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## Memorandum

June 16, 2020

To: Town Council

From: Jamie Hellen, Town Administrator

Re: Resolution 20-34: Authorize Town Administrator to grant temporary expansion licenses

As a result of the COVID-19 Pandemic, Massachusetts Governor Charlie Baker has developed a phased re-opening for the state of Massachusetts. In phase 2 of the reopening, restaurants will be allowed to open for outdoor service, the State has instructed municipalities to develop and issue temporary expansion alcohol licenses, entertainment licenses, and on premise consumption food, entertainment and alcohol licenses.

This resolution will give *formal* authorization to the Town Administrator to grant these temporary expansion alcohol licenses, entertainment licenses, and on premise consumption food, entertainment and alcohol licenses. The Council has already authorized the Administration during the COVID-19 discussion at the June 3rd Town Council meeting. This vote is formality.

If you have any additional questions please feel free to ask.

Sponsor: Administration



## **TOWN OF FRANKLIN RESOLUTION 20 - 34**

## Authorization of Town Administrator to Grant Temporary Extension of Licensed Premises for Outdoor Dining

WHEREAS, the state has instructed municipalities to develop and issue temporary expansion alcohol licenses, entertainment licenses, and on premise consumption food, entertainment and alcohol licenses.

## NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Town Council of the Town of Franklin hereby grants authority to the Town Administrator to grant temporary expansion alcohol licenses, entertainment licenses and on premise consumption food, entertainment, and alcohol licenses.

This resolution shall become effective according to the provisions of the Town of Franklin Home Rule Charter.

| DATED:, 2020                      | VOTED:                                      |
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|                                   | UNANIMOUS:                                  |
| A TRUE RECORD ATTEST:             | YES:NO:                                     |
|                                   | ABSTAIN: ABSENT:                            |
| Teresa M. Burr, CMC<br>Town Clerk | RECUSED:                                    |
|                                   | Glenn Jones, Clerk<br>Franklin Town Council |