ORDINANCE 2021-15

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SMYRNA, GEORGIA, PROVIDING FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SMYRNA, CHAPTER 6, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TO AMEND SECTION 6-2 AND 6-85.

The following are proposed code amendments to several sections of the Chapter 6 of the City Ordinance and are presented in legislative draft format:

Amend Section 6-2 of Chapter 6 – Alcoholic Beverage Ordinance to add the following definitions:

Sec. 6-2. - Definitions.

Private dog park means a privately owned and operated dog park. Any such facility shall have a minimum of 25-dues paying members; and shall derive no more than 50 percent of its total annual gross revenue from alcohol sales. Total annual gross revenue may include daily rates, memberships, non-alcoholic beverages, pre-packaged snacks, merchandise sales, special event proceeds, and dog treats as revenue sources.

Except as provided in this definition, a private dog park shall be subject to the same requirements as on-premises eating establishments, including hours of permitted alcohol sales.

Add Section 6-85 to Chapter 6 – Alcoholic Beverage Ordinance to add the pouring license requirements for private dog parks:

Sec. 6-85. – Private Dog Parks.

In order to be eligible for a pouring license, a private dog park must meet the definition of private dog park as set forth in Section 6-2 herein as well as the following requirements:

- (1) Has a minimum of 25 due-paying members;
- (2) Derives no more than 50 percent of its total annual gross revenue from alcohol sales. Total annual gross revenue may include daily rates, memberships, non-alcoholic beverages, pre-packaged snacks, merchandise sales, special event proceeds, and dog treats as revenue sources.

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This ordinance shall take effect on September 1, 2021 a day of August 2021.	and is passed and duly adopted this 16th
	CITY SEAL:
The Honorable Derek Norton Mayor, City of Smyrna, Georgia	-
ATTEST:	
Heather Peacon-Corn City Clerk, City of Smyrna, Georgia	
Approved as to form:	

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Scott A. Cochran, City Attorney

August 16, 2021

Amendment of Chapter 6 – Alcoholic Beverage Ordinance – Private Dog Park