



Council Study Meeting
July 21, 2014
6:00 p.m.
City Council Chambers

Agenda

1. Discuss noise permit
2. Discuss Waste Treatment Operations
3. Other items

City Council Study Meeting

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Meeting Date: 07/21/2014

Information

Subject

Discuss noise permit

Information

In your packet is the current noise permit application and code section 40.03(2).

Attachments

Noise Ordinance

Noise Application

2. **Noise.** Make loud and raucous noise in the vicinity of any residence or public building which causes unreasonable distress to the occupants thereof.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 723.4 [2])

3. **Abusive Language.** Direct abusive epithets or make any threatening gesture which the person knows or reasonably should know is likely to provoke a violent reaction by another.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 723.4 [3])

4. **Disrupt Lawful Assembly.** Without lawful authority or color of authority, disturb any lawful assembly or meeting of persons by conduct intended to disrupt the meeting or assembly.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 723.4 [4])

5. **False Report of Catastrophe.** By words or action, initiate or circulate a report or warning of fire, epidemic, or other catastrophe, knowing such report to be false or such warning to be baseless.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 723.4 [5])

6. **Disrespect of Flag.** Knowingly and publicly use the flag of the United States in such a manner as to show disrespect for the flag as a symbol of the United States, with the intent or reasonable expectation that such use will provoke or encourage another to commit a public offense.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 723.4 [6])

7. **Obstruct Use of Street.** Without authority or justification, obstruct any street, sidewalk, highway, or other public way, with the intent to prevent or hinder its lawful use by others.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 723.4 [7])

8. **Sound Equipment.** Operate, play or permit the operation or playing of any sound equipment as to create a noise disturbance at a distance of fifty (50) feet or more from the device, when operated in or on a motor vehicle on a public right-of-way or public space. For purposes of this subsection, "noise disturbance" means any sound which endangers or injures the welfare, safety or health of a human being or disturbs a reasonable person of normal sensitivities or devalues or injures personal or real property.

40.04 UNLAWFUL ASSEMBLY. It is unlawful for three (3) or more persons to assemble together, with them or any of them acting in a violent manner, and with intent that they or any of them will commit a public offense.



Indianola Noise Permit Application

Date: _____

Dear Event Organizer:

From time to time residents and visitors to our community wish to hold events that would normally be in violation of laws and ordinances pertaining to noise. In an effort to allow such events and still maintain quality of life issues for our residents, the City developed this process to allow outdoor events that have music or extraordinary noise.

This application provides the information to petition the police chief for a noise permit. Please take time to read this information and feel free to contact City Hall at 515-961-9410 or email me at dbowlin@cityofindianola.com with any questions.

Rules and Regulations

1. The city manager and police department shall review all applications.
2. All applications will be approved or denied by the Indianola Police Chief.
3. Events that have received prior complaints, or, are multiple days shall have council approval.
4. Applications need to be received no later than **60 days prior to the event**. If received less than 60 days prior to the event, staff will deny the application. It may be appealed to the city council, but a \$50.00 late fee shall be assessed to process late requests.
5. Multiple events may be requested on one application, i.e. 6 Bike Night events in a single year.
6. **The Indianola Police Department reserves the right to order noise reduction or to cancel any permit, dependent upon the activity or complaints related to the event.**
7. In the event that the police department discovers an outdoor music event without a permit the department shall cause the source of the noise to cease.
8. The application must include a cell number for the contact person.
9. Bands, DJ's and any source of loud noise should be directed away from residential to every extent possible.

RETURN NOISE APPLICATION TO:

110 North First Street, PO Box 299

Indianola, Iowa 50125

Phone: 515-961-9410 Fax: 515-961-9402

www.indianolaiowa.gov

E-Mail: dbowlin@cityofindianola.com

Event Name: _____

Date/Time of Event: _____

Location of Event: _____

Event Sponsor(s): _____

Contact Information:

Organization: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Today's Date: _____

Anticipated Attendance: _____ Per Day _____ Total

Event Information:

Event Starts Date: _____ Time _____ Day of Week _____

Event Ends Date: _____ Time _____ Day of Week _____

Previous Event Information

Date of Event: _____ Time of Event: _____

Please provide a map showing the event location and location of band/music,
please specify: _____ Band _____ DJ _____ Other (please specify)

RETURN NOISE APPLICATION TO:**110 North First Street, PO Box 299****Indianola, Iowa 50125****Phone: 515-961-9410 Fax: 515-961-9402****www.indianolaiowa.gov****E-Mail: dbowlin@cityofindianola.com**

APPLICANT SIGNATURE: _____

Late Fee: **Cash:** _____ **Check:** _____ **Received By:** _____

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DATE RECEIVED:				
	Signature	Date	Approved	Denied
Police Department:				
City Manager:				

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The Council Study Committee will discuss our waste treatment operations with HR Green Company.

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