

# Ordinance No. 85-2025

By Council Member Slife

## AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

Consenting and approving the issuance of a permit for the annual Hermes Dead Sprint event, on October 25, 2025, managed by Hermes Sports & Events.

**FOR PASSAGE**  
**January 6, 2025**

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WHEREAS, this ordinance constitutes an emergency measure providing for the usual daily operation of a municipal department; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEVELAND:

Section 1. That pursuant to Section 411.06 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio 1976, this Council consents to and approves the annual Hermes Dead Sprint event, on October 25, 2025, managed by Hermes Sports & Events; START on Albers Avenue, behind West Park Station; head west; turn left on Rocky River Drive; turn left on Bradgate Avenue; turn right on West 165th Street; turn left on Chatfield Avenue; turn right on West 157th Street; continue on Westdale Avenue; turn left on West 162nd Street; turn right on Elsienna Avenue; turn right on West 168th Street; turn right on Melgrave Avenue; turn left on West 161st Street; turn left on Chatfield Avenue; turn right on West 165th Street; turn left on Bradgate Avenue; turn right on Rocky River Drive; turn right on Albers Avenue; FINISH on Albers Avenue, behind West Park Station; provided that the applicant sponsor shall meet all the requirements of Section 411.05 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976. Streets may be closed as determined by the Chief of Police and safety forces as may be necessary in order to protect the participants in the event. Said permit shall further provide that the City of Cleveland shall be fully indemnified from any and all liability resulting from the issuance of the same, to the extent and in form satisfactory to the Director of Law.

Section 2. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and, provided it receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

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**REPORT  
after second Reading**

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**READ FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME**

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**REPORTS**

referred to

**CITY CLERK**

**READ SECOND TIME**

**CITY CLERK**

**READ THIRD TIME on JANUARY 6, 2025**

**PRESIDENT**

**CITY CLERK**

**APPROVED**

**MAYOR**

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