



HOCKING HILLS

LODGING OWNERS ASSOCIATION

10/23/25 Status Update

HHLOA would like to provide a brief status update on the proposed regulatory developments for Hocking County.

Since the town hall and public hearing, advocates have been working closely with HHLOA and our elected officials to identify a reasonable solution that benefits all parties.

Following several productive meetings, we have submitted initial proposals outlining where improvements could be made to the current draft regulations.

At this stage, our elected officials have received a significant amount of feedback and are carefully reviewing all submitted materials. They have reaffirmed that our input is being heard and appreciated, and they are taking our recommendations under consideration.

While no updated draft is available yet, we anticipate one will be released soon.

Per their request, and based on guidance from various advocacy and legal partners, we are in the process of forming a unified strategy for how to approach the next phase once that draft becomes available.

Officials have emphasized that this process will not be rushed. We have requested a follow-up meeting to discuss next steps and will share additional updates as soon as we receive more information.

Thank you for your continued engagement and thoughtful participation throughout this process.