

RULE OF THE DU PAGE LIQUOR COMMISSIONER

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, the DuPage County Board issued a Disaster Proclamation proclaiming a State of Emergency in the County of DuPage; and

WHEREAS, said State of Emergency remains in effect; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Illinois, by Executive Order, has prohibited restaurants from selling food and alcoholic liquor for on-site consumption; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Executive Order does not prohibit the service of food or alcoholic liquor for off-site consumption; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois Liquor Control Commission has issued guidance which allows Local Liquor Control Commissioners to authorize On-Premises Only Retailers to sell alcoholic liquor for consumption off the licensed premises; and

WHEREAS, Section 3-6(B) of the DuPage County Liquor Ordinance authorizes the Liquor Commissioner to make reasonable rules as may be necessary in the performance of his or her duties; and

WHEREAS, strict compliance with the provisions of the DuPage County Liquor Ordinance could lead to economic hardship among DuPage businesses during our current public health crisis.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Daniel J. Cronin, Chairman of the DuPage County Board and Liquor Commissioner, proclaim, effective immediately and until May 12 (subject to further review), that establishments which possess a current Class B liquor license, in good standing, and a valid Food Service permit from the DuPage County Health Department are authorized to sell, at retail, alcoholic liquor for consumption off-premises, subject to the following conditions:

1. Alcoholic liquor must be delivered by an individual of at least twenty-one (21) years of age or older; and
2. Adequate evidence of proof of age should be produced to the delivery agent in all instances of delivery; and
3. Deliveries and curbside pick-up must only commence during hours of operation allowable under the DuPage County Liquor Ordinance; and
4. That the sale of alcohol must be accompanied by the contemporaneous purchase of a minimum \$10 in food, exclusive of any taxes or fees; and
5. Alcoholic liquor sold pursuant to this Temporary Rule may be delivered to the purchaser to any location within the County of DuPage.

Entered this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2020.



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DANIEL J. CRONIN, CHAIRMAN  
DU PAGE COUNTY BOARD