

ORDINANCE

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AN ORDINANCE BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL TO AMEND SUBPARAGRAPH (F) OF SECTION 4-24, DISTANCE REQUIREMENTS, OF ARTICLE I OF CHAPTER 4, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TO EXPAND THE AREA EXEMPTED FROM CERTAIN DISTANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR RESTAURANTS SERVING ALCOHOL BY THE DRINK; TO SET AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council are vested with the authority to regulate distance requirements for restaurants who sell alcohol by the drink for consumption on the premises from churches, schools, and other regulated facilities;

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council have previously declared certain areas in the downtown area as exempt from said distance requirements;

WHEREAS, the downtown Dublin area has experienced a redevelopment and expansion of retail and commercial businesses, including restaurants;

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council desire to expand the area of exempted properties from distance requirements.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE:

Subparagraph (f)(1) through (4) of Section 4-24. – Distance Requirements of Article I of Chapter 4, Alcoholic Beverages which currently reads as follows:

“(f)

- (1) On the north or south side of Jackson Street between Monroe and South Washington Streets;
- (2) On the north or south side of Madison Street between Monroe and South Washington Streets;
- (3) On any of the connecting streets south of Jackson and north of Madison in the area described above;
- (4) On either side of Jefferson Street from Jackson Street south to the railroad right-of-way;”

is hereby AMENDED to read as follows:

“(f)

- (1) On the South side of West/East Gaines Street between Church and North/South Washington Streets;
- (2) On the North side of Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd between Church and North/South Washington Streets;
- (3) On any of the connecting streets South of West/East Gaines Street and North of Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd in the area described above;”

Said section is further amended so that the current subparagraph (f)(5) is now (f)(4) and subparagraph (f)(6) is now (f)(5).

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