



ALCOHOL BEVERAGE TASTINGS PERMIT APPLICATION

Brighton Retail Liquor Stores and Liquor-Licensed Drug Stores

Note: The Tastings Permit will run concurrent with the liquor license.

Licensee: _____

Trade Name: _____

Licensed Premises Address: _____

Date of Application: _____ Phone: _____

(Application must be submitted at least 30 days prior to the first tasting or at the time of renewal, whichever occurs first)

Expiration Date of Retail Liquor Store or Liquor-Licensed Drug Store License: _____

(The Tastings Permit will be valid for the period of the existing liquor license)

_____ Attach a Seller/Server training certificate of completion for each individual conducting Tastings

_____ Attach a written Control Plan to establish how the applicant will conduct Tastings which shall include diagrams of the premises as may be applicable to Tastings.

_____ Attach a schedule of the specific dates and times of requested alcohol beverage Tastings for the period of the permit

_____ Applicant has received the Rules for Alcohol Beverage Tastings which incorporates City of Brighton Ordinances and State Law concerning Alcohol Beverage Tastings

- Fee Enclosed - \$50.00 for NEW Application
- Fee Enclosed - \$25.00 for RENEWAL Application

Signature of Licensee: _____ Date: _____

Print Name and Title: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

Decision of Liquor Licensing Authority:

_____ APPROVED

_____ DENIED
(If denied, applicant must be informed of decision in writing within five (5) business days)

Authorized City of Brighton Signature

Date: _____

ALCOHOL BEVERAGE TASTINGS PERMIT APPLICATION PROCEDURES

The following outline should be utilized to assist applicants with completing the Tastings Permit application forms and filing all required documents for consideration of a Tastings Permit application. All documents must be typed or legibly printed.

APPLICATION FORM

- Available through the City Clerk's Office.
- Application must be submitted as least thirty (30) days prior to the first tasting or at the time of renewal, whichever occurs first.

FEE

- New applications - \$50.00
- Renewal applications - \$25.00
- Checks made payable to City of Brighton

CONTROL PLAN

- Attach a written Control Plan to establish how the applicant will conduct Tastings in compliance with the provisions of State Statutes and the Brighton Municipal Code, and without creating a public safety risk to the neighborhood.
- Include diagrams of the premises that are applicable to the Tastings.

SELLER/SERVER TRAINING

- Tastings shall be conducted only on a licensee's licensed premises and only by persons who have completed a Seller/Server Training program that meets the standards established by the Liquor Enforcement Division of the Colorado Department of Revenue, and who is either a retail liquor store or a liquor-licensed drug store licensee, or an employee of such license.
- Attach a certificate of completion for the Seller/Server Training to the Tastings Permit application for each person conducting Tastings.
- It is the licensee's responsibility to ensure that all future employees conducting Tastings complete the approved Seller/Server Training and to supply the certificate of completion to the City Clerk's Office.

TASTINGS SCHEDULE

- Tastings shall be conducted no more than one hundred fifty-six (156) days per year
- Tastings shall be no more than five (5) hours per day during normal business operating hours
- Tastings shall be no earlier than 11:00am
- Tastings shall be no later than 9:00pm

To help you keep track of your Tastings information, there is an alcohol beverage Tastings Log in the application packet which must be completed and kept on the licensed premises and available for inspection during business hours by law enforcement.

RULES FOR ALCOHOL BEVERAGE TASTINGS

Tastings shall be subject to the following limitations:

1. Tastings shall be conducted only by a licensee OR his employee. All such persons shall have completed a State approved Seller/Server training class **PRIOR** to any Tastings event.
2. The alcohol used in Tastings must be purchased through a licensed wholesale, licensed brew pub, or winery licensed pursuant to C.R.S. § 12-47-403 at cost that is not less than the laid-in cost of such alcohol.
3. The size of an individual alcohol sample shall not exceed one (1) ounce of malt or vinous liquor OR one-half (1/2) ounce of spirituous liquor.
4. The licensee shall not serve more than four (4) individual samples to a patron during a Tasting.
5. Tastings shall not exceed a total of five (5) hours per day. Tastings shall not exceed one hundred fifty-six (156) days per year.
6. Tastings shall be conducted only during the normal operating business hours in which the licensee on whose premises the Tastings occur is permitted to sell alcohol beverages and in no case earlier than 11:00am and no later than 9:00pm.
7. The licensee shall prohibit patrons from leaving the licensed premises with an unconsumed sample.
8. The licensee shall promptly destroy the samples immediately following the completion of the Tasting.
9. The licensee shall not serve a person who is under twenty-one (21) years of age or who is visible intoxicated.
10. Alcohol samples shall be in open containers and shall be provided to a patron free of charge.
11. Manufacturers of spirituous or vinous liquors shall not induce a licensee through free goods of financial or in-kind assistance to favor the manufacturer's products being sampled as the Tasting. The licensee will bear the financial and all other responsibility for the Tasting.
12. An alcohol beverage Tastings Permit is valid only for the period of the existing liquor license. Licensees have to submit a renewal application at the time of their retail liquor store or liquor-licensed drug store license renewal each year.
13. A valid alcohol beverage Tastings Permit shall be posted prominently on the licensed premises during all Tastings events.

REFER TO C.R.S. 12-47-301(10) FOR THE LIQUOR TASTINGS STATUTE.

OATH OF APPLICANT

_____ I understand only persons who have completed a State approved Seller/Server training class, who is the licensee or an employee of the licensee, shall conduct or participate in Tastings Events.

_____ I understand that a log book must be maintained of ALL Tastings and that this log book must be accessible to City personnel at all times during normal business hours. Training certificates for all servers involved in Tastings should be maintained in this log book.

_____ I have received a copy of the Rules for Alcohol Tastings, but acknowledge that it is my responsibility to keep current on State and City rules and regulations.

_____ I understand that Liquor Code information is available from the State of Colorado Liquor Enforcement Division at <https://sbg.colorado.gov/liquor-enforcement-laws-rules-regulations>

I declare under penalty of perjury in the second degree that this application and all attachments are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. I also acknowledge that it is my responsibility and the responsibility of my agents and employees to comply with the provisions of the Colorado Liquor and Beer Codes and all City of Brighton rules, regulations and codes which affect my license.

Authorized Signature

Date

Printed Name and Title

Notice of Amendment to the Approved Schedule

Any changes to the approved schedule must be submitted to the City Clerk’s Office at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to an unscheduled event.

Licensee: _____

Trade Name: _____

Licensed Premises Address: _____

(Tastings shall be conducted only on a licensee’s premises)

Current Tasting Date	New Tasting Date	Server Name	Start Time	End Time	Total Hours

- Tastings shall not exceed five (5) hours in a day.
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Any change or deviation from the approved schedule shall not violate any provision of this Article, the statutes of the State of Colorado and the Liquor Code Regulations or any other state law or municipal ordinance or regulation.

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