ORDINANCE NO. 2020-25

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO APPROVE THE SALE OF LIQUOR AT FRED FULLER PARK FOR THE ANNUAL ART IN THE PARK FESTIVAL BEING HELD SEPTEMBER 12, 2020 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 13, 2020, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Kent Parks and Recreation Department would like to include a wine festival at the annual Art in the Park Festival being held on September 12, 2020 through September 13, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the wine festival will include a minimum of 5 local wineries to showcase and offer taste testing along with the opportunity to sell bottles of wine to the patrons and

WHEREAS, the Kent Parks and Recreation Department would like approval for the sale of liquor prior to applying for a liquor license through the State of Ohio Department of Commerce.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Kent, Portage County, Ohio, at least three-fourths (3/4) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Kent City Council authorizes the City Manager or his designee to approve the sale of liquor at Fred Fuller Park for the annual Art in the Park prior to applying for the liquor license through the State of Ohio Department of Commerce.

SECTION 2. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the residents of this City, for which reason and other reasons manifest to this Council this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force immediately after passage.

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PASSED: <u>April 15, 2020</u> Date EFFECTIVE: <u>April 15, 3620</u> Date	Jerry T. Fiala Mayor and President of Council
ATTEST: Amy Wilkens Clerk of Council	
I, AMY WILKENS, CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, AND STATE OF OHIO, AND IN WHOSE CUSTODY THE ORIGINAL FILES AND RECORDS OF SAID COUNCIL ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF ORDINANCE NO, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON, 20	
(SEAL)	

AMY WILKENS CLERK OF COUNCIL