## **ORDINANCE #14-2012**

## AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, COUNTY OF MORRIS, AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO AMEND CHAPTER 78, "ALCOHOL AND BEVERAGE LICENSES, SUB-SECTION 78-6, "PROXIMITY OF LICENSED PREMISES"

**WHEREAS**, the Township Mayor and Council seek to maintain a prohibition of licenses granted or transferred within a radius of 1,200 feet except for those properties located in the C-LI zone; and

WHEREAS, presently the C-2 zone is excluded from this exception; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township seeks to include the C-2 zone in this overall exception.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED,** by the Municipal Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Section 78-6 entitled "Proximity of Licensed Premises" shall read as follows:

No licenses, except club licenses, renewals and transfers at existing locations shall be granted or transferred to premises within a radius of 1,200 feet of any existing licensed premises. This distance restriction shall not apply to the C-2 and the C-LI zones.

**SECTION 2.** All ordinances of the Township of Mount Olive, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**SECTION 3.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE COUNTY OF MORRIS STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ATTEST:

By:

Alex Roman Council President

Lisa Lashway, Clerk