

VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS

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CHAPTER 3, SECTIONS 3-12, LIQUOR LICENSE CLASSIFICATION AND SECTION 25, SECTION  
25-3, FEES

THE 4<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2014

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President and Board of Trustees of the Village of  
Vernon Hills, Lake County, Illinois, this 7<sup>th</sup> Day of  
March, 2014

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**WHEREAS**, the Village of Vernon Hills is a municipal corporation existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, and

**WHEREAS**, the Village, as a municipal corporation, has a duty to regulate the purchase, sale and serving of alcoholic beverages to the public for the protection of the public, health, safety, morals and welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, the President and Board of Trustees hereby adopt this ordinance amending the Liquor Control Ordinance of the Village of Vernon Hills pursuant to its duty to regulate the purchase and sale of alcoholic beverages within the Village of Vernon Hills.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION I.** That Chapter 3 Section 3-12 of the Village of Vernon Hills Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by addition of a new Section, 3-12(14) creating Liquor License Classification "N" to read as follows:

*3-12(14) Class "N" License:* A Class "N" license shall authorize the retail sale of alcoholic liquor in convenience food stores, not for consumption on premise. Class "N" licenses shall be subject to the following conditions and limitations.

1. The display of alcoholic liquor shall only be located in a secure location behind the cashier's counter that is not accessible to the public.
2. The liquor display area behind the cashier's counter shall include not more than 5 shelves. Each shelf shall have a maximum length of eight (8) feet and a maximum depth of eighteen (18) inches. The storage of liquor that is not visible to customers shall not be included in this limitation.
3. Such license shall not be permitted in conjunction with automobile service stations and/or mini-marts as defined by section 3.2 of the zoning ordinance.
4. Hours of operation shall be in accordance with Section 3-23 of the Liquor and Licensing Code.
5. Promotional "tasting" or sampling shall not be permitted.
6. Not more than one (1) Class "N" licenses shall be issued at any one time in the Village.

**SECTION II.** That Chapter 25 Section 25-3 of the Village of Vernon Hills Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by addition of the following fee for a Class "N" Liquor License to read as follows:

25-3. *Fee required:* Class "N" Liquor License fees shall be \$300.00 for new license applications and \$2,000.00 for the annual license fee.

**SECTION III. SEVERABILITY.** In the event that any section, clause, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be found and determined to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, all valid parts that are severable from the invalid parts shall remain in full force and effect. If any part of this ordinance is found to be invalid in any one or more of its several applications that are severable, the valid applications shall remain in effect.

**SECTION IV. REPEAL AND SAVINGS CLAUSE.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall affect any rights, actions or causes of action which shall have accrued to the Village of Vernon Hills prior to the effective date of this ordinance.

**SECTION V. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

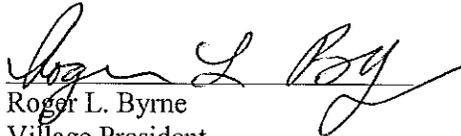
**SECTION VI. PUBLICATION.** This ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form in the manner provided by law.

Adopted by roll call vote as follows:

AYES: 6 – Schultz, Schwartz, Hebda, Koch, Marquardt, Bryne

NAYS: 0 - None

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: 1 - Williams

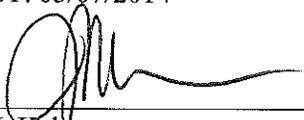
  
Roger L. Byrne  
Village President

PASSED: 03/04/2014

APPROVED: 03/04/2014

PUBLISHED IN PAMPHLET FORM: 03/07/2014

ATTEST: 03/07/2014

  
John M. Kalmar  
Village Clerk

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

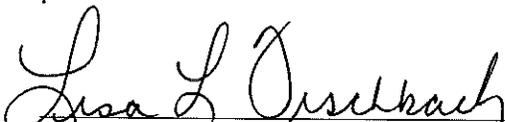
STATE OF ILLINOIS     )  
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COUNTY OF LAKE        )

I, JOHN M. KALMAR, BEING FIRST DULY APPOINTED, DEPOSES AND SAYS ON OATH THAT AS VILLAGE CLERK OF THE VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS, HE DID CAUSE THE FOREGOING CERTIFICATE FOR ORDINANCE 2014-014, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 3, SECTIONS 3-12, LIQUOR LICENSE CLASSIFICATION AND SECTION 25, SECTION 25-3, FEES TO BE POSTED IN THE VILLAGE HALL AS REQUIRED BY LAW FROM MARCH 7, 2014 TO MARCH 17, 2014.



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JOHN M. KALMAR, VILLAGE CLERK

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE  
THIS 7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2014

  
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Notary Public

