

DOWNTOWN DAYTON PARTNERSHIP

DOWNTOWN DORA FACT SHEET

Information for Business Owners:

1. Hours of Operation of the Downtown Designated Outdoor Refreshment Area (the “DORA”) will be from 12:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m., seven days per week. The City of Dayton maintains the ability to modify these hours based on the ability to maintain safety and welfare. The City Manager and/or Police Chief may, in whole or in part, suspend DORA hours of operation or days of operation from time to time in their discretion.
2. Beer and intoxicating liquor to be consumed outdoors shall be served only in plastic containers approved by the Director or Planning, Neighborhoods & Development. The Downtown Dayton Partnership (the “DDP”) will be responsible for the purchase and dissemination of plastic containers to participating businesses.
3. The Chief of Police shall suspend operation of the DORA on St. Patrick's Day and may suspend the DORA for other designated special events. Suspension of the DORA will be communicated to the designated DORA contact and communicated via the news media and social media platforms.
4. The following rules and guidelines shall apply to the DORA and will be posted on the DDP’s website:
 - a. A person may have in their possession an open container of beer, wine or other alcohol if in an outdoor location within the DORA if the open container of beer, wine, or other alcohol is contained within the Official Cup of the DORA and was purchased from a qualified permit holder whose premises is located within the DORA. A map of the DORA is attached as **Exhibit A**.
 - b. No person shall enter the premises of another permitted establishment within the DORA while possessing an open container of beer, wine, or other alcohol acquired elsewhere.
 - c. All beer, wine, or other alcohol to be consumed in an outdoor location within the Downtown DORA district and outside boundaries of an existing liquor licensed establishments must be served in the Official DORA Cup and must be contained in the Official DORA Cup.
 - d. Only one Official Cup will be permitted at a time per DORA patron.
 - e. Official Cups will be procured and distributed to participating liquor-licensed establishments by the DDP. No other cup can be substituted for the Official Cup.

- f. DORA patrons may not leave the DORA boundaries with an open container.
- g. DORA patrons may only have an open DORA container during the DORA hours of operation.
- h. Owners of unpermitted businesses may determine if and when to allow open DORA containers in their establishments.

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Exhibit A

