



Municipality of Anchorage

Ethan Berkowitz, Mayor

MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE PROCLAMATION OF EMERGENCY ORDER EO-08 ALIGNING MUNICIPAL ENFORCEMENT OF MARIJUANA AND ALCOHOL CODE AND REGULATIONS WITH STATE LAW

ISSUED BY THE MAYOR OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE PURSUANT TO ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 3.80.060F.

Purpose: To align Municipal code and regulation with recent State action suspending certain regulations and statutes within the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development to allow for the curbside pickup of alcohol from restaurants, breweries, distilleries, and retail stores, as well as the delivery of sealed beer and wine from restaurants with food orders. Further, to align Municipal code and regulation with State actions permitting a licensee that sells marijuana or marijuana products to temporarily change their operating plan to allow for internet and phone orders as well as exterior window and curbside pickup.

I HEREBY PROCLAIM THE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY REGULATION TO BE EFFECTIVE AS OF 8:00 A.M. ON APRIL 26, 2020. THE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY REGULATION HAS THE POWER OF LAW, SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL REVOKED, AND SHALL SUPERSEDE ALL CONFLICTING LAWS DURING THE EXISTENCE OF THIS EMERGENCY.

1. The Municipality shall not enforce any Municipal code or regulation which prohibits curbside pickup of alcohol from restaurants, breweries, distilleries, and retail stores, as well as the delivery of sealed beer and wine from restaurants with food orders, such as AMC 10.50.015P. which prohibits alcoholic beverages sold for consumption on the premises from being removed from the premises, pursuant to emergency state regulation (3 AAC 304.185(g), 3 AAC 304.920, and 3 AAC 304.925).
 - a. Businesses with a special use permit for alcohol or conditional use permit for retail sale of alcoholic beverages, that modify their operations for curbside or home delivery during the COVID-10 public health emergency in compliance with state regulations and the Mayor's emergency orders are not considered to have made any material change in the operation of their business and will not be considered substantially different than as approved in the permit as contemplated by AMC 21.03.040C.7.c.



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2. The Municipality shall not enforce any Municipal code or regulation which prohibits internet or phone sales, or exterior window or curbside pick-up of marijuana or marijuana products, such as AMC 10.80.310A.5. which only permits sales to a consumer who is physically present on the licensed premises, pursuant to emergency state regulation (3 AAC 306.305, 3 AAC 306.310, and 3 AAC 306.995).

DATED this 27th day of April, 2020.

Ethan Berkowitz, Mayor
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