

**PROPOSED**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF ORIENTAL, NC**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners periodically update the Code of General Ordinances for the Town of Oriental, NC; and

**WHEREAS**, these updates are in order to incorporate the economic evolvement of the Town of Oriental while maintaining the vision and integrity of the Town;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF ORIENTAL, NC** that the following item be amended and included in the Code of General Ordinances of the Town of Oriental:

**CHAPTER H—DISORDERLY CONDUCT AND PUBLIC**

**ARTICLE I—DISORDERLY CONDUCT**

Section 5 – Drinking in Public be and the same is hereby amended by deleting it in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

**Section 5—Drinking in Public**

~~No person shall consume, serve, or drink wine, beer, whisky, or alcoholic beverages of any kind on the public streets, alleys, or in public buildings.~~

**Section 5—Drinking in Public**

It shall be unlawful for any person to consume, sell, serve, or drink alcoholic beverages of any kind, or to publicly display alcoholic beverages if the container has been opened or the seal broken, on any property owned, leased, or controlled by the town, and any public street, alley, sidewalk, or parking lot within the town limits, whether the area is open to vehicular traffic or has been closed to vehicular traffic in connection with a parade or other special event.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF ORIENTAL, NC** that this Ordinance be effective from and after the date of its adoption.

**ADOPTED THIS 5<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2013.**

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William R. Sage, Mayor

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Robert J. Maxbauer, Town Manager

Ordinance # \_\_\_\_\_