

Sec 6-2 Definitions

BYOB (bring your own bottle) Endorsement shall mean an endorsement allowing businesses holding a current on-site consumption liquor license to permit patrons to bring and consume beer and wine on the licensed premises. A corkage fee may be assessed to the participating patrons. Consumption of BYOB beer and wine shall be limited to those patrons dining in the restaurant. All applicable state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations shall apply, including, without limitation, that an on-site consumption licensee must maintain a valid on-site liquor license in good standing. Alcohol may only be sold, given away, dispensed or consumed at a business holding an appropriate and valid city and state liquor license. BYOB is only allowed at licensed businesses with a BYOB endorsement. A bona fide governmental entity, holding a valid local and state liquor license for on-site consumption, may be eligible to obtain a BYOB endorsement to hold government sponsored BYOB events at for locations other than the licensed premises, without the requirement of a restaurant on premises, upon application and approval of the Local Liquor Commissioner. See Sec 6-2 for the definition of *Sale (to sell)*.

Sec 6-10 Special Permits

(b) BYOB (bring your own bottle) Endorsement. Businesses holding a current on-site consumption liquor license are eligible to apply for a BYOB endorsement. A BYOB endorsement is available as an endorsement to an existing on-site consumption liquor license and may be issued by the local liquor commissioner subject to the following conditions:

(1) Authorizes the consumption of beer and wine brought onto the premises by a patron over the age of twenty-one (21) for on-site consumption at a location that possesses a City of Aurora On-Site Consumption Liquor License in conjunction with the purchase and consumption of a meal, however, if the applicant is a bona fide governmental entity with a BYOB endorsement for government sponsored BYOB events conducted off of the licensed premises, there is no requirement that a meal be purchased.

(2) BYOB shall be limited to no more than one (1) seven hundred fifty (750) milliliter bottle of wine or thirty six (36) ounces of beer per patron.

(3) BYOB shall be limited to the licensed premises, unless the applicant is a bona fide governmental entity with a BYOB endorsement for government sponsored BYOB events conducted off of the licensed premises.

(4) BYOB Endorsement holders may provide glassware and ice to patrons, and may uncork, pour, serve or otherwise control the consumption of the beer and wine.

(5) On-site consumption liquor license holders may submit a written BYOB endorsement application to the city clerk's office. The issuance of the BYOB endorsement will be at the discretion of the local liquor commissioner and will require the submission of a yearly application and endorsement fee during the annual liquor license renewal process.

(6) The holder of a BYOB endorsement shall report all events where BYOB will be allowed to the City Clerk's Office in accordance with the entertainment reporting requirements of Sec. 6-15 of this chapter.

1 (7) Governmental entities who are issued a BYOB endorsement for government sponsored
2 events shall insure that BYOB limitations, as identified in Sec 6-10 (b)(1) and (b)(2) herein, are
3 strictly followed by event patrons. Governmental entities must abide by all applicable
4 requirements for a Temporary Liquor Permit as identified in Sec 6-10 (c)(2), (c)(3) and (c)(4)
5 herein. A BYOB endorsement does not allow a licensed governmental entity to offer alcohol for
6 sale or provide alcohol to patrons at locations other than the original on-site consumption
7 licensed premises.

8 (c) All applicable state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations shall apply, including, without
9 limitation, the requirements set forth in section 6-23 regarding completion of a state-certified beverage
10 alcohol sellers and service education and training program prior to issuance of permit. Each written
11 application for a temporary permit under this section must include the following documents:

12 (1) Proof of a valid state liquor permit or license for special event (Note: For-profits must apply
13 for a standard retailer's license from the state to hold a special event);

14 (2) Dram shop liability insurance to the required statutory maximum limits set forth in the
15 Liquor Control Act, 235 ILCS 5/1-1, et seq. as amended from time to time, covering the specific
16 date(s) of the special event; and

17 (3) Proof of completion of a state-certified beverage alcohol sellers and service education and
18 training program shall not be required for each person serving or selling alcoholic beverages
19 pursuant to a temporary liquor permit provided any such person is at all times supervised in the
20 serving or selling of alcoholic beverages by not less than two (2) persons present at the alcohol
21 sales or service area on the licensed premises and provided such supervisor has successfully
22 completed said state-certified training.

23 (4) Each application for a temporary liquor permit shall identify each person who will be
24 supervising the serving or selling of alcoholic beverages at the alcohol sales or service area on
25 the licensed premises. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (c) of this section, each
26 such designated supervisor shall submit proof of his or her successful completion of a state-
27 certified beverage alcohol sellers and service education and training program at the time of
28 application.

29 Any other documents the local liquor commissioner may request pursuant to state or local liquor control
30 laws, rules and regulations.