

**ORDINANCE 2019-24**

**AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY OF SMYRNA, GEORGIA, PROVIDING FOR  
THE AMENDMENT OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 6,  
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BY AMENDING ARTICLE II LICENSE, DIVISION 2  
APPLICATION SECTION 6-119**

**BE IT ORDANINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF SMYRNA, GEORGIA**

**WHEREAS**, State law provides that the governing authority of each municipal corporation shall have legislative power to adopt clearly reasonable ordinances, resolutions, or regulations relating to its property, affairs, and local government for which no provision has been made by general law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council of the City of Smyrna are charged with the protection of the public health, safety, and welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council now wish to update the City of Smyrna Code of Ordinances regarding Chapter 6, Alcoholic Beverages, Article II – License, Division 2 – Application, Section 6-119 - Citizenship and residency

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Mayor and Council of the City of Smyrna, pursuant to their authority, do hereby adopt the following amendment.

**Article II – License**

**Division 2 – Application**

**Sec. 6-119 – Citizenship and residency**

All licensees must be either a United States citizen or legal resident alien. Additionally, all licensees must be a resident of Georgia. However, a licensee is not required to be a resident of Georgia if the licensee has an agent who meets the requirement of this code section.

It is the intention of the Mayor and Council, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances, City of Smyrna, Georgia and the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered to accomplish such intention.

The above Ordinance was read and approved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Smyrna, Georgia, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 2019.

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A. Max Bacon, Mayor

Attest:

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Terri Graham, City Clerk

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Scott Cochran, City Attorney