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AN ORDINANCE

Amending Various Portions of the City of Evanston Liquor Code

NOW BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

SECTION 1: Subsection 3-4-6-(J) of the Evanston City Code of 2012, as amended, is hereby further amended by permitting off-site brewing and the sale of beer and cider produced by other brewers to read as follows:

1. It shall be unlawful for a Class J licensee to sell a container of beer for off-premises consumption unless the volume of the container is equal to or greater than twelve and one half (12.5) ounces or 375 ml.

SECTION 2: Subsection 3-4-6-(P-2) of the Evanston City Code of 2012, as amended, is hereby further amended by permitting off-site brewing and the sale of beer and cider produced by other brewers to read as follows:

(P-2) CLASS P-2 CRAFT BREWERY license shall authorize the on-site production and storage of craft beer in quantities not to exceed nine hundred thirty thousand (930,000) gallons (or thirty thousand (30,000) barrels) per year and the sale of such beer for consumption off-premises. If the State Liquor Commission provides prior approval, a P-2 Craft Brewery license holder may annually transfer up to 465,000 gallons of beer manufactured by that P-2 Craft Brewery license holder to the premises of a licensed Craft Brewery wholly owned and operated by the same licensee. The annual amount transferred shall count toward the Craft Brewery's annual permitted production limit. A Class P-2 Craft Brewery License also authorizes on-site sampling and retail sale for consumption of such beer by persons of at least twenty-one (21) years of age. Such craft brewery licenses shall be issued subject to the following conditions:

1. It shall be unlawful for a Class P-2 licensee to sell a container of beer for off-premises consumption unless the volume of the container is equal to or greater than twelve and one half (12.5) ounces or 375 ml.

2. Class P-2 licensees may during authorized hours of business offer for onsite consumption samples of beer, or beer for retail sale, the beer permitted to be produced and sold pursuant to this classification. Class P-2 licensees may also sell on the licensed premises to non-licensees for on or off-premise consumption for the premises in which he or she actually conducts such business (i) beer manufactured by any other brewer, class 1 brewer, or class 2 brewer; and (ii) cider. A P-2 licensee is limited to five (5) taps for beer or cider not manufactured by the licensee. Also the licensee's gross sales of beer or cider not manufactured by the licensee cannot exceed 50% of the licensee's total gross retail sales of alcohol. Licensees who offer servings of beer for retail sale shall provide expanded food service which includes such items as sandwiches, flatbreads, empanadas, hot dogs, salads, or other similar a la carte items to customers who are purchasing a craft beer serving(s). Licensees may arrange for the presence and operation of a mobile food vehicle on or adjacent to the licensed premises during authorized hours of business to serve food to customers. Only mobile food vehicle vendors licensed pursuant to Title 8, Chapter 23 of the City Code shall be allowed to be present and operate. Licensees required to provide expanded food service shall comply with all applicable requirements of Title 8, Chapter 6 of the City Code.
3. Class P-2 licensees must have at least one (1) BASSET-certified site manager on-premises whenever beer is available for on-site consumption. All persons who sell, open, pour, dispense or serve craft beer shall be BASSETT certified. Class P-2 licensees must provide food service whenever beer is available for on-site consumption, in accordance with the specifications applicable to retail sale for on-site consumption. The licensee is strictly liable for complying with all provisions regarding food service. Craft beer for product sampling or retail sale for on-site consumption shall be sold and dispensed only in containers provided by the licensee. Craft beer servings for consumption on premises shall be dispensed in containers no larger than sixteen (16) ounces. Craft beer sold within the licensed premises for consumption on the premises shall not be removed from the licensed premises.
4. It shall be unlawful for the holder of a Class P-2 license to provide a sample of or sell any beer between the hours of 12:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. on any Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday; between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. on any Saturday; and between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. on any Sunday.
5. Every Class P-2 licensee must have a valid Class 1, or Class 2 brewer's license from the State of Illinois. Every licensee shall maintain accurate records as to the total gallonage of beer manufactured on the premises and the total gallonage of beer manufactured on the premises and sold for consumption off-premises. Licensee shall produce said records to the City upon request.
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The applicant for the renewal only of such licenses may elect to pay the amount herein required semiannually or annually. Such election shall be made at the time of application.

The annual single payment fee for initial issuance or renewal of such license shall be four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00).

The total fee required hereunder for renewal applicants electing to make semiannual payments, payable pursuant to the provisions of Section 3-4-7 of this Chapter, shall be four thousand ninety dollars (\$4,090.00).

SECTION 2: The findings and recitals contained herein are declared to be prima facie evidence of the law of the City and must be received in evidence as provided by the Illinois Compiled Statutes and the courts of the State of Illinois.

SECTION 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

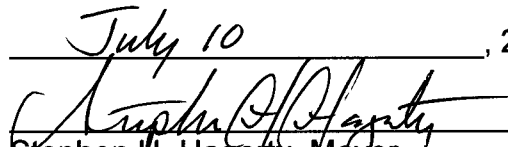
SECTION 4: This ordinance must be in full force and effect after its passage, approval, and publication in the manner provided by law.

SECTION 5: If any provision of this ordinance or application thereof to any person or circumstance is ruled unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such invalidity must not affect other provisions or applications of this ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid application or provision, and each invalid provision or invalid application of this ordinance is severable.

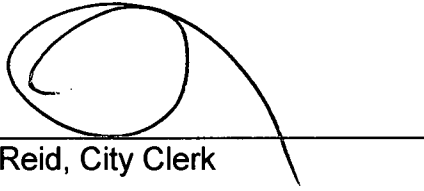
Introduced: June 10, 2019

Adopted: June 24, 2019

Approved:

July 10, 2019

Stephen H. Hagerty, Mayor

Attest:



Devon Reid, City Clerk

Approved as to form:



Michelle L. Masoncup, Corporation Counsel