Date Submitted:	Application Number:
Date Filed:	Public Hearing:

# **Application for Waiver of Minimum Distance Requirements for Liquor License Location**

City of Jacksonville, Florida Planning and Development Department

Please type or print in ink. Instructions regarding the completion and submittal of this application are located at the end of this form. For additional information, please contact the Planning and Development Department at (904) 255-7865.

For Official Use Only				
Current Zoning District:		Current Land Use Category:		
Council District:		Planning District:		
Previous Zoning Applications Filed (provide application numbers):				
Applicable Section of Ordinance Code:				
Notice of Violation(s):				
Neighborhood Associations:				
Overlay:				
Number of Signs to Post:	Amount of Fee:		Zoning Asst. Initials:	
PROPERTY INFORMATION				
1. Complete Property Address:		2. Real Estate Nu	ımber:	
3. Land Area (Acres):		4. Date Lot was R	ecorded:	
5. Property Located Between Streets:		6. Utility Services	Provider:	
		City Water / City Sewer		
		Well / Septic		
7. Waiver Sought:				
Reduce Required Minimum Distance between liquor license location and church or school from				
feet to feet.				
8. In whose name will the Waiver be granted?				
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OWNER'S INFORMATION (please attach separate sheet if more than one owner)		
9. Name:	10. E-mail:	
11. Address (including city, state, zip):	12. Preferred Telephone:	

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION (if different from owner)		
13. Name:	14. E-mail:	
15. Address (including city, state, zip):	16. Preferred Telephone:	

### **CRITERIA**

Section 656.101(I), Ordinance Code, defines a waiver as "a relaxation of the Zoning Code minimum distance requirements for liquor license locations, pursuant to Section 656.805, Ordinance Code."

Section 656.133(a)1 through 5, Ordinance Code, provides that, with respect to action upon Applications for Waivers, the Planning Commission may grant a waiver for minimum distance requirements from a church or school for a liquor license location, if there exist one or more circumstances which negate the necessity for compliance with the distance requirements, included but not limited to the following:

- 1. The commercial activity associated with the alcoholic beverage use is of a lesser intensity than the commercial activity associated with the alcoholic beverage use which previously existed; e.g., there has been a reduction in the number of seats or square footage or type of license;
- 2. The alcoholic beverage use is designed to be an integral part of a mixed planned unit development;
- 3. The alcoholic beverage use is located within a shopping center with an aggregate gross leasable area of 50,000 square feet or more, inclusive of all outparcels, and meets the definition of a bona-fide restaurant as defined in Section 656.805(c);
- 4. The alcoholic beverage use is not directly visible along the line of measurement defined in Section 656.806 and is physically separated from the church or school, thereby negating the distance requirement as a result of the extra travel time; or
- 5. There are other existing liquor license locations of a similar nature in the immediate vicinity of the proposed location; provided however, that no waiver shall be granted pursuant to this criterion if the proposed liquor license location is closer to the church or school than other existing locations.

17. Given the above definition of a "waiver" and the aforementioned criteria by which the request will be reviewed against, please describe the reason that the waiver is being sought. Provide as much information as you can; you may attach a separate sheet if necessary. Please note that failure by the applicant to adequately substantiate the need for the request and to meet the criteria set forth may result in a denial.
ATTACHMENTS
The following attachments must accompany each copy of the application.
Survey
Site Plan – two (2) copies on 8 ½ x 11 and two (2) copies on 11 x 17 or larger
Property Ownership Affidavit (Exhibit A)
Agent Authorization if application is made by any person other than the property owner (Exhibit B)
Legal Description – may be written as either lot and block, or metes and bounds (Exhibit 1)
Proof of property ownership – may be print-out of property appraiser record card if individual owner, <a href="http://apps.coj.net/pao_propertySearch/Basic/Search.aspx">http://apps.coj.net/pao_propertySearch/Basic/Search.aspx</a> , or print-out of entry from the Florida Department of State Division of Corporations if a corporate owner, <a href="http://search.sunbiz.org/Inquiry/CorporationSearch/ByName">http://search.sunbiz.org/Inquiry/CorporationSearch/ByName</a> .

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### **AUTHORIZATION**

Please review your application. No application will be accepted until all of the requested information has been supplied and the required fee has been paid. The acceptance of an application as being complete does not guarantee its approval by the Planning Commission. The owner and/or authorized agent must be present at the public hearing.

The required public notice signs must be posted on the property within five (5) working days after the filing of this application. Sign(s) must remain posted and maintained until a final determination has been made on the application.

<u>I hereby certify that I have read and understand</u> the information contained in this application, that I am the owner or authorized agent for the owner with authority to make this application, and that all of the information contained in this application, including the attachments, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Owner(s)	Applicant or Agent (if different than owner)
Print name:	Print name:
Signature:	Signature:
Owner(s)	*An agent authorization letter is required if the
Print name:	application is made by any person other than the
Signature:	property owner.

#### SUBMITTAL

This application must be typed or printed in ink and submitted along with three (3) copies for a total of **four (4) applications**. Each application must include **all required attachments**.

## Submit applications to:

Planning and Development Department, Zoning Section 214 North Hogan Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Jacksonville, Florida 32202 (904) 255-8300