

**AN ORDINANCE**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOGANSVILLE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE CITY; TO AMEND THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ORDINANCE IN ORDER TO DEFINE, LICENSE AND REGULATE FARM WINERIES; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO FIX AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOGANSVILLE HEREBY ORDAINS:

**SECTION 1:**

That the Alcoholic Beverages Code of the City of Hogansville be amended by creating therein a new Article V, to be entitled "Farm Wineries" and to read as follows:

**"ARTICLE V – FARM WINERIES**

**Sec. 6-220. Definitions.**

The following words, terms, and phrases when used in this article shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

*Farm winery and tasting room* shall be defined according to O.C.G.A. § 3-6-21.1, as presently constituted and as may be hereinafter amended.

**Sec. 6-221. Farm Winery License Authorized.**

No individual shall be authorized to operate a farm winery or tasting room without first obtaining a proper farm winery license from the city in the manner provided in this chapter. Each holder of a farm winery license shall comply with the provisions of this chapter and all state statutes, including rules and regulations promulgated by the Georgia Department of Revenue.

**Sec. 6-222. License Fee.**

The license fee for a farm winery shall be \$250.00.

**Sec. 6-223. License Requirements.**

Applications for a farm winery license shall include such information, and shall follow the requirements of, the application for all alcoholic beverages licenses as are contained within Division 2 of Article II of the Alcoholic Beverages Code. Farm wineries shall be subject to the same regulations and requirements as for a limited pouring wine beverages license, including but not limited to hours of operation and distance requirements, as established in the Alcoholic Beverages Code, but to include any Sunday sales as may be authorized by state law. Farm wineries may offer tastings, as well as other sales as may be allowed by the laws of the State of Georgia."

**SECTION 2:**

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 3:**

This ordinance, after adoption by the Council and upon approval by the Mayor, shall become effective immediately.

INTRODUCED AND FIRST READING \_\_\_\_\_

SECOND READING ADOPTED/REJECTED \_\_\_\_\_

SUBMITTED TO MAYOR AND APPROVED/DISAPPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk