

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-81

CITY OF BENTONVILLE, ARKANSAS
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ZONING CODE SEC. 601.29 ALCOHOL SALES TO
ESTABLISH OPERATING HOURS FOR SUNDAY ALCOHOL SALES;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, because of the November 2012 general election, Benton County, Arkansas voters voted in favor of the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors to include alcoholic beverages of every kind and type, including but not limited to beer, vinous, spirituous and malt liquor within Benton County, Arkansas;

WHEREAS, the City of Bentonville amended the Zoning Code on January 22, 2013 to align with the County laws regarding alcohol sales; and

WHEREAS, on the November 2022 general election, Bentonville, Arkansas voters voted in favor of alcohol sales on Sunday;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BENTONVILLE, ARKANSAS:

Section 1 – That Bentonville Municipal Code, Appendix A Zoning Code should be and the same is hereby amended with the following:

Sec 601.29 Alcohol Sales

(c) Conditions for use.

3. It shall be unlawful to sell, offer for sale, or give away, at wholesale or retail for consumption off the premises, beer and/or light wine of every kind and type and/or packaged intoxicating liquors to include alcoholic beverages of every kind and type Monday through Saturday before the hour of 7:00 a.m. and after the hour of 10:00 p.m. and Sunday before the hour of 10:00 a.m. and after the hour of midnight.

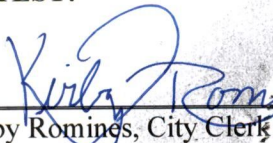
Section 2 - Severability Provision: If any part of this Ordinance is held invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance shall continue in effect as if such invalid portion never existed; and

Section 3 - Repeal of Conflicting Provisions: All Ordinances, Resolutions, or Orders of the City Council, or parts of the same, in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

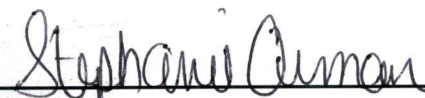
PASSED and APPROVED this 28 day of MARCH, 2023.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:


Kirby Romines, City Clerk




Stephanie Orman, Mayor