

**AUGUST 1, 2011
CITY OF SENOIA
PUBLIC HEARING
AMENDMENT
TO ALCOHOL ORDINANCE
7:00 PM**

VISITORS: Stacy Fisher, Ken Hazelton, Gary Sykes, Ken Etzell, Don Rehman, Cheryl Mullinax, Suzanne Helfman, Gail Downs, Richard Miller, Chief Edens, Sarah Campbell, Gary Orschied, Pat & Chuck Eichorst, Cindy & Lee Faezell, Mary Provost, Elijah & Oscar Neundorfer, Ray & Lynn Stanelle and Josh Woods

FULL COUNCIL PRESENT

1. CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME VISITORS

Mayor Belisle called the meeting to order, welcomed visitors and C. Fisher led the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. PURPOSE OF PUBLIC HEARING

To accept comments from the public regarding the proposed amendment to the Alcohol Ordinance 11-05. The proposed ordinance calls for the referendum and establishes rules for the retail package sale of beer and wine on Sunday

3. COMMENTS FROM CITY ADMINISTRATOR

Mr. Ferry stated that the amendment would require drafting an ordinance that would call for a referendum allowing residents to choose by vote the package sale of beer & wine on Sundays between the hours of 12:30 PM and 11:30 PM.

4. COMMENTS FROM PUBLIC

Gary Orschied asked for clarification and was told that this is for package from the grocery store or convenience/gas stations as the City already has consumption of distilled spirits on Sundays.

For point of clarification, Don Rehman asked if we have a package store and was told that we do not have a package store for distilled spirits but we currently allow the sale of beer and wine package and are asking for residents to decide for their sale on Sundays.

5. COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL

6. ADJOURN

Mayor Belisle made motion to adjourn the August 1, 2011 Public Hearing & was 2nd by C. Grover. Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert K. Belisle, Mayor

Debra J. Volk, City Clerk