

ORDINANCE NO. -01

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BELLEFONTE, CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA,
AMENDING THE CODIFIED BOOK OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 249: DISORDERLY
CONDUCT; ARTICLE II, CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON PUBLIC WAYS
AND GROUNDS AND IN VEHICLES**

Be it enacted and ordained by the Council of the Borough of Bellefonte, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same.

SPECIFIC PROVISIONS

Amend Section 249-2, *Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages on Public Ways and Grounds and Vehicles*, by adding a new subsection E as follows:

§ 249-2. Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages on Public Ways and Grounds and Vehicles

E. Exception for Approved Special Events.

Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsections A through D of this section, the possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages in open containers shall be permitted only during Borough-approved Special Events, subject to the following conditions:

1. The Special Event has received prior approval from Borough Council or its designee.
2. The possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages shall be limited to the specific dates, times, and geographic areas approved as part of the Special Event permit.
3. Alcoholic beverages shall be consumed only in compliance with all applicable Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board regulations, Borough policies, and any conditions imposed by the Borough as part of the event approval.
4. The Borough reserves the right to impose additional restrictions, including, but not limited to, security requirements, designated consumption areas, wristbands, or container limitations.
5. Any possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages outside the scope of the approved Special Event shall remain a violation of this section.

All other provisions of Chapter 249-2 shall remain in full force and effect.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED into an Ordinance this ____ day of ____ 2026, by the Council of the Borough of Bellefonte in lawful session assembled.

ATTEST:

BOROUGH OF BELLEFONTE:

David Pribulka
Interim Borough Manager/ Secretary

Doug Johnson
President of Council

AND NOW, to wit, this ____ day of _____ 2026, the within and above Ordinance is approved.

Gene "Buddy" Johnson, Mayor