ORDINANCE 2019-05-02-0365

WAIVING THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 4-6(c) OF THE CITY CODE AND AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON LOT 33, BLOCK 1, NCB 7215, LOCATED AT 2803 BLANCO ROAD, FOR OFF-PREMISE CONSUMPTION WITHIN THREE-HUNDRED (300) FEET OF THOMAS EDISON HIGH SCHOOL, A PUBLIC EDUCATION INSTITUTION LOCATED IN THE SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, COUNCIL DISTRICT 1.

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WHEREAS, Section 109.33 of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code authorizes the governing board of an incorporated city to enact regulations prohibiting the sale of alcoholic beverages if the place of business is within three hundred feet of any church, public school or public hospital as measured in a direct line from the property line of the public or private school to the property line of the place of business; and

WHEREAS, Section 109.33 of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code authorizes the governing body of the city to allow variances to the regulation if the governing body determines that enforcement of the regulation in a particular instance is not in the best interest of the public, constitutes waste or inefficient use of land or other resources, creates an undue hardship on an applicant for a license or permit, does not serve its intended purpose, is not effective or necessary, or for any other reason the governing board, after consideration of the health, safety, and welfare of the public and the equities of the situation, determines it is in the best interest of the community; and

WHEREAS, the subject property is situated within three hundred (300) feet of the nearest property line of Thomas Edison High School, a public education institution located in the San Antonio Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 88724, passed and approved on October 22, 1998, amended the City Code of the City of San Antonio adopting this distance requirement in Chapter 4, Article I, Sec. 4-6(c), and established a procedure for the granting of a variance to the prohibition; NOW THEREFORE,

## BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

**SECTION 1.** The requirements of Chapter 4, Sections 4-6(c), prohibiting sales of alcohol for off-premise consumption pursuant to the City Code of San Antonio, Texas, are waived and the variance request of the applicant, MD Hamidur Rahman, on behalf of Altaf Merchant, owner of Quick Stop., to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption, on Lot 33, Block 1, NCB 7215, located at 2803 Blanco Road within three hundred (300) feet of the Thomas Edison High School, is hereby granted. This variance to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption is based on the following conditions: (a) authorization shall be limited to a convenience store; (b) alcohol sales will be for beer and wine for off-premise consumption only; (c) authorization shall

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not transfer to different owners or different land uses; (d) authorization shall terminate in the event of non-operation or non-use for a period of twelve or more successive calendar months; (e) alcohol sales shall be limited to Monday – Saturday, 7:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., and 12:00 p.m. (noon) to 12 a.m. (midnight) on Sunday;

**SECTION 2.** This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage by eight or more affirmative votes; otherwise, it shall be effective on the tenth day after passage.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 2019.

AYOR

AV2019005

**Ron Nirenberg** 

ATTEST:

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Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Agenda Item:	25 (in consent vote: 25, P-1, Z-1, P-2, Z-3, Z-4, Z-6, Z-7, Z-8, P-3, Z-9)						
Date:	05/02/2019						
Time:	02:14:23 PM						
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve						
Description:	ALCOHOL VARIANCE # AV2019005 (Council District 1): Ordinance waiving the application requirements of City Code 4-6 and granting a variance authorizing the sale of alcoholic beverages on Lot 33, Block 1, NCB 7215, located at 2803 Blanco Road for off-premise consumption within three-hundred (300) feet of Thomas Edison High School, a public education institution located within the San Antonio Independent School District.						
Result:	Passed						
Voter	Group	Not Present	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Motion	Second
Ron Nirenberg	Mayor	4	x				×
Roberto C. Treviño	District 1		X			х	
Art A. Hall	District 2		X				x
Rebecca Viagran	District 3		X				
Rey Saldaña	District 4		х				
Shirley Gonzales	District 5		X				
Greg Brockhouse	District 6		X				
Ana E. Sandoval	District 7	X			5 T		
Manny Pelaez	District 8		х				
John Courage	District 9		X				
Clayton H. Perry	District 10		X	3	41		