AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CITY'S ZONING ORDINANCE SECTIONS 906, 907, 908, and 909 USES RELATED TO THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

WHEREAS, the City has reviewed its policies and procedures with respect the sale of alcoholic beverages within the City; and

WHEREAS, such uses are generally a privilege, not a right, these uses may impact neighboring property owners and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, such uses should be carefully evaluated to balance the right of applicants, end users, and neighboring property owners; and

WHEREAS, the City is also updating provisions for the licensing of establishments selling alcoholic beverages, and it is necessary and desirable to amend the Zoning Ordinance to align with changes to the licensing provisions of the City Code;

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Dacula to amend the City Code to adopt by reference the amendments to the Zoning Ordinance outlined herein;

NOW THEREFORE, THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DACULA HEREBY ORDAINS that the City Zoning Ordinance be amended as follows:

SECTION 1

The existing Sections 906, 907, 908, and 909 are amended as marked on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The subsections and provisions stricken through in Exhibit "A" are hereby deleted and the new provisions outlined in Exhibit "A" are hereby adopted.

SECTION 2

The City Administrator and Director of Planning and Economic Development are further authorized to correct typographical errors in the text of the existing Zoning Ordinance and to produce and publish a final codified version of the Zoning Ordinance with the amendments and revisions outlined herein.

SECTION 3

In the event any Court of competent jurisdiction determines that any portion of the foregoing amendment is invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise illegal, such rulings shall not impair the validity of the rest and remainder of this amendment.

SECTION 4

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5

This Ordinance and the amendments outlined herein shall be effective immediately upon their adoption by the Mayor and City Council.

SO ORDAINED by the gove of December, 2025	rning authority of the City of Dacula, this	day
AYES:		
NAYES:		
ATTEST:	HUGH D. KING, III MAYOR, CITY OF DACULA	
BRITTNI NIX, CITY ADMINISTRATOR		