

AGENDA OF THE NHLC
DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING
MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER 19, 2024

1. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:

RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD
SEPTEMBER 12, 2024.

2. TABLED ITEMS:

None

3. SCHEDULED HEARINGS AT LIQUOR COMMISSION OFFICES, 50 STORRS STREET, CONCORD, NH:

None

4. NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT:

- a. Chop Shop Pub and Grub LLC, 920 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Cocktail Lounge- Caterer, Off-Site License #1282534 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one.
Date of violation: 06/13/2024.
Case #: 24-509-OF
An administrative fine of \$500, four (4) points shall be assessed to and remain on the liquor license for three (3) years commencing the date of adjudication, the license to serve, consume or possess alcohol shall be suspended for three (3) days commencing September 18, 2024 and re-granted on September 21, 2024. Bill Niland shall complete a Management Training Seminar (MTS) online within thirty (30) days from the date of the fully approved agreement.
- b. Nolan's Brick Oven Bistro, 39 N. Main Street, Wolfeboro, NH 03894.
Cocktail Lounge-Full-Service Restaurant License #1649203 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(q).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served an alcoholic beverage to a person who was visibly intoxicated or who a reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated.
Date of violation: 12/07/2022.
Case #: 22-955-OF
An administrative fine of \$500 and the license to serve, consume or possess alcohol shall be suspended for three (3) days. This suspension will be held in abeyance for a period of twelve (12) months pending no like violations.
- c. Tuckaway NH LLC DBA Tuckaway Tavern, 58 Route 27, Raymond, NH 03077.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1442903 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served an alcoholic beverage to a person who was visibly intoxicated or who a reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated.
Date of violation: 10/28/2023.
Case #: 23-1514-OF
An administrative fine of \$750 with \$250 held in abeyance for a period of twelve (12) months pending no like violation during that period. Tuckaway Tavern will host a live training session at a mutually agreed upon date and time where Tuckaway's service staff will attend.

5. NON-CONTESTED ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Vernon Kitchen LLC, 267 South Road, Kensington, NH 03833
Cocktail Lounge- Caterer, Off-Site License #1301034 pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).
Cited for violation of RSA 178:22, as defined in RSA 175:1 – failed to properly notify and document the storage location for an “off-site catering service,” a business which has a permanent non-residential business office with securable beverage and liquor storage areas.
Date of violation: 06/26/2024
Case #: 24-587-OF.
Warning.

6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. AR Group USA Inc DBA A to Z Convenience & Smoke, 307 S. Mammoth Road, Manchester, NH 03109.
To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3341347 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued 09/12/2024.
- b. El Taco Lalo Mexican Restaurant LLC, 800 Turnpike Road, New Ipswich, NH 03071.
To be issued On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1695603 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 09/13/2024.
- c. Franklin PC LLC DBA Pizza Chef of Franklin, 418 N. Main Street, NH 03235.
To be issued On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1700503 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 09/11/2024.
- d. Hope Beverage LLC DBA MGX Beverage Group,
575 Carowinds Boulevard, Fort Mills, SC 29708.
To be issued Beverage Vendor License #137231 pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Manufacturer: Hardywood Park Craft Brewery
30-Day Temporary License issued 09/12/2024.
- e. Isha’s Pit Stop Inc, 611 Lancaster Road, Northumberland, NH 03842.
To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3441247 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued 09/17/2024.
- f. Night Shift Brewing Inc, 87 Santilli Highway, Everett, MA 02149.
To be issued Beverage Vendor License #138831 pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Manufacturer: Night Shift Brewing Inc.
30-Day Temporary License issued 09/12/2024.
- g. Smokers Dreams Inc, 62 Manchester Street, Concord, NH 03301.
To be issued Retail Tobacco, Tobacco Only License #171317 pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued 09/13/2024.
- h. St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral, 650 Hanover Street, Manchester, NH 03104.
To be issued Cocktail Lounge-Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations License #699941 for 09/13/2024-09/15/2024 pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(l).
- i. Tivoli Brewing Company LLC, 201 Grant Avenue, La Junta, CO 81050.
To be issued Beverage Vendor License #137731 pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Manufacturer: Tivoli Brewing Company
30-Day Temporary License issued 09/11/2024.

- j. Town of Epping Recreation Department DBA Epping Community Theater, 157 Main Street, Epping, NH 03043.
To be issued Cocktail Lounge-Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations License #700141 for 09/27/2024 between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).
- k. Wilton-Lyndeborough Youth Center at Goss Park, 475 Forest Road, Wilton, NH 03086.
To be issued Cocktail Lounge-Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations License #697841 for 09/14/2024 between 6:00 p.m. and 12:00 a.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).

7. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING SEPTEMBER 17, 2024: 1,334.

- a. Molly Aida DBA The Third Twin, 10801 Santa Ana Road, Ventura, CA 93001.
To be issued Direct Shipper Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery)
- b. Rey Wines LLC DBA Kinero Cellars, 5414 Vineyard Drive, Paso Robles, CA 93446.
To be issued Direct Shipper Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery)

9. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

10. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

- a. Auspicious Brew, 1 Washington Street, Suite 1103, Dover, NH 03820.
Beverage Manufacturer License #294818 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales and tastings at farmers' market, to wit, Candia Farmer's Market, 55 High Street, Candia, NH 03034 for 10/19/2024 between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
- b. Copper Cannon Distillery LLC, 2 Lyman Way, West Chesterfield, NH 03466.
Liquor Manufacturer License #288319 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:6.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales and tastings at farmers' market, to wit, The Chocolate Expo Farmer's Market at the DoubleTree Convention Expo Center, 700 Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101 for 10/13/2024 between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

11. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL

- a. Anheuser-Bisch LLC, One Busch Place, St. Louis, MO 63118.
Beverage Vendor License #4631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Requests approval of specialty beer, Goose Island 2024 Bourbon County Brand Cask Finish Stout with an alcohol content of 16% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-a.

- b. Artifact Cider Project, 34 N Maple Street, Florence, MA 01062.
Beverage Vendor License #101231 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Requests approval of ciders, Crimson Canopy and Mango Jalsa each with an alcohol content of 6.8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-a.
- c. Lt. Jeffrey M. Samon, 19 Virginia Drive, Candia, NH 03034.
To be issued Transportation License # 0147 pursuant to RSA 175:6.
Military serviceman wishes to import his collection of alcohol comprised of 25 bottles to New Hampshire from overseas where he is currently stationed and have the 25% fee waived pursuant to RSA 175.6.
- d. Mike's Hard Lemonade Co, 167 N. Green Street, Suite 600A, Chicago, IL 60607.
Beverage Vendor License #29131 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Requests approval of Mike's Harder Tea Half & Half, Mike's Harder Tea Original, White Claw Hard Seltzer Surge Blueberry each with an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-a.

13. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

14. NOTIFICATION OF ALCOHOL COMPLIANCE CHECKS SCHEDULED WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS:

- a. Durham, NH and
- b. Manchester, NH.

15. ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON ALCOHOL COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Boards & Brew LLC, 941 Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1562203 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/29/2024
Case #: 24-729-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.
- b. Elm House of Pizza LLC, 102 Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1613503 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/29/2024
Case #: 24-736-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.
- c. Great North Brewing DBA Great North Aleworks, 1050 Holt Avenue #14, Manchester, NH 03109.
On-Premises, Beverage & Wine- Restaurant License #1516503 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:20.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/29/2024
Case #: 24-734-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication

- d. Iguana's Restaurant and Bar LLC, 245 Maple Street, Unit 6, Manchester, NH 03103.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1626503 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/29/2024
Case #: 24-753-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.
- e. KT Market LLC, 374 Pearl Street, Manchester, NH 03104.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3430847 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/19/2024
Case #: 24-693-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.
- f. Mangia LLC DBA Mangia Italian Restaurant, 33A Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1619603 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/29/2024
Case #: 24-735-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.
- g. Rick Martin LLC DBA Buffalo Wild Wings, 1500 South Willow Street, Manchester, NH 03103.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1494203 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/29/2024
Case #: 24-720-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.
- h. SK Investment Inc DBA Jon O's Market, 600 Front Street, Manchester, NH 03102.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3165447 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/19/2024
Case #: 24-691-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.
- i. Sledghammer LLC DBA Goat Bar & Grill, 50 Old Granite Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1621603 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age of twenty-one during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 08/29/2024
Case #: 24-737-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.

16. NOTIFICATION OF TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS SCHEDULED WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS:

- a. Brookline, NH;
- b. Center Ossipee, NH;
- c. Effingham, NH;
- d. Epsom, NH;
- e. Hollis, NH;
- f. Hudson, NH;
- g. Kingston, NH;
- h. Loudon, NH;
- i. Manchester, NH;
- j. Newbury, NH;
- k. Newington, NH;
- l. New London, NH;
- m. Newton, NH;
- n. Northfield, NH;
- o. North Hampton, NH;
- p. North Haverhill, NH;
- q. Northwood, NH;
- r. Nottingham, NH;
- s. Ossipee, NH;
- t. Penacook, NH;
- u. Rye, NH;
- v. Sanbornville, NH;
- w. Seabrook, NH;
- x. Stratham, NH; and
- y. West Nottingham, NH;

17. ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Sugar Face & Company LLC DBA Jake’s Market & Deli, 220 Newport Road, New London, NH 03257. Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3364347 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person.
Date of violation: 08/30/2024.
Case #: 24-731-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Retail Tobacco Management Training Seminar (RTMTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the adjudication.

18. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

Hearings held on August 20, 2024 :

- a. Hub Smoke and Vape, 433 Amherst Street, Nashua, NH 03063.
Retail Tobacco License #155117 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4/Liq. 601.03 (e) – sold tobacco products to an underage person.
Date of violation: 01/26/2024
Case #: 24-261-OF.
- b. Horseshoe Market II, 663 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3363847 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person.
Date of violation: 01/27/2024
Case #: 24-40-OF.

Hearings held on September 17, 2024:

- c. Sap House Meadery LLC, 6 Folsom Road, Center Ossipee, NH 03864.
On-Premises, Beverage & Wine- Restaurant License #1512903 pursuant to RSA 178:20.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:3/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.
Date of violation: 04/24/2024
Case #: 24-293-OF.

- d. Informational Hearing Held May 14, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. Northwood Town Hall Room in the Public Meeting Room, 818 First NH Turnpike, Northwood, NH 03261.
V.M.O. Inc. DBA Lake Shore Farm Inn, 275 Jenness Pond Road, Northwood, NH 03261.
Pending Hotel, Full Service With Lounge License #377302 pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(b)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(k).
Decision dated 05/31/2024:
CONCLUSION OF LAW:
“The prospective licensee has failed to meet the requirements for a Hotel Cocktail license pursuant to RSA 178:3, VII (b) & (f).”
RECOMMENDATION:
“The Division of Enforcement and Licensing shall not issue a liquor license to V.M.O. Inc. D/B/A Lake Shore Farm Inn due to the licensee’s inability to operate the business in strict accordance with all applicable state and federal beverage control laws and rules, and the fact that the very nature of the business is not an appropriate one given its location and the town of Northwood’s lack of resources.”
The Licensee filed a Motion to Appeal the Denial of the License.
The hearings office continued the July 23, 2024 hearing.

19. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISIONS:

None

20. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

None