

1 Introduced June 10, 2014, by Councilman  
2 Cusimano, seconded by Councilwoman  
3 Harbison, (by request of Administration)

4 **Item No. 14-06-3042**

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6 **ORDINANCE NO. 3736**

7 An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, Chapter  
8 4 Alcoholic Beverages.

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10 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that it does  
11 hereby amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, Chapter 4 Alcoholic  
12 Beverages, as follows:  
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15 **Sec. 4-26. Application for dealer's permit.**

16 Delete paragraph "(d)" in its entirety and replace with the following:

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18 "(d) Notice. Prior to making application for a dealer's permit, each applicant  
19 shall twice insert an appropriate signed notice similar to the following in a  
20 newspaper that has maintained a publication and general circulation for a minimum  
21 of two (2) years in the City of Slidell.  
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24 "I am applying for a permit to sell alcoholic beverages at  
25 the following address: \_\_\_\_\_  
26 in the City of Slidell."  
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28 The publication of this notice is not required of permittees seeking renewal of their  
29 permits."  
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4 **ADOPTED** this 8th day of July, 2014.

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6 Kim Harbison  
7 President of the Council  
8 Councilwoman-at-Large

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10 Freddy Drennan  
11 Mayor

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13 Thomas P. Reeves  
14 Council Administrator

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7/9/14	to the Mayor
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7/11/14	from the Mayor

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its and owing taxes or permit fees to the city if such taxes or permit fees are delinquent for a period of 30 days.

(Code 1966, § 3-7)

**State law reference**—Similar provisions, R.S. 26:76.

**Sec. 4-26. Application for dealer's permit.**

(a) *Submission.* Liquor permit applications may be obtained from the department of finance. Completed applications shall be delivered to the city at the city council office to ensure compliance with the requirements of this chapter.

(b) *Content.* All of the requirements of R.S. 26:78, content of application for permit, as the same may be from time to time amended, shall be satisfied in connection with the application for a permit from the city.

(c) *Qualifications of applicants.* All of the requirements of R.S. 26:80, qualifications of applicants for permits, as such qualifications may be from time to time amended, shall be satisfied in connection with the application for a permit from the city. In addition, the following requirement shall be met: If the business is a corporation, a copy of the articles of incorporation shall be submitted with the application.

→ (d) *Notice.* Prior to making application for a dealer's permit, each applicant shall twice insert an appropriate signed notice similar to the following in the official journal of the city:

"I am applying for a permit to sell alcoholic beverages at the following address:  
\_\_\_\_\_ in the City of Slidell."

The publication of this notice is not required of permittees seeking renewal of their permits.  
(Code 1966, § 3-8; Ord. No. 3016, 7-10-2001)

**Sec. 4-27. Requirements for approval.**

Prior to approval of an alcoholic beverage permit, the applicant shall have acquired a health certificate from the state department of health and hospitals, a permit of occupancy from the city department of permits, an occupation permit from the city department of finance, and provide a completed copy of the application to the state commissioner of alcohol and tobacco control.  
(Code 1966, § 3-9; Ord. No. 2960, 8-22-2000)

**Sec. 4-28. Operation without a permit.**

No person shall do any act for which a permit is required by this chapter unless he holds the proper permit.

(Code 1966, § 3-10)

**Sec. 4-29. Location restricted; exception.**

(a) All alcoholic beverage dealers, excepting bona fide restaurant/cafeterias and public markets, are prohibited within 300 feet of a church, synagogue, library, playground or school. This distance shall be measured as a person walks using the sidewalk from the nearest point of the property line of the church, synagogue, library, playground or school to the nearest point of the premises to be permitted. Nothing in this section shall affect the renewal of a permit or the obtainment of a new permit for a place of business that has had a city permit to sell alcoholic beverages on the effective date of the ordinance from which this chapter derives, nor shall it prohibit the issuance of a new permit to another establishment, provided that there is an existing alcoholic beverage permittee within 300 feet of such church, synagogue, library, playground or school.

(b) This section shall not apply to special events permits issued for special events held in municipal facilities or parks. Charitable, religious or fraternal organizations which have tax exempt status under section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(8), or 501(c)(19) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Service shall be exempt from the location restrictions of this section.

(Code 1966, § 3-11; Ord. No. 3227, 10-26-2004)

**Sec. 4-30. Renewal.**

(a) Persons holding permits shall file application for renewal for the ensuing year and pay the annual permit fees on or before December 1 prior to the year for which the permit is to be issued. Renewals shall be considered delinquent on January 1 of the year for which the permit is to be issued. If the dealer fails to file the application and pay the permit fees by that date, there shall be added to the fee, in addition to other penalties provided in this chapter, a delinquency penalty of ten percent if the failure is for not more than 30 days, with an additional ten percent for each