ORDINANCE NO. 2017-03

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE VERNAL CITY MUNICIPAL CODE, SECTION 5.20.130 - FULL SERVICE LICENSE.

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the regulation of the sales and / or consumption of alcoholic beverages is necessary for orderly growth and conduct of business within the City, and;

WHEREAS, the City Council deems it to be in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens to incorporate the following changes to the provisions of the Vernal City Code, and;

WHEREAS, the City Council has received input from the public at large in duly noticed open meetings, and has considered and discussed the advantages and disadvantages of such regulation.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF VERNAL CITY, UTAH AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 5.20.130 is hereby amended to read as follows

5.20.130 Full service license.

A full-service license shall entitle the licensee to sell and to permit or allow customers, members, guests or other persons upon the premises to consume alcoholic beverages. Patrons may only purchase alcoholic beverages in conjunction with an order for food that is prepared, sold, and served at the restaurant. Each restaurant must maintain at least 70% of its total restaurant business from the sale of food. Any person desiring to sell or to allow the consumption of alcoholic beverages as defined in Chapter 5.08 of this title shall first obtain a full service license and any required license from the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control of the State of Utah. This license shall not apply to private events where guests are permitted to attend such event by invitation only and where alcoholic beverages are not sold. (Prior code § 11-05-013)

SECTION A. REPEALER. All former ordinances or parts thereof conflicting or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance or of the code are hereby repealed.

SECTION B. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this ordinance shall be severable and if any provision thereof or the application of such provision under any circumstances is held invalid and it shall not affect the validity of any other provision of this ordinance or the application in a different circumstance.

SECTION C. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect the day after publication the 25th day of January, 2017.

8th February

ATTEST:

Lucelle Bassett

Kenneth L. Bassett, City Recorder

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Mayor Sonja Norton

Date of Publication: