## **ORDINANCE NO. 18,092**

## AN ORDINANCE PLACING A TEMPORARY MORATORIUM ON TOBACCO LICENSES

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria is a home rule municipality pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, as a home rule municipality, the City of Peoria may exercise any power to perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs, including modifications to its Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, there has been a surplus of standalone tobacco establishments within the City of Peoria; and

WHEREAS, to prevent an oversaturation of standalone tobacco establishments, the City of Peoria desires to review and modify Chapter 18 Article XIV Cigarettes and any other pertinent ordinances in its Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria desires to impose a 90- day moratorium for tobacco licenses to conduct the review and modification of Chapter 18 Article XIV Cigarettes and any other pertinent ordinances in its Municipal Code; and

NOW, AND THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1:</u> A 90-day moratorium for tobacco licenses shall be imposed for City staff to review and modify Chapter 18 Article XIV Cigarettes and any other pertinent ordinances in its Municipal Code.

<u>Section 2:</u> Pending tobacco license applications for the following establishments shall not be subject to the moratorium and shall be processed and issued or denied pursuant to the City Municipal Code, policies and procedures presently in effect:

Griswold Foods Market (formerly Southside Market – 1840 S Griswold) Vapor Maun IL, LLC #1 (4410 N Knoxville Ave St A) Vapor Maun IL, LLC # 2 (2529 W War Memorial Dr) Stop N Save (800 NE Jefferson)

<u>Section 3.</u> This Ordinance shall be in full force immediately and upon passage and approval according to law.

## PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS, THIS

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