	The City Manager recommends the above action.
Council Vote/ Action Taken	
Departmental Follow-Up	

City Clerk Use Only	1 st Reading _____	Advertised _____	EFFECTIVE DATE _____
	2 nd Reading _____	Advertised _____ w/in 15 Days	
	Final to Dept _____	Updated Book _____	Online _____