

ORDINANCE NO. 25-08

An Ordinance Amending ARTICLE 7, FIELD PARTIES AND LARGE ASSEMBLIES, to amend the Issuance of Licenses ordinance.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Ham Lake, Anoka County, Minnesota as follows:

ARTICLE 7, FIELD PARTIES AND LARGE ASSEMBLIES of the Ham Lake City Code is hereby amended as indicated in the following sections:

7-614 Issuance of Licenses

- A. Issuance Criteria.** Licenses shall be issued by the City Clerk. The City Clerk shall issue the license if all of the provisions of this Code have been satisfied, PROVIDED, that with regard to Article 7- 613 (A) (6) hereof, the following shall be prohibited to protect the safety of participants:
1. Illumination primarily from motor vehicle headlights, ground fires, or other light sources located less than 10 feet above ground.
 2. The lack of a reliable communication device located within 1,000 feet of the proposed site. ~~A common citizens band radio shall not be deemed a reliable communication device.~~
 3. The existence of the site at a location greater than 1,000 feet from any traveled public road, or the existence of access to a traveled public road which access is not marked by reflectorized markings, or not passable by a four wheeled motor vehicle, or not of sufficient width to accommodate the passage of emergency vehicles.
 4. Issuance of no more than four (4) field party licenses within a 12-month period.

Presented to the Ham Lake City Council on May 5, 2025 and adopted by a unanimous vote this 19th day of May, 2025.



Denise Webster, City Clerk



Brian Kirkham, Mayor