IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

AN ORDINANCE deferring until October 1, 2020, all County fees for license and permit renewals due under chapter 40, Food Safety and Environmental Health, chapter 41, Alcoholic Beverages, and chapter 42, Amusements, <u>Jackson County Code</u>, 1984, to enable businesses to better cope with the financial issues relating to the closure order relating to COVID-19.

ORDINANCE NO. 5325, April 6, 2020

INTRODUCED BY Jeanie Lauer, County Legislator

WHEREAS, U.S. President Donald J. Trump, Missouri Governor Mike Parson, and County Executive Frank White Jr. have all declared, in one form or another, the ongoing coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic to be a public health emergency; and,

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2020, the County Executive issued an order closing all non-essential businesses in Jackson County, outside the City of Kansas City, until at least April 24, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, the closing of businesses required under the order may render it a hardship for business owners to pay certain fees for licenses and permits due under the Jackson Code; now therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that fees for license and permit renewals due under chapter 40, Food Safety and Environmental Health, chapter 41, Alcoholic Beverages, and chapter 42, Amusements, <u>Jackson County Code</u>, 1984, be and hereby are deferred until October 1, 2020, to enable businesses to better cope with the financial issues relating to the closure order relating to COVID-19.

Effective Date: This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its signature by the County Executive.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	*
Chief Deputy County Counselor	County Counselor
I hereby certify that the attached ordinance, Ordinance No. 5325 introduced or April 6; 2020, was duly passed on, 2020 by the Jacksor County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:	
Yeas	Nays
Abstaining	Absent/
The Ordinance is hereby transmitted to the County Executive for his signature.	
4-6-2020 Date	Mary Jo Spino, Glerk of Legislature
I hereby approve the attached Ordinance No. 5325.	
4 7 2020 Date	Frank White Jr., County Executive
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