

PACKAGE LIQUOR -- NEW

<u>EXPLANATION</u>	An applicant wishing to sell package liquor (spirits, wine, and beer) must obtain a Package Liquor License.
<u>FEE</u>	<u>\$533</u> which includes publication and fire inspection fees.
<u>SCHEDULING</u>	From the time of receipt of application until City Council action is approximately four to six weeks.
<u>HOURS TO SELL</u>	7 a.m. to 2 a.m., Monday through Sunday.
<u>TERM</u>	The Package Liquor License runs from January 1 through December 31 of any given year and renewed in the Fall.
<u>RESTRICTIONS</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No alcohol (not even beer) can be sold on Christmas Day. • All new licenses must have a physical barrier separating the <u>liquor</u> from the rest of the establishment. • The beer and wine do not have to be behind the barrier. • The number of Package Liquor Licenses is restricted by the City Council through a resolution. • If business derives 50% or more of their gross business from alcoholic beverages, the minimum age to sell alcoholic beverages is 21. If business derives less than 50% of their gross business from alcoholic beverages, the minimum age to sell is 18 with no requirement for have an employee age 21 or older on duty. • No person under the age of 18 is permitted to sell any type of alcoholic beverage in any establishment.
<u>CHECKLIST</u>	The first step for the applicant will be to complete page 1 of the Alcohol License Application Checklist and send both pages to the Licensing Specialist (contact information below).
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<u>WEBSITE</u>	www.siouxfalls.org Go to “Programs & Services” (gray toolbar) Choose “Licenses” (under Business) Choose “Alcoholic Beverage Licensing and Information” (listed on far right hand side under “Resources”)