

**12-O-20**

**AN ORDINANCE**

**Amending City Code Section 3-4-6(R-1) to Increase the Number of Class R-1 Liquor Licenses from Zero to One Levy Premium Foodservice Limited Partnership d/b/a Levy at Welsh - Ryan Arena 2705 Ashland Avenue**

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

**SECTION 1:** Class R-1 of Table 1, Section 3-4-6 of the Evanston City Code of 2012, as amended, is hereby further amended and revised as follows:

Class	Type	Consume on site	Consume off site	Initial Fees	Renew Fees	Licenses	Location Limit	Permitted Hours
R-1	Entertainment venue	Liquor	None	\$6,000	\$6,000	1	University Area	Alcohol may be served only on days on which there is a sporting event, recreational activity, or other entertainment event which occurs in the qualifying facility.

**SECTION 2:** Subsection R-1 of the Evanston City Code of 2012, as amended, is hereby further amended by increasing the number of Class R-1 liquor licenses from zero (0) to one (1) to read as follows:

- (D) CLASS R-1 licenses, licenses, which shall authorize the sale on the premises specified of alcoholic liquor only for consumption upon the premises while food

service is available. Such licenses shall be issued only to facilities with a permanently constructed seating capacity of not more than 8,000 and not less than 7,000 persons, designed and used for presentation of sporting events and other activities, such as recreational activities and entertainment events, and includes retail sales areas and retail food dispensing outlets, including, but not limited to, restaurant areas to accommodate liquor by the drink as well as food patronage, owned, operated and maintained by not for profit educational institutions within the designated university areas. Establishments holding Class R-1 licenses must have some food service available when alcoholic liquor is being sold. The term "university area" shall be as defined in Section 3-4-1 of this Chapter.

The applicant for the renewal only of such licenses may elect to pay the amount required herein 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 six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00).

The total fee required hereunder for renewal applicants electing to make semiannual payments, payable according to the provisions of Section 3-4-7 of this Chapter, shall be six thousand three hundred dollars (\$6,300.00).

No more than one (1) such license(s) shall be in force at any one (1) time.

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

**SECTION 4:** If any provision of this ordinance or application thereof to any person or circumstance is ruled unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such invalidity shall 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.

**SECTION 5:** The findings and recitals contained herein are declared to be prima facie evidence of the law of the City and shall be received in evidence as provided by the Illinois Compiled Statutes and the courts of the State of Illinois.

**SECTION 6:** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after


its passage, approval, and publication in the manner provided by law.

Introduced: January 27, 2020

Approved:

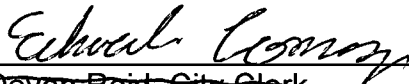
Adopted: February 10, 2020

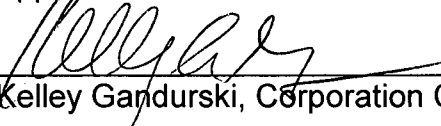
March 6, 2020

  
Stephen H. Hagerty, Mayor

Attest:

Approved as to form:

  
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