ORDINANCE NO. 1230

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 117 OF CHAPTER 10 OF THE RALSTON MUNICIPAL CODE DEALING WITH ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; HOURS OF SALE; TO REPEAL PROVISIONS IN CONFLICT THEREWITH AND TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RALSTON, NEBRASKA.

That on the 4th day of December 2018, the Ralston City Council conducted a regularly scheduled public hearing at which it considered amending Chapter 10, section 117, of the Ralston Municipal Code pertaining to hours of sale for alcoholic beverages. Upon consideration of such amendment, the Ralston City Council approved the amendment of §10-117 so that after passage of this ordinance said section shall read as follows:

§10-117 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; HOURS OF SALE.

- 1. For the purposes of this section, "on the premises" shall be defined as alcoholic beverages sold at retail by the drink for consumption on the premises of the licensed establishment. The term "off the premises" shall be defined as alcoholic beverages sold in the original container for consumption off the premises of the licensed establishment.
- 2. It shall be unlawful for any licensed person or persons or their agents to sell any alcoholic liquor within the City of Ralston during the hours provided herein:
 - a. The sale or distribution for consumption off the premises on any day between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m.; or
 - b. The sale or dispensing for consumption on the premises on any day between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m.
- 3. It shall be unlawful on premises licensed to sell alcoholic liquor at retail to allow alcoholic liquor in open containers to remain or be in possession or control of any person for purposes of consumption for a period of time longer than 15 minutes after the time fixed herein for stopping the sale of alcoholic beverages on the said premises.
- 4. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit licensed premises from being open for other business on days and hours during which the sale or dispensing of alcoholic beverages is prohibited by this section. (*Ref. 53-179 RS Neb.*)

Any and all Ordinances or portions thereof which are in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

This Ordinance becomes effective upon passage by the Mayor and City Council of the City Council of the City of Ralston, Nebraska and upon its publication as provided by law.

DATED this _______ day of <u>Nocomber</u>, 2018.

CITY OF RALSTON, NEBRASKA

Donald A. Groesser

Mayor

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Approved as to form:

Mark A. Klinker, City Attorney