ORDINANCE # 606

AN ORDINANCE BY THE TOWN OF ASHLAND CITY, TENNESSEE TO AMEND TITLE 8, CHAPTER 2: BEER

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council, have determined that the special event permit for the sale of beer needs to be amended to clarify the sale of beer at Town sponsored events as well as other organized events.

<u>WHEREAS</u>, the Mayor and City Council have determined that it is in the Town's best interest to allow Town sponsored events as well as other organized events to be allowed to serve beer at said functions in designated areas.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ASHLAND CITY, TENNESSEE, that Title 8, Chapter 2, Section 8-206 (4) be amended to read in its entirety as follows:

- (4). (a) Special event permit. A "special events" permit is required to be issued to any organization or individual engaged in the sale of such beverages where they are to be consumed by the purchaser or his/her guests upon the premises and are for the limited purpose of a limited engagement or special event. The permit shall require prior notification in writing ten days prior to the event with the organization holding the event and location of where the event is to be held as well as operation of hours of the event and shall be approved by the Beer Board ten days prior to the event. Each permit will be issued for a specific date and specific period of time. A special event permit shall not exceed more than seventy-two (72) consecutive hours. An organization or individual is limited to four (4) special event permits per year. Any special events permit to be used on the Town's property or existing right away shall be used in a segregated area that is blocked off with temporary barriers to be approved by the Town unless the use is inside a designated building.
- (b) A special event permit may be issued to individuals who desire to serve beer at City sponsored or co-sponsored events. Said event shall be approved by the City Council to allow for the sale of beer. The applicant shall apply for the permit to be approved by the Beer Board. The applicant shall have the same restrictions for a permit as set forth in this Chapter as far as qualifications of the applicant. The City shall designate the area for consumption of beer which shall be a sign posted segregated area that is blocked off with temporary rope barriers. The cost of temporary barriers shall be at the expense of the applicant. Since it is a City sponsored or co-sponsored event, the applicant shall provide proof of liability insurance in an amount of \$1,000,000.00 with the City as an additional insured. Special event permits for City sponsored or co-sponsored events shall be for the time period of the City sponsored event. There are no limits of the number of times that an individual may apply for special event permits for city sponsored or co-sponsored events but is limited by the number of events that the city sponsors. Beer sales shall end thirty minutes prior to the end of the event.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, this Ordinance shall be effective twenty (20) days after the final passage, to the public welfare requiring it.

1st reading 5-9-23
2nd reading 5-16-23

Attest:

Mayor JT Smith

City Recorder