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**THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH, CALIFORNIA,
DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Entertainment, Limited Live. **“Limited live entertainment”** means the provision of live entertainment as defined herein, but only as accessory to an established onsite use during normal business hours for limited periods of time outside of late night hours, provided by a maximum of two performers using amplification at any time, that does not typically generate offsite impacts or contribute to impacts within the commercial district or adjacent residential districts in accordance with operational standards in the commercial zoning districts.

Entertainment, Live. **"Live entertainment"** means the provision of live performances including without limitation all forms of music, theatrical or comedic performance, song, dance, or vocal entertainment by use of a disc jockey to select, play and/or announce music or announcer, participated in by one or more employees, guests, customers, or any other person or persons. Acoustic, unamplified, non-percussive background music provided accessory to an established onsite use during normal business hours by a maximum of two persons without advertisement and without charge is excluded.

A. Definition.

- B. Administrative Permit required.

1 1. Limited Live Entertainment allowed pursuant to this section may be permitted with an
2 administrative permit pursuant to Chapter 17.55 in the C-1, C-2 and C-3 zones. No permit term shall
3 extend past two (2) years from the effective date of this Ordinance.

4 2. The appeal procedures found in Section 17.55.050 and the revocation procedures found
5 in Section 17.55.70 shall apply to any administrative permit issued for Limited Live Entertainment.

6 C. Standards and Limitations.

7 1. Hours: During normal business hours but no earlier than 8:00 A.M or later than 9:00
8 P.M. daily.

9 2. Noise: Cannot be audible on the exterior of the business premises and not permitted
10 on outside patios, entries or sidewalks. All exterior doors and windows shall be closed during
11 entertainment.

12 3. Uses: Limited Live Entertainment may include one or two performers/hosts using
13 amplification, playing games, open mic, musical performances, poetry readings or other similar use
14 that is not more objectionable than the listed uses. The Community Development Director is
15 authorized to compare a proposed use and measure it against those listed for determining similarity.

16 4. Operations/Seating: The activity must be confined to completely enclosed premises
17 and does not result in the need for additional seating or change in an approved floor plan to
18 accommodate the limited live entertainment and/or accommodate a stage for the entertainment,
19 dancing or hosting of an activity or event.

20 5. Limited live entertainment is an accessory use to the main business.

21 6. There shall be a maximum of two (2) performers or hosts using amplification.

22 7. Prizes: Any prizes awarded during an activity permitted by a Limited Live
23 Entertainment administrative permit shall be limited to the prize limits stated in Section 5.12.100.

24 8. Must comply with all other applicable laws and agencies, including but not limited to
25 California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control and California Bureau of Gambling Control.

26 9. No organized alcohol drinking games are permitted.

27 10. Established maximum occupant load of the premises shall apply.

28 11. Upon permit issuance, advertising of approved entertainment is permitted.

SECTION 4. Chapter 17.26.030 of Title 17 of the Hermosa Beach Municipal Code is amended by adding Entertainment, Limited Live to the matrix of C-1, C-2 and C-3 land use regulations.

USE	C1	C2	C3	See Section
Entertainment, limited live	P	P	P	17.42.190

SECTION 5. The proposed amendments to Title 17 of the Hermosa Beach Municipal Code are to allow Limited Live Entertainment. The amendments will not impede the City's ability to meet its General Plan goals and the amendments are necessary to carry out the purposes of the Zoning Ordinance, including the orderly planned use of land resources.

SECTION 6. The City Clerk shall cause this Ordinance to be published in a newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in the City within fifteen (15) days after its passage.

SECTION 7. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance, shall enter the same in the book of original ordinances of said city, and shall make minutes of the passage and adoption thereof in the records of the proceedings of the City Council at which the same is passed and adopted.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 13th day of November, 2018 by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:

PRESIDENT of the City Council and **MAYOR** of the City of Hermosa Beach, California

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Clerk

City Attorney