

## **CITY COUNCIL VOTES**

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THE CITY COUNCIL HAS VOTED TO CHANGE THE NOISE ORDINANCE IN SIOUX CITY IN A COUPLE OF DIFFERENT WAYS. THE COUNCIL VOTED 3-2 TO EXTEND THE LENGTH OF TIME RELATED EQUIPMENT LIKE SPEAKERS AND AMPLIFIERS COULD BE OPERATED TO 1:30AM.

THE COUNCIL ALSO INCREASED THE NUMBER OF VIOLATIONS A PERSON OR BUSINESS COULD BE CONVICTED OF BEFORE REAPPLYING FOR A SOUND PERMIT TO TWICE.

KEITH RADIG AND TOM PADGETT VOTED AGAINST THE CHANGES.

THE COUNCIL ALSO VOTED 5-0 TO AMEND THE ANIMALS SECTION OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL CODE TO CLARIFY DENIAL OF AN EXCESS ANIMAL PERMIT AND THE DUTY OF AN ANIMAL OWNER TO PREVENT BITES OR ATTACKS.

THE COUNCIL ALSO PASSED FIRST READING OF AN ORDINANCE TO RESTRICT THE FEEDING OF DEER AND WILD TURKEYS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS.

THE SECOND READING OF THAT MEASURE WILL TAKE PLACE NEXT MONDAY.