



Department Source: Law

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: September 20, 2021

Re: Amending Chapter 4 of the City Code Relating to the Sale of Alcoholic Beverages

Executive Summary

An ordinance has been prepared to amend Chapter 4 of the City Code to conform with modifications of the liquor laws enacted through Missouri Senate Bill 126 (SB126), which became effective on August 28, 2021.

Discussion

On July 7, 2021, Governor Parsons signed into law SB126 which modified provisions relating to the sale of intoxicating liquor. A summary of the proposed amendments to Chapter 4 of the City Code are as follows:

- Add "liquor store" to the list of business permitted to sell alcohol to be consumed on the premises.
- Changing the hours of the sale and consumption of alcohol to include package liquor, package liquor Sunday sales, liquor by the drink, restaurant bars and hotels, amusement places, malt liquor Sunday sales, and wine shop Sunday sales.
- Add a new subsection for to-go alcohol sales.
- Establishing a start time for the sale of liquor for non-profit organizations hosting special events.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Not applicable.

Long-Term Impact: Not applicable.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Not Applicable, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Legislative History

Date	Action
	N/A

Suggested Council Action

Passage of the ordinance.