

Ordinance no. _____

Now be it and it is hereby ordained by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Cartersville, that the CITY OF CARTERSVILLE CODE OF ORDINANCES. CHAPTER 4 – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES. ARTICLE I. – IN GENERAL. DIVISION 2. – REGULATION OF ESTABLISHMENTS. SECTION 4-7. – GAMBLING. is hereby amended as follows:

1.

Sec. 4-7. - Gambling.

There shall be no gambling as defined by O.C.G.A. tit. 16, ch. 12, art. 2, in any place of business licensed under this article, or in any room adjoining same, owned, leased, or controlled by a licensee. Any violation of this section shall be cause for suspension or revocation of a license.

- (A) The prohibition outlined in this section does not apply to:
- (1) The sale of Georgia Lottery tickets by a licensed dealer;
 - (2) The playing of bona fide coin-operated amusement machines and the concomitant noncash redemption associated with these machines as defined, set forth and permitted in O.C.G.A. §§ 48-17-1(2)(A) and (B) and O.C.G.A., §§ 16-12-35 (a.1)—(i);
 - (3) Raffle operated in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 16-12-22.1; or
 - (4) A licensed bingo hall governed by O.C.G.A. §§ 16-12-51—16-12-62 and the applicable regulations relating to same.
- (B) In the event that an employee of a licensed establishment, patron of a licensed establishment, and/or the license holder is convicted of gambling as defined by O.C.G.A. § 16-12-2, on the premises of a licensed establishment or in any room adjoining same, owned, leased,, or controlled by a licensee, employee; then said establishment is in violation of the City of Cartersville Alcohol License Ordinance, and their license is subject to suspension and/or revocation as provided for herein, and said suspension or revocation shall follow the license holder and location as provided for herein.

2.

It is the intention of the city council and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances, City of Cartersville, Georgia, and the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered and/or alphabetized accordingly to accomplish such intention.

**BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED
FIRST READING: _____**

SECOND READING: _____

MATTHEW J. SANTINI, MAYOR

ATTEST: _____
JULIA DRAKE, CITY CLERK