

## Wauwatosa Ordinance 6.08.320 – Tracked Changes Format

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~~Not more than two "class B" temporary wine licenses may be issued to the applicant in any twelve month period. Not more than sixteen temporary class "B" beer licenses may be issued to an applicant in any twelve month period. No beer or wine shall be served or sold between the hours of twelve midnight and eleven a.m. under the terms of this license.~~

1. The annual limit of sixteen (16) temporary Class "B" beer licenses is hereby increased to thirty (30) per qualifying entity.
2. The annual limit of two (2) temporary "Class B" wine licenses is hereby increased to twelve (12) per qualifying entity. **(Pending City Staff Review)**
3. An Annual Festival Permit may be issued, allowing up to five (12) events per year to be covered under one streamlined approval process.
4. The city clerk shall issue these licenses upon payment of the required fees and submission of a complete application.

~~The city clerk shall within twenty-four hours after the issuance of the license inform the chief of police of the date, place and event for which the license has been issued. The police department may check the event and report any violations of law to the common council.~~

#### **Application and Approval Process:**

- Application for temporary alcohol licenses shall be filed at least ten (10) business days prior to the event.
- For organizations seeking multiple licenses in a calendar year, the city clerk may approve an Annual Festival Permit, subject to Common Council review and approval.
- The police department shall be notified of all license issuances and may monitor compliance.

#### **Public Safety Measures:**

- The applicant shall ensure that alcohol service complies with state beverage server training requirements.
- Event organizers shall provide security and crowd control measures appropriate to the event's size.
- Violations of alcohol laws or city regulations may result in revocation of future temporary license privileges.

### **Proposed New Clause – Annual Festival or Multi-Event Permit**

#### **Annual Festival or Multi-Event Permit**

The City Clerk may issue an Annual Festival or Multi-Event Permit to a qualifying organization, allowing the sale of fermented malt beverages and wine at up to twelve (12) separate events within a calendar year, subject to the following conditions:

1. The permit may cover multiple event dates, locations, or consecutive days within the same event series, provided all event details are submitted as part of the application.
2. The applicant shall submit a list of proposed event dates and locations at the time of application. Modifications to this list may be permitted with the approval of the City Clerk, provided notice is given at least five (5) business days prior to the event.
3. All events covered by the permit shall comply with the operational, safety, and training requirements set forth in this chapter and Wisconsin State Statutes Chapter 125.
4. The Annual Festival or Multi-Event Permit is subject to Common Council review and approval and may be revoked or suspended for any violation of city ordinances, state law, or conditions of the permit.
5. Nothing in this section shall prevent an organization from applying for additional individual Temporary Class "B" Beer or "Class B" Wine Licenses outside of the Annual Festival or Multi-Event Permit process, provided that annual maximum limits per entity are not exceeded.