

# **City of Kannapolis**

## **Alcoholic Beverage Policy**

### **I. Overview**

No sale of alcoholic beverages, other than beer and/or wine, is allowed on City property. Beer and/or wine sale and consumption is allowed only for designated indoor and outdoor facilities. Any sale or consumption of beer and/or wine on City premises without written authorization is unlawful. Authorization for the sale of beer and/or wine will be given only in conjunction with a City sponsored event, program or facility. Authorization will only be given by the City Manager or his designee.

The consumption of beer and/or wine is a common occurrence at special events in Kannapolis. However, efforts should be made so that the sale and consumption of beer and/or wine should not detract from the programs and the use of facilities of the City. Revenue derived from the sale of beer and/or wine will be used to defray the operating costs of the sale of beer and/or wine.

### **II. Beer/Wine Sales**

Beer and/or wine sale authorization will allow the sale or consumption of beer and/or wine in designated indoor and outdoor facilities owned or operated by the City of Kannapolis. The sale of beer and/or wine by City staff will only be permitted at Village Park as part of the summer concert series.

Authorization may be issued for outdoor sales at any City facility including the City-owned baseball stadium. The owner of a professional baseball team using the baseball stadium shall be exempt from securing authorization from the City.

Outdoor beer sales must be from a temporary tent, trailer, beer garden or from a permanent concession building.

The following conditions apply to all written authorizations for the sale of beer and/or wine:

- A) Seller must have written authorization from the City of Kannapolis
- B) Seller must have all appropriate City and State licenses.
- C) Area in which sales may take place must be designated.
- D) At least one or more police officers are required to be present, as well as have an ID check station. Wristbands or handstamps will be required by any individual wishing to purchase beer and/or wine at designated event.
- E) Liquor liability and general liability insurance requirements must be met.
- F) Seller must follow all local and state guidelines regarding the sale of alcohol.
- G) Seller is responsible for clean up.
- H) In the case of "beer gardens", no one under the age of 21 will be permitted in the designated area.
- I) In Village Park, beer or wine may only be sold and consumed in the designated beer garden or in the designated VIP area of the patio.
- J) The sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages at City-sponsored events or on City property is restricted and limited to the area that is approved as part of the authorization process. No person shall bring, carry or transport any alcoholic beverage into or onto any site in which a special event is taking place or where alcohol is being sold.
- K) Seller is responsible for all damage to persons or property caused by or related to Seller's activities.

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