

VILLAGE OF LONG GROVE

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-O-___

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING PARTIAL WAIVER OF
LIQUOR LICENSE FEES FOR LICENSE YEAR 2021**

Adopted by the President and Board of
Trustees of the Village of Long Grove on
this ___th day of April, 2020

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authority of the Village of Long Grove,
County of Lake, State of Illinois, on
this ___th day of April, 2020

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WHEREAS, pursuant to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act, on March 9, 2020, Governor Pritzker issued a disaster declaration for all counties in the State of Illinois in response to the outbreak of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), which declaration is in effect through April 30, 2020, unless further extended (the “*Disaster Declaration*”); and

WHEREAS, following the Disaster Declaration, the Governor issued several executive orders that are intended to slow and stop the spread of COVID-19 and protect public health and safety, which orders affect the Village’s residents and business community; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order #2020-07 (as extended by Executive Order #2020-18), requires all businesses in the State to suspend service of food and beverages for on-premises consumption, subject to limited exceptions, during the term of the Disaster Declaration; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order #2020-10 (as extended by Executive Order #2020-18) requires the closure of non-essential businesses, establishes “stay at home” directives, and implements social distancing requirements for individuals and essential businesses during the term of the Disaster Declaration; and

WHEREAS, the Governor’s executive orders have required restaurants, bars, and other food and beverage service businesses within the Village to cease or significantly curtail their operations during the term of the Disaster Declaration; and

WHEREAS, businesses within the Village that sell and serve alcoholic beverages at retail are required to maintain an annual Village of Long Grove liquor license pursuant to Title 3, Chapter 2 of the Long Grove Village Code (“*Village Code*”) and pay the applicable annual license fee established by the Village Board, as set forth in Section 12-1-2(G) of the Village Code; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the impact that the Disaster Declaration and the Governor's executive orders have had on retail liquor license holders within the Village, the President and Village Board find and determine that it is appropriate to authorize the Liquor Control Commissioner to grant partial waivers of liquor license fees for license year 2021 as set forth in this Ordinance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF LONG GROVE, COUNTY OF LAKE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. **Recitals.** The foregoing recitals are incorporated into this Ordinance as the findings of the President and Board of Trustees.

SECTION TWO. **Authorization of Partial Fee Waivers.**

(a) The Liquor Control Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant partial waivers of annual liquor license fees for license year 2021 based on the methodology provided in paragraph (b) below, under the following circumstances:

- i. The license applicant held a current and valid Village of Long Grove annual liquor license as of the effective date of this Ordinance; and
- ii. The license applicant applies for renewal of its liquor license for license year 2021.

(b) The applicable fee for renewal of each qualifying annual liquor license in 2021 shall be partially waived in proportion to the number of days during 2020 that Executive Order 2020-07 was in effect, beginning on March 16, 2020 and ending on such date as the Executive Order expires or is terminated or rescinded ("***Termination Date***"), using the following formula:

$$(2020 \text{ License Fee Paid} / 366)(\# \text{ of Days between } 3/16/2020 \text{ and the Termination Date})$$

SECTION THREE. **Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage, approval, and publication in pamphlet form in the manner provided by law.

PASSED THIS ___th DAY OF APRIL, 2020.

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APPROVED THIS ___th DAY OF APRIL, 2020.

Village President

ATTEST:

Village Clerk

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