

**Emergency Order Waiving Certain Local Liquor Licensing Fees in
the Town of Erie, Colorado**

Whereas, on April 28, 2020, the Board of Trustees continued indefinitely the declaration of a local disaster emergency in the Town of Erie, pursuant to the Town's authority under the Colorado Disaster Emergency Act, C.R.S. § 24-33.5-701, *et seq.* (the "Act");

Whereas, the basis for the emergency declaration, the COVID-19 pandemic, continues;

Whereas, pursuant to Section 1-8-6 of the Erie Municipal Code, the Town Administrator, as the Town's appointed Emergency Manager, is authorized to take measures and enact regulations in furtherance of the public health and safety, subject to later confirmation by the Board of Trustees;

Whereas, Senate Bill 20B-001 waived certain state fees for liquor license applications from December 7, 2020 to December 7, 2021; and

Whereas, to provide relief to restaurants and other liquor-licensed establishments negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic, the Town wishes to waive the local fees for such applications.

Now, Therefore, it is Hereby Ordered that:

Section 1. Effective immediately and continuing through December 7, 2021, the Town hereby waives the following local liquor license fees:

- a. Application Fees: Application Fees; Application Fees with Concurrent Review; Application Late Renewal Fees; Application Re-Issue Fees; and Application Re-Issue Fines.
- b. Retail License Fees: Art; Beer & Wine; Brew Pub; Club; Distillery Pub; Hotel & Restaurant; Limited Winery; Lodging & Entertainment; Optional Premises; Tavern; Vintner's Restaurant; Fermented Beverage On Premises; and Fermented Beverage On/Off Premises.

Section 2. This Order shall be given prompt and general publicity, filed immediately with the Town Clerk, and a copy of it shall be sent to the Boulder County Clerk and Recorder, the Weld County Clerk and Recorder and the Colorado Office of Emergency Management.

Adopted this 18th day of December, 2020.

Malcolm Fleming

Malcolm Fleming, Town Administrator

Attest:

Heidi Leatherwood

Heidi Leatherwood, Town

