

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-01

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF MURCHISON, TEXAS PROVIDING FOR A FEE FOR EACH ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE BUSINESS: PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE, PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of Murchison, Texas ("City"), pursuant to the authority granted to cities in TABC, Section 11.38, a city or town may levy and collect a fee for each permit issued under this chapter in an amount equal to one-half (50%) of the annual state permit fee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council for the City of Murchison, Texas as follows:

SECTION 1. This Ordinance shall be applicable to all businesses/premises within the incorporated jurisdiction of the City of Murchison, Texas who are required by TABC Chapter 11, to obtain a permit.

SECTION 2. The fee will be an amount equal to one-half (50%) of the annual state permit fee.

SECTION 3. All fees required pursuant to this ordinance shall be paid at Murchison City Hall, 9540 FM 773, Murchison, Texas at the same time that the state annual renewal fee is due and payable or at the time that the state issues a new permit to a business. The City Secretary shall issue an appropriate receipt for the payment of each fee and the holder of the state permit or license involved shall display the receipt on the premises in the same manner that the applicable state license or permit is displayed.

SECTION 6. Any and all Ordinances of the City of Murchison, Texas in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and the same are hereby repealed, and all other provisions of the Ordinances of the City of Murchison not in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 7. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, subsections and phrases of this Ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, subsection or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or illegality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, subsections and sections of this Ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation in this

Ordinance of any such unconstitutional or illegal phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, subsection, or section.

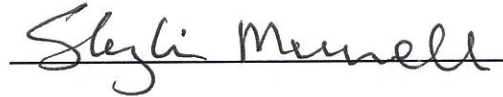
SECTION 8. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage by the City Council for the City of Murchison, Texas and notice sent to current license holders.

PASSED and APPROVED by the City Council for the City of Murchison, Texas this 10th day of June, 2025.

APPROVED BY:



Bradley H. Gray, Mayor



Skylier Murrell, City Secretary

