

**FACT SHEET****TITLE**

An ordinance to amend Section 10-186 concerning the security requirements of digital camera systems and to otherwise providing with respect thereto.

**DATE**

August 3, 2022

**ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT**

Shreveport Police Department

**COUNCIL DISTRICT**

City-wide

**SPONSOR****PURPOSE**

The intent is to change the wording of this section concerning digital camera systems to ensure that all bars are included under this requirement.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION****TIMETABLE**

Introduction: August 9, 2022  
Final Passage: August 23, 2022

**ATTACHMENTS****SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS**

NA

**FINANCES**

NA

**SOURCE OF FUNDS**

NA

**ALTERNATIVES**

(1) Adopt the ordinance as submitted, or (2) Amend the ordinance, or (3) Reject the ordinance.

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the ordinance.

**FACT SHEET PREPARED BY:**

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2022

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 10-186 CONCERNING THE SECURITY REQUIREMENTS OF DIGITAL CAMERA SYSTEMS AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, legal, and regular session convened, that Section 10-186 be hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 10-186. – Security requirements.**

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(c) *Digital camera systems.* Beginning September 30, 2019, all bars and package stores, or businesses which sell alcohol for off-premise consumption located within the city shall have a digital camera system capable of transferring video to a widely used, portable form of media. The cameras shall be positioned to record all entrances and exits, all stairways and elevators, all points of sale, all parking lots, and all fueling areas, including the faces of persons located in each of those areas. The cameras shall be in operation and recording any time the establishment is open for business and for one hour after closing, and shall record video indexed by date and time at a resolution of at least 1080p high definition. All recorded video shall be maintained for at least 30 days and shall be made readily available to law enforcement upon request.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that if any provision or item of this Ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this Ordinance which can be given affect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared severable.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all Ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**THUS DONE AND ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

**APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:**

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City Attorney's Office

