



**Public Comments for December 8, 2020 Village Council Meeting**  
**(Comments published as of 5:00pm. Public comments can still be submitted any time before or during the meeting)**

Agenda Section	Agenda Item	Comment	Commenter
First Reading	E. ORD 2020-8781 An ordinance making certain amendments to the mobile food permitted location map	<p>Dear Mayor and Commissioners:</p> <p>Thank you for your consideration to amend the mobile food vendor regulations to include the food truck operating area, generally bounded by Rogers Street, Fairview Avenue, Prospect Avenue and the railroad tracks. A special thanks to Commissioner Kulovany for his clear understanding of the needs of business, especially during the current treacherous environment, and for bringing this option to the attention of Council. It is crucial that we all continue to support the well-being of not only the residents of Downers Grove but the business community as well. A line we've often heard during this pandemic is, 'we're in this together,' and if we've learned anything the past ten months, it is the dependence of each other for success at every level.</p> <p>Chamber630 fully supports the proposed amendment, it is directly aligned to the Legislative Platform, specifically addressing economic development and supporting our community by providing an environment in which business may thrive.</p> <p>Should the ordinance pass, we recognize that the residential community will see little to no change in their surroundings. The south side of Rogers Street has had trucks stationed there for many years. A mobile food vendor would bring not only convenience to the neighborhood, but assurance that the trucks present, are those permitted by the Village of Downers Grove.</p> <p>On behalf of the 700+ business Members and the Directors of Chamber630, we offer full support of proposed ordinance ORD2020-8781 allowing for certain amendments to the mobile food permitted location map. We also hope you will show your support to the business community and vote yes to this proposed ordinance. We thank you for your consideration.</p> <p>Sincerely,</p> <p>President &amp; CEO</p> <p>cc: Board of Directors</p>	Laura Crawford, 2001 Butterfield Rd., Downers Grove
Active Agenda	C. ORD 2020-8728 An ordinance repealing provisions concerning adult use cannabis business establishments	Please repeal this prohibition. The village can benefit from these types of businesses. Thank you.	Mark Scacco, 1080 35th Street, Downers Grove
Active Agenda	A. ORD 2020-8722 An ordinance amending zoning ordinance provisions concerning adult use cannabis establishments	Please amend the ordinance to allow for adult use cannabis establishments within the Village. The village can benefit from these types of establishments.	Mark Scacco, 1080 35th Street, Downers Grove



December 7, 2020

Mayor Robert Barnett and Commissioners  
Village of Downers Grove  
801 Burlington Avenue  
Downers Grove, IL 60515

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Laura Crawford".

President & CEO

cc: Board of Directors

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