

## **ORDINANCE AMENDMENT**

**OA-2022-02**

### **CHAPTER – 4 -ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

#### **Article VII. Consumption on Premises of Alcoholic Beverages**

##### **Sec. 4-83 – Sales volume ratio for select businesses**

**WHEREAS,** The Charter of the City of Dallas, Georgia does allow the Mayor and Council to adopt Ordinances to provide for rules and regulations concerning consumption and sales of alcoholic beverages including beer, wine and distilled spirits within the City of Dallas, Georgia and for the safety, health and welfare of the citizens of the City of Dallas, Georgia,  
**AND**

**WHEREAS,** The Mayor and Council of the City of Dallas, Georgia have determined that it is in the best interest of the City's residences for their safety, health and welfare including regulation of consumption and sales of alcoholic beverages including beer, wine and distilled spirits within the City of Dallas, Georgia, that Chapter 4 – Alcoholic Beverages, Article VII. Consumption on Premises of Alcoholic Beverages, Sec. 4-83 – Sales volume ratio for select businesses be amended.

**THEREFORE,** be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the City of Dallas, Georgia that the Code of Ordinances of the City of Dallas, Georgia be amended as follows:

##### **Sec. 4-83. Sales volume ratio for select businesses.**

- (a) Any business required to pay a business occupation tax that does not meet the criteria in section 4-82, section 4-84, or section 4-85 may obtain a consumption on premises license for malt beverages, wine and distilled spirits subject to the following conditions:
  - (1) The sale of alcoholic beverages shall be clearly incidental to the primary business conducted on the premises.
  - (2) Consumption on the premises licensees shall maintain at least 60 percent of their business volume from the sale of merchandise or services not including alcoholic beverages. The 60 percent ratio shall be determined on a calendar quarter basis on the monthly report submitted by each licensee.

- (3) Monthly reports for the preceding month's alcoholic beverages, merchandise and retail or services sales shall be submitted on forms provided by the City of Dallas, Georgia on or before the 20th day of the month.
- (4) To qualify for a license, a retail or business establishment must be open to the public for business a minimum of 32 hours per week.

All other existing Sections of Chapter 4 Alcoholic Beverages shall remain in full force and effect and this Amendment is to change the Sec. 4-83. Sales volume ratio for select business.

**SO SHALL IT BE ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS, GOERGIA, THIS THE \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.**

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JAMES KELLY, MAYOR

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LEAH ALLS, Councilmember

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NANCY ARNOLD, Councilmember

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MICHAEL CASON, Councilmember

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JAMES HENSON, Councilmember

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COOPER COCHRAN, Councilmember

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CHRISTOPHER CARTER, Councilmember

ATTEST:

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TINA CLARK, CITY CLERK