

## Ordinance XX-21 – Amendment to Face Coverings Ordinance

An ordinance to create Amend Chapter 54, Article II, Section 54-35 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine, Wisconsin.

The Common Council of the City of Racine, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

Part 1: Section 54-35(1)a., is amended as follows:

The words “bandanas,” and the words “scarves, and gaiters,” are deleted.

Part 2: Section 54-35(2)c.vi., is amended as follows:

The words “place including, but not limited to, a school cafeteria,” are inserted before the word “restaurant,” and the words “or permits” are inserted before the word “food.”

Part 3: Section 54-35(2)c.xii., is repealed and recreated as follows:

While giving a religious, political, media, artistic, cultural, musical, theatrical, or other public presentation for an audience, a person may remove the face covering when actively speaking or performing. This exception applies to one person or to two persons if those persons reside within the same household and are able to maintain 6 feet distancing from other individuals at all times. While the face covering is removed, any speaker or performer must remain at least 6 feet away from all other persons at all times.

Part 4: This ordinance shall take effect upon passage by a majority vote of the members-elect of the City of Racine Common Council and publication or posting as required by law.

Fiscal Note: N/A

Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes section 62.09(8)(c), the mayor shall have the veto power as to all acts of the common council, except such as to which it is expressly or by necessary implication otherwise provided. All such acts shall be submitted to the mayor by the clerk and shall be in force upon approval evidenced by the mayor’s signature, or upon failing to approve or disapprove within five days, which fact shall be certified thereon by the clerk. If the mayor disapproves the mayor’s objections shall be filed with the clerk, who shall present them to the council at its next meeting. A two-thirds vote of all the members of the council shall then make the act effective notwithstanding the objections of the mayor.