

ORDINANCE NO.: 4804

AN ORDINANCE to create Section 2.37(A) (6), and to amend Subsection 2.37(B) and (C) and of the Code of Ordinances of the City of La Crosse regarding mobs or riots - emergency action.

THE COMMON COUNCIL of the City of La Crosse do ordain as follows:

SECTION I: Section 2.37(A) (6) is hereby created to read as follows:

(6) To exercise all of the powers conferred upon the governing body under §§ 323.14(4) (a) and/or 323.11 that appear necessary and expedient.

SECTION II: Subsection 2.37(B) and (C) are hereby amended to read as follows:

(B) WHEN PROCLAMATION EFFECTIVE.

The proclamation of emergency or other proclamation related to an emergency by the Mayor shall become effective upon the filing of the proclamation in the office of the City Clerk. The Co-Directors of Emergency Management Services shall disseminate and dissemination of the said proclamation to the public by appropriate available news media.

(C) TERMINATION.

Any proclamation issued under in accordance with this section shall terminate in accordance with law, terminate after forty-eight (48) hours from the issuance thereof or upon the issuance of a proclamation determining that an emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs first; provided, however, that such emergency may be extended by resolution of the Common Council for such additional periods of time as determined by the Common Council shall be necessary. In the event the Common Council cannot be convened, the Mayor may issue a new proclamation of emergency.

SECTION II: This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication.

_____/s/_____
Timothy Kabat, Mayor

_____/s/_____
Teri Lehrke, City Clerk

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