# ORDINANCE 2022-09-15-0698

WAIVING THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTIONS 4-6(c)(1-4), 4-6(d)(1), 4-6(d)(6) AND 4-6(e)(1) OF THE CITY CODE AND AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON LOT 50, BLOCK 8, NCB 16129, LOCATED AT 2235 THOUSAND OAKS DRIVE, FOR OFF-PREMISE CONSUMPTION WITHIN THREE-HUNDRED (300) FEET OF THOUSAND OAKS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, A PUBLIC EDUCATION INSTITUTION LOCATED IN THE NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, COUNCIL DISTRICT 10.

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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 or private 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 an incorporated 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**, pursuant to Section 109.33 (a)(1) of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code, Chapter 4 of the City Code of the City of San Antonio prohibits the sale of alcoholic beverages if the place of business is within three hundred feet of any church, public or private school or public hospital; and

WHEREAS, the subject property is situated within three hundred (300) feet of the nearest property line of Thousand Oaks Elementary School, a public education institution located in the North East 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, 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)(1-4), 4-6(d)(1), 4-6(d)(6) and 4-6(e)(1), prohibiting sales of alcohol for off-premise consumption pursuant to the City Code of

San Antonio, Texas, are waived and the variance request of Liquor Now, made by Paras Arora, applicant, on behalf of Mark Kaufman, owner, to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption, on Lot 50, Block 8, NCB 16129, located at 2235 Thousand Oaks Drive within three hundred (300) feet of the Thousand Oaks Elementary 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 liquor store; (b) alcohol sales will be for off-premise consumption only; (c) authorization shall 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 shall only be sold between the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday, with no alcohol sales permitted 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 15th day of September, 2022.

M A Y O Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Debbie Racca-Sittre, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney



### City of San Antonio

## City Council Meeting September 15, 2022

#### 4. 2022-09-15-0698

ALCOHOL VARIANCE AV-2022-006 (Council District 10): Ordinance waiving the application requirements of City Code 4-6 and granting a variance authorizing the sale of alcoholic beverages by Liquor Now, Paras Mani Arora, applicant, and Mark Kaufman, owner, on Lot 50, Block 8, NCB 16129, located at 2235 Thousand Oaks Drive for off-premise within three-hundred (300) feet of Thousand Oaks Elementary, a public education institution, located in Northeast Independent School District.

Councilmember Viagran moved to Approve on Zoning Consent. Councilmember Cabello Havrda seconded the motion. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye:

Nirenberg, Bravo, McKee-Rodriguez, Viagran, Rocha Garcia, Castillo,

Cabello Havrda, Pelaez, Courage, Perry

Absent:

Sandoval