

EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

AN ACT relating to Walton County, Florida, repealing Ordinance 75-4, dated August 12, 1975, and providing for the hours for sale of alcoholic beverages outside municipal limits; providing for penalty, and providing an effective date.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida, on August 12, 1975, adopted an Ordinance providing for the hours for sale of alcoholic beverages under the provisions of Florida Statute 562.14 and

WHEREAS, the City of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, has failed to comply with the provisions of Florida Statute 562.14, and

WHEREAS, the present law results in inequities for those proprietors outside municipal limits which sell alcoholic beverages, and,

WHEREAS, the Board feels that the present law should be changed immediately and that this Ordinance should be considered an emergency ordinance, and

WHEREAS, the Board feels that the hours for sale of alcoholic beverages should be from 7:00 o'clock a.m. until 2:00 o'clock a.m., Monday through Sunday at 2:00 o'clock a.m., and from Sunday at 1:00 o'clock p.m., until Monday morning at 1:00 o'clock a.m.,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida that the legal hours for sale of alcoholic beverages in Walton County, Florida, be as follows:

From 7:00 o'clock a.m. until 2:00 a.m.,
Monday through Sunday morning at 2:00 a.m., and
from Sunday at 1:00 o'clock p.m., to Monday
morning at 1:00 o'clock a.m.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida, that this Ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that violation of this Ordinance shall constitute a misdemeanor and shall be punishable under the provisions of Florida Statute 125.69.

ADOPTED by four-fifths vote this 14 day of December, 1976.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF WALTON COUNTY, FLORIDA

by Lloyd Weeks
Lloyd Weeks, Chairman

ATTEST:

Philip A. Anderson
Philip A. Anderson, Clerk