

1 Ordinance 2017-01 Liquor License Procedure and Responsibilities

2 The Town Board of the Town of Apple River, Polk County, Wisconsin does hereby ordain as follows:

3 **Section 1. Purpose and Authority.** This ordinance is enacted pursuant to the authority of Wisconsin  
4 Statutes Sections 77.61 (11), 125.04 (5) and other related statutes. In addition to statute compliance it  
5 is intended to avoid the consequences stated in 125.04 General Licensing Requirements (2), "Any license  
6 or permit issued in violation of this chapter is void."

7 **Section 2. Responsibilities.** It shall be the responsibility of the town clerk to receive and process all  
8 liquor license applications consistent with governing statutes and to insure compliance with Section  
9 77.61 (11)

10 The town clerk is directed by this ordinance to process background checks consistent with Section  
11 125.04 (5) (b) and (c). These checks will commence at the first renewal period following adoption of this  
12 ordinance and subsequently every (4) four years thereafter, beginning in 2020 for all sole proprietors,  
13 corporations or LLC organizations. In the case of corporations and LLC any change in individuals,  
14 members, partners, officers, managers, or agents will require background checks be conducted at the  
15 time of change and also in the designated year unless the change occurred in a contiguous year.

16 It shall be the responsibility of the Town Board to review and approve all applications submitted by the  
17 clerk to insure compliance with related statutes.


18 **Section 3. Fees and Cost.** All fees and cost associated with liquor license applications, Operator and  
19 Manager permits and background checks are the responsibility of the identity approved for application.

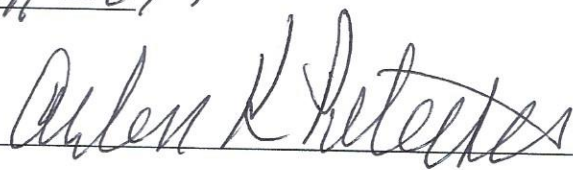
20 **Section 4. Severability.** If any provision of this ordinance is invalid or unconstitutional, or if the  
21 application of this ordinance to any person or circumstance is invalid or unconstitutional, the invalidity  
22 or unconstitutionality shall not affect the provisions or application of this ordinance which can be given  
23 effect without the invalid or unconstitutional provision or application.

24 **Section 5. Repeal of Inconsistent Ordinances.** All existing town ordinances, parts of ordinances, and  
25 amendments thereto in conflict with any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

26 **Section 6. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall be effective the day after posting in required places.

27 Introduced 12/31/2017 Adopted 12/31/2017

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Town Chairperson

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Attest: Town Clerk