

CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI
Finance Department - License Division
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MICROBREWERY LICENSE

To apply for this license it is required that you follow the procedures outlined for applying for a new Liquor License.

The following are required under a Microbrewery license:

- Primary activity must be the brewing and selling.
- Manufacture beer and malt liquor in quantities not to exceed ten thousand barrels per annum.
- The holder of a microbrewer's license may apply for a license to sell intoxicating liquor by the drink at retail for consumption on the premises.
- The holder of a microbrewer's license may sell beer and malt liquor produced on the brewery premises to duly licensed wholesalers. However, they shall not, under any circumstances, directly or indirectly, have any financial interest in any wholesaler's business.
- A microbrewer that is a holder of a license to sell intoxicating liquor by the drink at retail for consumption on the premises shall be exempt from purchasing from other than a licensed wholesaler for such intoxicating liquor that is produced on the premises in accordance with the provisions of this license. For all other intoxicating liquor sold by the drink at retail for consumption on the premises that the microbrewer possesses a license for must be obtained in accordance with the City of Independence City Code.

After Approval - When your application is approved, this office will mail a City Approval Letter required for the application of the State of Missouri Liquor License. Once the license is printed and signed it will be mailed to the licensed business. For more information on obtaining a State license, call (816) 889-2574.