

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-20

**A RESOLUTION TO PERMIT THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BEFORE
NOON ON SUNDAY IN CHARLOTTE**

WHEREAS, Public Act 231 of 2010 permitted the sale of alcoholic beverages between 7:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon on Sunday but also allowed the legislative body of a city, by resolution, to prohibit such sales; and

WHEREAS, during its meeting held on December 13, 2010, the City Council passed a resolution that continued the practice in Charlotte of prohibiting the sale of alcoholic beverages between 7:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon on Sunday; and

WHEREAS, the prohibition against the sale of alcoholic beverages between 7:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon on Sunday is found to be an inconvenience to members of the public and to put some merchants at a competitive disadvantage as compared to merchants in communities that permit such sales; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the public welfare is better served by permitting the sale of alcoholic beverages between 7:00 a.m. and noon on Sunday and desires to rescind its December 13, 2010 resolution prohibiting such sales;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the resolution adopted by the City Council during its meeting held on December 13, 2010 that continued the prohibition against the sale of alcoholic beverages shall be and the same is hereby rescinded; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk shall submit a true copy of this resolution to the Michigan Liquor Control Commission together with such other documentation as the Commission shall require so as to permit the issuance of licenses to Charlotte merchants for the sale of alcoholic beverages between 7:00 a.m. and noon on Sunday.