

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ANNUAL LIQUOR LICENSE FEES**

*BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VIRDEN, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:*

**SECTION 1: AMENDMENT OF SECTION 3-1B-6**

Section 3-1B-6 of the City Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:


- A. Class A, Taverns: There is hereby created a Class A liquor license which shall authorize the retail sale of alcoholic liquor for consumption on or off the premises specified, at an establishment other than an establishment selling motor fuel. The annual fee shall be six hundred dollars (\$600.00). There shall be a limit of six (6) licenses.
- B. Class B, Convenience Stores: There is hereby created a Class B license which shall permit the sale of alcoholic liquor for consumption in all instances off the premises. Alcoholic liquor in said places of business shall be inaccessible to customers during all times other than those hours of operation specified in section 3-1 C-3 of this chapter. The annual license fee shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00). There shall be a limit of three (3) licenses.
- C. Class C, Special Events: There is hereby created a Class C license which shall permit the retail sale of alcoholic liquor for consumption only on the premises where sold, and not for resale in any form, containing not more than six percent (6%) of alcohol by weight, to be issued for temporary stands, booths and counters, such as at picnics and celebrations. The annual fee shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00).
- D. Class D, Restaurants: There is hereby created a Class D license which shall permit the retail sale of beer and wine for consumption only on the premises where sold and not for resale in any form, which shall only be sold and consumed in conjunction with the sale of food while dining and seated for lunch or dinner. The annual license fee shall be two hundred dollars (\$200.00). There shall be a limit of two (2) licenses.
- E. Class E, Clubs:
  - 1. There is hereby created a Class E license which authorizes the retail sale of alcoholic liquor for consumption only on the premises where sold, to be issued to a regularly organized club, as defined in section 3-1A-1 of this chapter; such sales to be made only to members of the club or their guests or its lessee.

2. The club shall file with the Local Liquor Commissioner, at the time of its application for a license, two (2) copies of a list of names and residences of its members, and similarly shall file within ten (10) days of the election or acceptance of any additional member his name and address; and, provided further, that the club affairs and management shall be conducted by a board of directors, executive committee, or similar body chosen by the members at their annual meeting and that no member or any officer, agent or employee of the club shall be paid, or directly or indirectly receive, in the form of salary or other compensation, any profit from the distribution or sale of alcoholic liquor to the club or the members of the club or its guests introduced by members, beyond the amount of such salary as may be fixed and voted at any annual meeting by the members or by its board of directors or other governing body out of the general revenue of the club. The annual license fee shall be two hundred dollars (\$200.00). There shall be a limit of four (4) licenses.

**SECTION 2: Effective Date; Publication**

This Ordinance shall be effective upon its passage, approval and publication as provided by law. The Clerk shall forthwith publish this Ordinance in pamphlet form.

PASSED this 16<sup>TH</sup> day of OCTOBER, 2025

  
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 MAYOR

ATTEST:  
  
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 Clerk

AYES: BERTOLINO, HARRILY, NEGHIBOVS, POWLEY, BOSTER, MATRISCIU  
 NAYS: NONE  
 PASSED: YES  
 APPROVED: YES  
 ABSENT: CALLOWAY, CARTER

**ORDINANCE CERTIFICATE**

STATE OF ILLINOIS                    )  
  ) SS.  
COUNTY OF MACOUPIN            )

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting Clerk of the City of Virden, Illinois.

I do further certify that the ordinance attached hereto is a full, true, and exact copy of Ordinance No. 2025-13, adopted by the City Council of said City on the 16<sup>TH</sup> day of OCTOBER, 2025, said Ordinance being entitled:

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I do further certify that prior to the making of this certificate, the said Ordinance was spread at length upon the permanent records of said City, where it now appears and remains.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of said City this 16<sup>TH</sup> day of OCTOBER, 2025.

  
Clerk