



**ORDINANCE TEMPORARILY AUTHORIZING LICENSE HOLDERS AUTHORIZED TO
SELL MIXED DRINKS/COCKTAILS FOR CONSUMPTION ON THE LICENSED
PREMISES TO TEMPORARILY MAKE CARRY-OUT, CURBSIDE DELIVERY AND/OR
HOME DELIVERIES IN APPROVED CONTAINERS**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Executive Order 20-03, Illinois Governor JB Pritzker issued an Executive Order declaring all counties within the State of Illinois a disaster area in order to address the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on June 2, 2020, the ILCC issued an updated Guidance on Temporary Delivery of Alcoholic Liquor which further refined the requirements for the delivery of alcoholic liquor as well as a bulletin on the “Sales and Delivery of ‘To Go’ Mixed Drinks/Cocktails”, subject to the approval, prohibition or further restriction by local liquor commissions.

WHEREAS, on June 10, 2020, the City of Crystal Lake Local Liquor Commissioner, issued an Authorization allowing for the delivery of “To Go Mixed Cocktails”.

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2021, the Mayor and City Council adopted Ordinance #7717 which temporarily authorized license holders authorized to sell mixed drinks/cocktails for consumption on the premise to make carry-out, curbside delivery and/or home deliveries in approved containers. The temporary authorization provided by Ordinance #7717 was scheduled to expire on December 31, 2022.

WHEREAS, on June 2, 2021 Illinois Public Act 102-8 was enacted, approving a temporary amendment to the Illinois Liquor Control Act (the “Act”) by adding Sec 28.8 to the Act (235 ILCS 5/6-28.8). Section 28.8 effectively codified the previous actions of the Illinois Liquor Control Commission to allow carry-out and delivery of mixed drinks. The amendment was initially scheduled to be repealed in January of 2024 but was further amended on May 31, 2023 to provide for a repeal on August 1, 2028; and

WHEREAS, on December 7, 2021, the Mayor and City Council enacted an ordinance #7761 which extended the temporary authorization set forth in Ordinance #7717 through January 3, 2024 to mirror State of Illinois regulations.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have found and determined that it would be in the best interests of the City and its residents to extend the temporary authorization set forth in Ordinances #7717 and #7761 through January 3, 2028 in order to be consistent with the Illinois Legislature's amendment to the Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRYSTAL LAKE THAT:

SECTION ONE. Recitals. The foregoing recitals are incorporated as though fully set forth herein.

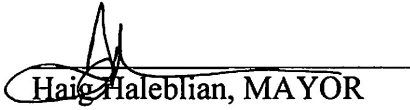
SECTION TWO. Temporary Authorization for Delivery of "To Go" Mixed Drinks/ Cocktails.

- 1) Holders of retail liquor licenses issued by the City of Crystal Lake, which licenses authorize the sale of mixed drinks/cocktails for consumption on the licensed premises, are temporarily authorized to make carry-out, curbside delivery and/or home residential deliveries of mixed drinks/cocktails. Such sales and deliveries shall only be made in compliance with Illinois law and only to persons who are at least twenty (21) years of age. Such sales and deliveries shall further comply with the guidelines and/or restrictions set forth in the Illinois Liquor Control Act, including but not limited to 235 ILCS 5/6-28.8 and any guidance or restriction issued by the Illinois Liquor Control Commission.
- 2) This authorization shall apply to the categories of licenses described in paragraph one (1), herein, notwithstanding any limitation of such licenses restricting sales to on-premises consumption only.
- 3) This temporary delivery authorization shall expire on August 1, 2028.

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.

DATED this 19th day of December, 2023

APPROVED:


Haig Haleblian, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Nick Kachiroubas by Niki Hammond, Deputy City Clerk
Nick Kachiroubas, CITY CLERK

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