

ORDINANCE NUMBER _____

AN ORDINANCE

To amend subsections 3-45 and 3-46 of the Alcoholic Beverages Ordinance of the Douglas County Code of Ordinances to provide for Sunday package sales, or sale for off premises consumption, of malt beverages and wine; to repeal any conflicting ordinances; to provide effective dates; and other purposes.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Douglas County Board of Commissioners and it is hereby ordained by the authority thereof as follows:

SECTION ONE

Subsection 3-45(a) of Chapter 3 – Alcoholic Beverages of the Douglas County Code of Ordinances is amended to repeal the following:

Alcoholic beverages shall not be sold or distributed within the unincorporated areas of the county on Sundays or Christmas Day.

SECTION TWO

Subsection 3-45 of Chapter 3 – Alcoholic Beverages of the Douglas County Code of Ordinances shall now read as follows:

Sales of alcoholic beverages on election day is permitted only if the business selling the alcoholic beverage is more than two hundred fifty (250) feet from any polling place. Distances will be calculated from the front door of the business selling the alcoholic beverage to the outermost edge of any building within which a polling place is established.

SECTION THREE

Subsection 3-46(b) of Chapter 3 – Alcoholic Beverages of the Douglas County Code of Ordinances is amended to repeal the following:

Licenses for the sale of alcoholic beverages by the package shall not engage in the sale of such beverages on Sunday or any other days prohibited by state law.

SECTION FOUR

Subsection 3-46 of Chapter 3 – Alcoholic Beverages of the Douglas County Code of Ordinances shall now read as follows:

Licenses for the package sale, or sale for off premises consumption, of malt beverages and wine shall not engage in the sale of such beverages except between the hours of 12:00 a.m. Monday and 11:55 p.m. Saturday and between the hours of 12:30 p.m. and 11:30 p.m. on Sundays.

SECTION FIVE

The definitions contained in Chapter 3 – Alcoholic Beverages of the Douglas County Code of Ordinances shall govern all terms in this ordinance.

SECTION SIX

This ordinance shall become effective on the date after its enactment.

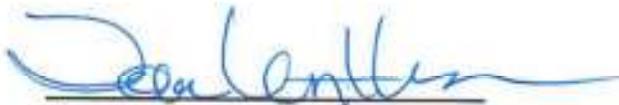
SECTION SEVEN

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

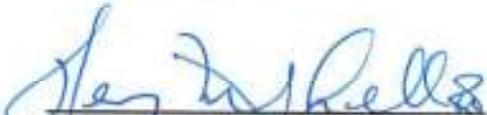
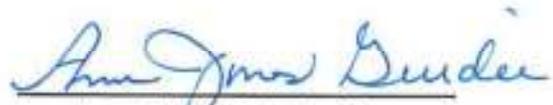
SECTION EIGHT

The County Administrator is authorized to promulgate such policies, rules, and regulations as necessary to implement this ordinance.

Ordained this 18 day of December, 2012.



Tom Worthan, Chairman


Henry Mitchell, III, District I
Kelly Robinson, District II
Mike Mulcare, District III
Ann Jones Gulder, District IV

Attest:



Lisa Watson, County Clerk