

NOTICE
CITY OF BURLINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 15-2026

Title: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURLINGTON AMENDING, SUPPLEMENTING, AND REVISING CHAPTER 76 OF THE CITY CODE, ENTITLED “ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES” AND RESCINDING ORDINANCE NO. 08-2009

Purpose: The purpose of this ordinance is to repeal the City of Burlington’s “one-thousand-foot rule” governing alcohol licenses. That rule, established by Ordinance No. 08-2009, barred plenary retail distribution licenses from being transferred within 1,000 feet of another plenary retail distribution or consumption license. The Common Council states the restriction has made it difficult for license holders to find suitable locations. The new ordinance rescinds Ordinance 08-2009 entirely and deletes the corresponding subsection (Chapter 76, Article 1, Section 4(D)) from the city code.

The foregoing Ordinance was introduced at a Regular Meeting of the Common Council of the City of Burlington held on Tuesday, June 16, 2026, and was read for the first time.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that this ordinance will further be considered for final passage by the Common Council of the City of Burlington at a meeting to be held on Tuesday, July 7, 2026, beginning at 7:00 PM, at the City Hall Building, 525 High Street, Burlington, New Jersey. All persons interested will be given the opportunity to be heard concerning such ordinance.

A copy of the ordinance can be obtained without cost from the Office of the Municipal Clerk. Anyone in need of special accommodations or access due to disability, should contact the Municipal Clerk’s Office at (609)386-0200 x101, prior to the meeting.

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Municipal Clerk