

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-072

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 107.02(f) OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF KENT TITLED "DEFINITIONS" TO CHANGE THE LOCATION WHERE PUBLIC NOTICES SHOULD BE POSTED AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Kent, Portage County, Ohio:

SECTION 1. That Kent City Council does hereby amend Section 107.02(f) of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Kent titled "Definitions" to change the location where public notices should be posted per the Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the residents of this City, for which reason and other reasons manifest to this Council this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force immediately after passage.

PASSED: 8/20/25
Date

EFFECTIVE: 8/20/25
Date

ATTEST: Kathleen Coleman
Kathleen Coleman
Clerk of Council

Jerry T. Fiala
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Mayor and President of Council

I, KATHLEEN COLEMAN, CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, AND STATE OF OHIO, AND IN WHOSE CUSTODY THE ORIGINAL FILES AND RECORDS OF SAID COUNCIL ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF ORDINANCE No. 2025-072, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON August 20, 2025.

Kathleen Coleman
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CLERK OF COUNCIL

(SEAL)

107.02 DEFINITIONS.

(f) "Post" means to post in an area accessible to the public during the usual business hours at the office of the Clerk and the following locations: Official notification will be made on the City of Kent's website. Courtesy public postings will be made on the bulletin board located in the ~~first~~**second** floor lobby of ~~930 Overholt~~ **319 South Water** Street or such other City owned building with public access as City Council may designate. In addition, the notice shall be sent electronically to anyone requesting it, including but not limited to, news media outlets, newspapers, Kent State Library, Kent Free Library, and the City's social media accounts.