

ILLINOIS LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

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Illinois Liquor Control Commission Underage Compliance April Report

SPRINGFIELD – In April, the Illinois Liquor Control Commission (ILCC) conducted compliance checks around the state and visited 210 businesses licensed to sell liquor. They cited 54 for violations of liquor control laws.

This is a monthly aggregated report of all the underage compliance investigations conducted in the month of April . The ILCC may release results on individual investigations through shorter press releases throughout the month.

The monthly aggregated report lists all the results of ongoing undercover and cooperative law enforcement operations conducted by Illinois Liquor Control Commission (ILCC) agents, local law enforcement officials and volunteers from high schools and colleges. The teams randomly visit liquor stores, restaurants, and bars in communities around the state to check for ongoing compliance with state laws mandating that no liquor is sold to minors under the age of 21. ILCC agents also work with local and state law enforcement agents to focus on communities with a high incidence of underage liquor sales.

Below is the bulleted list by location of which establishments violated the law by selling alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Because the visits are random in nature, certain areas of the State are visited at certain times of the year.

Wayne County – April 3rd, the ILCC conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 13 licensees checked, 4 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- CHAVA S CANTINA & GRILL LLC, 5 WILLIAMSON DR, FAIRFIELD, IL 62837-2370
- LA FUENTE II MEXICAN RESTAURANT LTD., 1007 COMMERCE DR, FAIRFIELD, IL 62837-2364
- LONZO'S PLACE, 805 COUNTY HIGHWAY 9, SIMS, IL 62886-1013
- MIDTOWN PACKAGE LIQUORS AND TOBACCO, 701 W ROBINSON ST, WAYNE CITY, IL 62895-9665

Olney – April 11th, the ILCC and the Auburn Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 14 licensees checked, 6 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- PEPPERS GAMING PARLOR, 1003 N WEST ST, OLNEY, IL 62450-3779 (1 prior violation)
- B&L PACKAGE LIQUOR, 1701 E MAIN ST, OLNEY, IL 62450-3137
- FIRESIDE LLC, 215 S WHITTLE AVE, OLNEY, IL 62450-2210
- THE VAULT GAMING LOUNGE IN OLNEY, 103 E MARKET ST, OLNEY, IL 62450-2241
- R K PARTY SUPPLY, 801 S WHITTLE AVE, OLNEY, IL 62450-1745
- MIS TRES POTRILLOS BAR & GRILL, 211 S WEST ST, OLNEY, IL 62450-1143

Jacksonville – April 15th, the ILCC and Jacksonville Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 19 licensees checked, 3 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- NORTH SIDE WINE & SPIRITS, 105 W WALNUT ST, JACKSONVILLE, IL 62650-1320
- DOWNTOWN LIQUORS, 340 W COLLEGE AVE, JACKSONVILLE, IL 62650-2482
- CASEY'S GENERAL STORE #2912, 525 E MORTON AVE, JACKSONVILLE, IL 62650-3029 (1 prior violation)

Macon County – April 17th, the ILCC and the Macon County Sheriffs' Office conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 17 licensees checked, 6 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

- JB'S GROCERY & LIQUOR, 1120 E WOOD ST, DECATUR, IL 62521-2722 (1 prior violation)
- EL CORRAL MEXICAN RESTAURANT, 3655 E STATE ROUTE 36, DECATUR, IL 62526-0000
- CIRCLE K #4701254, 1685 S BALTIMORE AVE, DECATUR, IL 62521-5000
- RUBY'S I, 4831 E US ROUTE 36, DECATUR, IL 62521-9725
- EVERYONE'S EAST END GRILL, 910 S AIRPORT RD, DECATUR, IL 62521-4288
- DEBBIE'S, 1910 S MOUNT ZION RD, DECATUR, IL 62521-8425

Colona – April 18th, the ILCC and Colona Police Dept conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 7 licensees checked, 2 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- VEGA'S II, 602 1ST AVE, COLONA, IL 61241-9708
- EXPRESS LANE GAS & FOOD, 1350 CLEVELAND RD, COLONA, IL 61241-0000

Litchfield –April 22nd, the ILCC and the Litchfield Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 25 licensees checked, 7 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- CASEY'S GENERAL STORE #1809, 610 W UNION AVE, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056-0000
- PAUL FOOD MART, 413 OHREN DR, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056-1044
- JUMPIN JIMMY'S, 517 E UNION AVE, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056-1636
- NANCY'S PIZZA, 13 THUNDERBIRD LN, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056-1093
- MAVERICKS OF LITCHFIELD INC, 201 OHREN DR, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056-1076
- DAISY'S LUCKY SLOTS, 1403 W FERDON ST, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056-4448
- LUCKY CLOVER, 612 W KIRKHAM ST, LITCHFIELD, IL 62056-2632

Grundy County – April 23rd, the ILCC and the ISP conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 14 licensees checked, 2 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- CIRCLE K #4706875, 26950 W EAMES ST, CHANNAHON, IL 60410-5631
- PILOT TRAVEL CENTER #236, 301 N RIDGE RD, MINOOKA, IL 60447-8787

Oswego – April 23^{rd,} the ILCC and ISP conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 13 licensees checked, 1 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

DP'S MART LLC, 1240 DOUGLAS RD, OSWEGO, IL 60543-7918

Lawrence County – April 23rd, the ILCC and the ISP conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 14 licensees checked, 6 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- THE BRIDGEPORT LIQUOR LOCKER INC, 732 JUDY AVE, BRIDGEPORT, IL 62417-1416
- FAIRWIND GAMING, 907 15TH ST, LAWRENCEVILLE, IL 62439-2091
- LAWRENCEVILLE PACKAGE LIQUOR STORE, 1210 COLLINS AVE, LAWRENCEVILLE, IL 62439-2526
- OFF THE SQUARE, 810 12TH ST, LAWRENCEVILLE, IL 62439-2438
- KBJ LIQUOR, 2203 JAMES ST, LAWRENCEVILLE, IL 62439-2030
- ROCKSTAR GAMING, 10741 CHERRY BLVD, LAWRENCEVILLE, IL 62439-3425

Lake County – April 23rd, the ILCC and the Wauconda Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 14 licensees checked, 0 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants.

Union County – April 25th, the ILCC and the Chicago Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 9 licensees checked, 1 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

• EAST LAKEVIEW FOOD & LIQUOR, 3814 N CLARK ST, CHICAGO, IL 60646-0000

Jackson County – April 25th, the ILCC and the ISP conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 15 licensees checked, 5 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- KEY WEST BAR & GRILL, 1108 W MAIN ST, CARBONDALE, IL 62901-2335 (1 prior violation)
- PINCH PENNY LIQUORS, 701 E GRAND AVE, CARBONDALE, IL 62901-3369
- JACKPOT JILL'S, 204B S 4TH ST, ELKVILLE, IL 62932-2002
- AM STAR, 1501 WALNUT ST, MURPHYSBORO, IL 62966-2031
- ROLLNUP #15, 411 WALNUT ST, MURPHYSBORO, IL 62966-2202

Union County – April 25th, the ILCC and the ISP conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 12 licensees checked, 4 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- KROGER L-672, 45 PLAZA DRIVE, ANNA, IL 62906-0000
- RHODES 101 CONVENIENCE STORE, 148 LEIGH AVE, ANNA, IL 62906-2202
- MONEY MULLINS PLACE LLC, 1155 E VIENNA ST, ANNA, IL 62906-2051
- HANSONS DUCK INN LLC, 5495 N STATE ROUTE 3, WOLF LAKE, IL 62998-1146

Marshall – April 30th, the ILCC and the ISP conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 12 licensees checked, 6 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- 1803 N FOOD MART INC, 1803 N. IL. HWY 1, MARSHALL, IL 62441-0000
- JOHNNY PROVOLONE'S, 1306 N MICHIGAN AVE, MARSHALL, IL 62441-5307
- ROOSTER FOODS LLC, 212 N MICHIGAN AVE, MARSHALL, IL 62441-1349
- MARSHALL MARATHON, 105 S MICHIGAN AVE, MARSHALL, IL 62441-1438
- MOE'S PACKAGE LIQUOR, 117 S 7TH ST, MARSHALL, IL 62441-1423
- CORNER TAVERN & BISTRO, 424 ARCHER AVE, MARSHALL, IL 62441-1074

Island Lake – April 30th, the ILCC and the Island Lake PD conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 12 licensees checked, 1 sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

CHI-TOWN DOGS LLC, 541 AUBURN DRIVE, ISLAND LAKE, IL 60042-0000

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For information about hearings regarding checks, please visit the Illinois Liquor Control Commission's website: https://ilcc.illinois.gov/events.html

