

RETAIL LIQUOR RESTAURANTS -- NEW

<u>EXPLANATION</u>	An applicant wishing to sell retail liquor must obtain a Retail Liquor License or a Retail Liquor Restaurant License.
<u>FEE</u>	\$260,233 which includes Sunday Sales, 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</u>	7 a.m. to 2 a.m., Monday through Sunday morning. 7 a.m. to 2 a.m. on Sunday if a Sunday Sales License is issued.
<u>TERM</u>	The Retail Liquor Restaurant License runs from January 1 through December 31 of any given year and renewed each Fall.
<u>RESTRICTIONS</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ A Retail Liquor Restaurant Licensee cannot serve any type of alcohol on Christmas Day. ✓ At least 60% of the gross revenue of the restaurant must come from the sale of food and nonalcoholic beverages. ✓ Additional requirements can be obtained from the City’s Licensing Specialist. ✓ Employees 18 and over may sell or serve alcoholic beverages as long as there is an employee on the premise who is at least 21 years of age. However, the minimum age to mix and pour alcoholic beverages is 21.
<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”)