

**Ordinance No. 2023-002 -ADM**

**An Ordinance to Amend the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 6 – Alcoholic Beverages Regarding Public Notices and Intent of Hearing**

**WHEREAS**, under Chapter 6 of the City’s Code of Ordinances public notice and intent of hearing is required to be published in a newspaper of general circulation; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Trussville no longer has a print newspaper of general circulation available, since the Alabama Media Group stopped publishing The Birmingham News on February 26, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, there remains an on-going need to notify the community of upcoming alcohol license public hearings

**WHEREAS**, having considered the need, along with reviewing other notice and publication provisions contained in the Code of Alabama (1975), the City Council find it in the best interest of its citizens to amend the Code of Ordinances to require notice and publication that is consistent with other provisions, specifically § 11-45-8 of the Code of Alabama (1975), in order to comply with all provisions requiring notice regarding the City’s procedure for applying for an alcohol license.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of Trussville, Alabama that paragraph (a) of Chapter 6, Section 40 – Alcoholic Beverages, originally enacted under Ordinance No. 2019-009-ADM, is hereby amended, as follows:

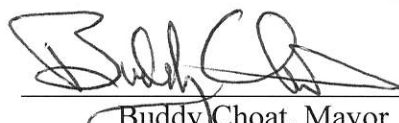
**“Section 6-40 – Public Notices and Intent of Hearing**

“(a) Upon receipt of an application, together with the results of the investigation and recommendations made thereon, the city clerk shall cause notice to be published in at least three public places within the city, including City Hall, ~~two times in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county~~, stating that the application will be considered at the next regular meeting of the city council, ~~which~~ Said notice must be published ~~as aforesaid two times~~ at least six calendar days in advance of the next regular meeting of the city council, and further stating the time and place that same is to be considered and that at such time and place all interested persons shall have an opportunity of being heard in opposition to or in favor of the application.”

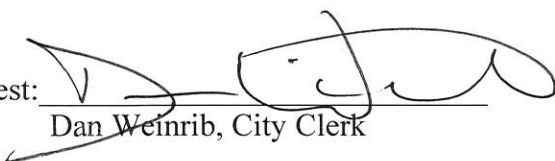
This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption & approval.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS THE 14TH DAY OF MARCH 2023

  
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Lisa L. Bright, Council President

  
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Buddy Choat, Mayor  
City of Trussville

Attest:


  
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Dan Weinrib, City Clerk

**CERTIFICATION OF CITY CLERK**

STATE OF ALABAMA     )  
JEFFERSON COUNTY    )

I, Dan Weinrib, City Clerk of the City of Trussville, Alabama, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Trussville, Alabama, on the 14th day of March 2023. The above and foregoing ordinance was published on the 15th day of March 2023 by posting copies thereof in three public places within the City of Trussville, one of which was at Trussville City Hall.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 15th day of March 2023.

  
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Dan Weinrib, City Clerk