

ORDINANCE NO. 26-\_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 3 (BUSINESS AND LICENSE REGULATIONS),  
CHAPTER 3 (LIQUOR AND TOBACCO CONTROL), SECTION THREE (DEFINITIONS)  
SECTION 11 (LIQUOR LICENSE AND PERMIT CLASSIFICATIONS)  
OF THE NAPERVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
NAPERVILLE, DUPAGE AND WILL COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, in exercise of its home rule  
powers that:

**SECTION 1:** Title 3 (Business and License Regulations), Chapter 3 (Liquor and  
Tobacco Control), Section 3 (Definitions) of the Naperville Municipal Code is hereby amended  
by adding the underlined language as follows:

**3-3-3: - DEFINITIONS:** For the purposes of this Chapter, the following words and phrases shall  
have the following meanings:

ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR through  
ALTERNATIVE NICOTINE PRODUCT \* \* \*

<u>ARTISANAL TEQUILA</u>	<u>Additive-free tequila that uses 100% fully mature agave slow-cooking in masonry or stone ovens, open-air fermentation with wild yeasts, and small- batch distillation in copper pot stills.</u>

BEER through  
WINE OR VINOUS BEVERAGE \* \* \*

**SECTION 2:** Title 3 (Business and License Regulations), Chapter 3 (Liquor and  
Tobacco Control), Section 11 (Liquor License and Permit Classifications) of the Naperville  
Municipal Code is hereby amended by adding the underlined language and deleting the  
stricken language as follows:

**3-3-11: LIQUOR LICENSE AND PERMIT CLASSIFICATIONS:**

The following are classes of liquor licenses and permits with an annual license and permit fee  
as indicated:

1. On-premises consumption liquor licenses \* \* \*

2. Off-Premises Consumption Liquor Licenses: \* \* \*

**Class D – Package Store** through

**Class S – Specialty Wine Shop** \* \* \*

	<b>Class S1 – Specialty Food and Liquor Shop</b>
<b>Requirements of Premises</b>	Premises shall not exceed 1,500 square feet. Not less than 40% of the premises shall be designated for the sale of specialty foods.
<b>Consumption</b>	Off-premises, except consumption on premises of not more than 3 oz. of <u>artisanal tequila</u> , craft distilled whiskey or small batch whiskey, or 18 oz. of wine, or 32 oz. of craft beer per person/day.
<b>Container Requirements</b>	199 ml containers must be confined to a closed display unit. All wine-bottles must bear the establishment's private label. Retail sale of craft beer, wine, <u>artisanal tequila</u> , craft distilled whiskey or small batched whiskey in its original package.
<b>Liquor Tasting</b>	Tastings are limited to one type of alcoholic liquor per person/day. Tasting hours: 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
<b>Annual Fee</b>	\$1,650
<b>Other</b>	Capped at 2. The Class S1 license is exempted from the restrictions in Section 3-3-12:7 (Downtown Establishments).

**Class U – Specialty Market** through

**Class V – Pharmacy** \* \* \*

3. Permits: \* \* \*

**Catering and/or Bartending Services Permit** through

**Growler Permit** \* \* \*

	<b><u>Late Night Permit</u></b>
<b>Requirements of Permit</b>	Class B license holders only.
<b>Consumption</b>	Liquor service from 11:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. (Mon.—Fri.), 2:00 a.m. (Sat.—Sun.)
<b>Container Restrictions</b>	None.

<b>Food Service</b>	None.
<b>Type of Liquor Service</b>	Same as with Class B license.
<b>Annual Fee</b>	\$500.00
<b>Other</b>	Cap of 25 <u>21</u> for downtown locations, cap of 43 for non-downtown locations.

**Marketing Event Permit through  
Temporary Permit**

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**SECTION 3:** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval.

PASSED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

APPROVED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

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Scott A. Wehrli  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Dawn Portner  
City Clerk