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TO THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN
OF THE CITY OF SAVANNAH

PLEASE ALLOW FOUR
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Petition for Real Property Application (other than Enroachment)

PETITION #

I respectfully request your Honorable Body to amend Section 6-1214(b) of the City Alcohol ordinance to permit outside consumption of alcoholic beverages at the Savannah River Landing, being more particularly shown and described as Exhibit "A" attached hereto.

Print Name: Harold B. Yellin
As Agent FOR: SAVANNAH RIVER
LANDING, LLC

Address:        P. O. Box 9849, Savannah, GA 31412
Telephone Number:  912-236-0261

Signature: 

REVISED 11/28/2016
Exhibit A

Deletions are shown as strikethrough. Additions are shown as underlined.

Sec. 6-1214. - Consumption of alcohol on city streets.

(a) Except for the area and circumstances specified in subsections (b) and (c) herein, it shall be unlawful for any person to possess an alcoholic beverage in an open container, either on their person, in a motor vehicle or otherwise on the streets, sidewalks, parks, squares or other public places within the City of Savannah.

(b) Within the area of the city bounded on the north by the city limits, on the west by the centerline of the Talmadge Memorial Bridge extended south on West Boundary Street to Jones Street, on the south by Jones Street extended east to the railroad track, and on the east by a line extending north along the centerline of the railroad track to the Savannah River east of the Marriott Hotel the Savannah River Landing (located west of the Bilbo Canal), then across the Savannah River to include all portions of Hutchinson Island that are within the city, the following regulations apply:

(1) Any Class C licensee may sell one alcoholic beverage in a paper or plastic cup for removal from the premises; provided, however, that the alcoholic beverage is not placed in a can, bottle or other glass container and, further provided, that the licensee may dispense no more than one alcoholic beverage per person, and no person shall remove more than one alcoholic beverage from the premises;

(2) Any alcoholic beverage dispensed pursuant to this section shall not exceed 16 fluid ounces in size and no person shall possess an open container containing an alcoholic beverage in excess of 16 fluid ounces on the streets, sidewalks, parks, squares or other public places within the area described in this section;

(3) Unless specifically provided otherwise by ordinance, the regulations provided by this section shall be in full force and effect during the Saint Patrick's Day Festival and any other festival.

(c) Persons age 21 and over may possess alcoholic beverages as provided by subsection (b)(2) during events of a limited duration conducted within Forsyth
Park sponsored either by the city or those for which a special event permit has been obtained from the revenue department.

(Ord. of 8-18-2016(1), § 1)

considered a part of the premises. Alcoholic beverages may not be sold, served or
delivered in, into or within such areas, unless a temporary event permit has been
obtained. All Class B, C, G and H licensees shall be responsible for consumption and
possession of alcoholic beverages by any person located on their premises.

(b) No detached bar, whether permanent or temporary, may be erected on a
licensee's premises within or on any outside area.

(Ord. of 2017, § 5-1212)

Sec. 6-1213. Dispensing Alcohol to or by Persons In Motor Vehicles.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to dispense, furnish, or permit to be
furnished any alcoholic beverage to any person situated within a motor vehicle, when
such vehicle is parked or otherwise occupies space on any city street, alley, lane,
parking lot or other roadway, except to make a delivery for consumption subsequent
thereto.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person situated within a motor vehicle, when
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(Ord. of 2017, § 5-1214)

Sec. 6-1215. Employee Regulations for Retail Dealers, Alcoholic Beverage Caterers and All Others Dispensing Alcohol for Consumption on Premises.

(a) Every Class A, C and H licensee shall require all persons employed as managers, servers, bartenders, doormen, or any other employee, agent or subcontractor with the responsibility for handling, serving, mixing or dispensing alcoholic beverages to register and file an application for a server permit with the Revenue Department, or a third party vendor, no later than three days after commencement of his/her employment. The applicant for the permit shall pay a permit fee as provided for in the annual revenue ordinance or as specified in a contract between the City and a third party vendor. The City may select one or more vendors to provide an electronic data-based system for server permits.

(b) Each applicant shall be fingerprinted and submit an executed waiver permitting a criminal background check. Any person who has been convicted of a violation of any law, ordinance or regulation governing the sale of alcoholic beverages,