

## DRINKING ESTABLISHMENT LICENSE

Any person wanting to open a Liquor Store, Class A, Class B, or Drinking Establishment in the City of Wellington will need to obtain a license. Before you may obtain a City license, you must first purchase your state license from the State of Kansas, Department of Revenue, Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control.

City Fees:	Liquor Store license -	\$300.00
	Class A Club License -	\$100.00
	Class B Private Club License -	\$250.00
	Drinking Establishment License -	\$250.00

See below for detailed information. See below for detailed information. The Department of Revenue, Alcohol Beverage Control, also has extensive information as well as the required applications available on their website at <http://www.ksrevenue.org/abc.htm>

## **Procedure**

Before you may obtain a license you will need to purchase your state license from the State of Kansas Department of Revenue, Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control. They are located in Topeka and can be reached by phone at 1-877-526-7738. Your state license is then presented to the City Clerk's Office and a copy is made for the city's records. Upon payment of the fee, the City Clerk shall issue a City License. Hours of operation for serving alcoholic liquor are between the hours of 9:00 A.M. to 2:00 A.M. If your business has more than 30% in food sales, you may sell alcoholic liquor on Sundays in addition to your Monday through Saturday sales.

## **DRINKING ESTABLISHMENTS**

License required.

It shall be unlawful for any person granted a drinking establishment license by the state within the city without first obtaining a city license from the city clerk.

(Code 1996, § 3-1401; Ord. No. 3658, § 1)

License fee.

There is hereby levied an annual license fee in the amount which is on file in the city clerk's office on each drinking establishment located in the city which has a drinking establishment license issued by the state director of alcoholic beverage control, which fee shall be paid before business is begun under an original state license and within five days after any renewal of a state license.

(Code 1996, § 3-402; Ord. No. 3658, § 2)

Business regulations.

(a) No drinking establishment licensed hereunder shall allow the serving, mixing or consumption of alcoholic liquor on its premises between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. on any day.

(b) Cereal malt beverages may be sold on premises licensed for the retail sale of cereal malt beverage for on-premises consumption at any time when alcoholic liquor is allowed by law to be served on the premises.

(c) No alcoholic beverages or cereal malt beverages shall be given, sold or traded to any person under 21 years of age.