

1                   A bill to be entitled  
 2           An act relating to the City of Tavares, Lake County;  
 3           authorizing the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and  
 4           Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional  
 5           Regulation to issue up to a specified number of temporary  
 6           permits to a nonprofit civic organization to sell  
 7           alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises at  
 8           outdoor events on public right-of-way in the downtown area  
 9           of Tavares; providing that such events require a street-  
 10          closure permit from the City of Tavares; providing that  
 11          the permits authorized by the act are in addition to  
 12          certain other authorized temporary permits; requiring the  
 13          nonprofit civic organization to comply with certain  
 14          statutory requirements in obtaining the permits authorized  
 15          by the act; requiring the division to adopt rules;  
 16          providing an effective date.

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 18 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 20           Section 1. (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of  
 21 law, the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the  
 22 Department of Business and Professional Regulation may issue to  
 23 a bona fide nonprofit civic organization, upon application and  
 24 presentation of a valid street-closure permit issued by the City  
 25 of Tavares, a temporary permit authorizing the sale of alcoholic  
 26 beverages for consumption on the premises at outdoor events on  
 27 public right-of-way in the downtown area of Tavares. Any such  
 28 nonprofit civic organization may be issued up to 15 temporary

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29 permits per calendar year and each temporary permit is valid for  
30 up to 3 days. For purposes of this act, the downtown area of  
31 Tavares is that area bounded by U.S. Highway 441 on the North;  
32 St. Clair Abrams Avenue on the East; State Road 19 on the West;  
33 and Lake Dora on the South.

34 (2) The temporary permits authorized by this act are in  
35 addition to the three temporary permits authorized per year for  
36 a nonprofit civic organization pursuant to section 561.422,  
37 Florida Statutes.

38 (3) The nonprofit civic organization shall comply with all  
39 other requirements of section 561.422, Florida Statutes, in  
40 obtaining the temporary permits authorized by this act.

41 (4) On or before October 1, 2010, the Division of  
42 Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business  
43 and Professional Regulation shall adopt rules pursuant to  
44 chapter 120, Florida Statutes, to administer this act. Such  
45 rules shall include permitting procedures and application forms.

46 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.