

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
BOND COUNTY AND MONTGOMERY COUNTY  
VILLAGE OF DONNELSON

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COUNTY CLERK

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ORDINANCE NO. 2026-04

AN ORDINANCE REGARDING THE LOCAL LIQUOR CONTROL AUTHORITY OF THE VILLAGE OF DONNELSON, BOND COUNTY AND MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, the Village President and Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Donnellson, Illinois (the "Municipality") is the local liquor control authority for the Municipality pursuant to the Illinois Liquor Control Act of 1934, as amended, 235 ILCS 5/1-1 et seq. (the "Act"); and

WHEREAS, the Municipality is a non-home-rule unit of local government and may exercise only those powers granted by the Illinois Constitution and statutes, including the powers granted under the Act; and

WHEREAS, Section 4-1 of the Act authorizes the corporate authorities of a municipality to determine, by ordinance or resolution not inconsistent with the Act, the number, kind, and classification of licenses for the retail sale of alcoholic liquor within the municipality and to regulate the issuance and renewal of such licenses; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality has previously adopted and maintains a liquor control ordinance codified at Chapter 21, Liquor, of the Revised Code of Ordinances of Donnellson, Illinois (the "Liquor Code"); and

WHEREAS, the corporate authorities find it is in the best interests of the public health, safety, and welfare of the Municipality to amend the Liquor Code as set forth in this Ordinance, including to increase the number of available licenses in certain classifications and to make related administrative and conforming changes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Village Board of the Village of Donnellson, Bond County and Montgomery County, Illinois, as follows:

SECTION 1: Liquor Ordinance 21-2-6, entitled "Classification - Fee - Limitation," is hereby amended as follows (additions bold/underlined; deletions ~~stricken~~):

(A) Class "A" License: Package Stores.

There shall be a limit of ~~one (1)~~ two (2) licenses issued.

(B) Class "B" License: Consumption On or Off the Premises.

The number of Class "B" liquor licenses shall be limited to ~~one (1)~~ two (2).

SECTION 2: Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to create a property right or entitlement to the issuance, renewal, transfer, or maintenance of any liquor license. All licenses shall be issued, renewed, denied, suspended, or revoked in accordance with the Act and the Liquor Ordinance.

SECTION 3: The Local Liquor Control Commissioner is authorized to accept applications and process licenses consistent with the Liquor Ordinance, as amended, including the revised maximum number of licenses per class.

SECTION 4: All ordinances, resolutions, or parts thereof in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 5: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication in the manner provided by law.

SECTION 6: This Ordinance shall be codified in the Revised Code of Ordinances of Donnellson, Illinois, and the Village Clerk is authorized to make any non-substantive formatting, numbering, and cross-reference changes necessary to implement codification.

PASSED THIS 13 DAY OF April 2026.

Roll Call Vote


AYES: Mike McCarro, Gary Long, Virginia Kenny, Marella Volentine, Kenneth Brumberlow

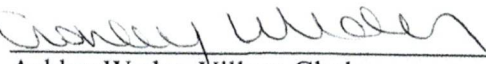
NAYS: Ø

ABSENT: Ø

ABSTAIN: 0

APPROVED THIS 13 DAY OF April 2026.

  
Randy Stewart, Village President

ATTEST:  
  
Ashley Weder, Village Clerk

SEAL

