



**ORDINANCE COMMITTEE  
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE  
TUESDAY JUNE 2, 2020 AT 4:50 PM  
FIRST FLOOR MEETING ROOM,  
CITY HALL, 111 NORTH MAIN STREET**

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE OF ORDINANCES AS REQUIRED BY  
CITY CHARTER**

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PUBLIC TO ACCESS MEETING:**

**To join meeting online: <http://bristolct.my.webex.com>**

Meeting number: 794 487 638

Meeting password: 123456

Or join by phone 1+408-418-9388

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Secs. 15-27—15-40. - Reserved.

DIVISION 1. – Reserved. [POSSESSION OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR BY PERSONS  
UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE

Sec. 15-41. - Intent.

The city council finds that the unregulated possession of alcoholic liquor by persons under the age of twenty-one (21) is detrimental to the general welfare, health and safety of the citizens of the city, and especially its youth.

Sec. 15-42. - Definitions.

*Alcoholic liquor* shall have the same meaning as the same term is defined in Title 30, Chapter 545, Section 30-1 of the Connecticut General Statutes.

*Host* shall mean to organize a gathering of two (2) or more persons, or to allow the premises under one's control to be used with one's knowledge for a gathering of two (2) or more persons, for personal, social or business interaction.

Sec. 15-43. - Possession of alcoholic liquor restricted.

No person under the age of twenty-one (21) shall possess any container of alcoholic liquor, whether opened or unopened, within the city except when accompanied by or in the presence of his or her parent, legal guardian, or spouse who has attained the age of twenty-one (21) years. This restriction shall apply to both public and private property.

Sec. 15-44. - Restrictions regarding hosting of event or gathering at which alcoholic liquor is present.

No person shall host an event or gathering at which alcoholic liquor is consumed by or dispensed to any person who has not attained the age of twenty-one (21) years unless said person is accompanied by or in the presence of his or her parent, legal guardian, or spouse who has attained the age of twenty-one (21) years. This prohibition shall apply to any event or gathering within the city, whether conducted on public or private property.

Sec. 15-45. - Restrictions regarding sale or delivery of alcoholic liquor.

Except as provided in section 15-43 above, no person shall sell or deliver alcoholic liquor to any person under the age of twenty-one (21) within the city.]

Sec. 15-41 – Sec. 15-45 Reserved.

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David Preleski, Chairman  
Ordinance Committee