

RESOLUTION 3-1

RESOLUTION TEMPORARILY GRANTING FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT LICENSEES AN EXTENSION OF THEIR CURRENT LICENSES' TERMINATION DATES AND OF THE TIME TO PAY LICENSE RENEWAL FEES

WHEREAS, in response to the coronavirus pandemic, the Governor of Illinois has issued executive orders which have banned or significantly curtailed the businesses operated by Sangamon County food service establishment licensees, thereby adversely impacting their incomes; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 5.20 of the Sangamon County Code requires food service establishments to obtain a license before beginning operations, to regularly renew those licenses, and to pay a fee at the time of the initial grant and at the renewal of those licenses; and

WHEREAS, in this time of diminished income for all food service establishment license holders' businesses, the Sangamon County Board desires to temporarily postpone both the requirement to renew licenses and the requirement to pay for food service establishment renewal license fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of Sangamon County, Illinois, until the County Board issues a resolution stating that the coronavirus disaster the County Board, on March 23, 2020, declared extended, has ended:

- (A) The licenses of existing food service establishment licensees, regardless of the expiration date stated on their current license, shall not expire; and
- (B) Existing food service licensees shall not attempt to renew their licenses; and
- (C) No license fees shall be deemed due from existing food service establishment licensees.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the County Board that within sixty days after the County Board issues a resolution stating that the coronavirus disaster the County Board, on March 23, 2020, declared extended, has ended:

- (A) Existing licensees of food service establishments with licenses whose stated expiration dates (i.e., the expiration date printed on the license) have passed shall apply to renew their licenses; and
- (B) If granted, the effective term of the renewal license shall begin on the expiration date of the license being renewed; and
- (C) If granted, the fee for the effective term of the renewal license shall be paid at the time the renewal license is issued; and
- (D) Existing licensees of food service establishments who fail to renew their licenses as allowed by this Resolution shall be subject to all requirements of Chapter 5.20 of the Sangamon County Code, as and if amended.

ATTEST:

A. D. Van Meter, Chairman
Sangamon County Board

Don Gray, Clerk of the County Board
Sangamon County

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