

**CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 1
SERIES OF 2014**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIFLE,
COLORADO, REVISING THE EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR LIQUOR
LICENSEES.

WHEREAS, Rifle Municipal Code Section 6-5-170 requires managers and employees of liquor license holders to attend educational liquor seminars; and

WHEREAS, seminar attendees who successfully complete a seminar must receive a certificate of completion; and

WHEREAS, Section 6-5-170 currently provides that certificates of completion shall be valid for 4 years; and

WHEREAS, most educational liquor seminars issue an attendee a certificate of completion that is valid for 3 years; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Rifle, as the local liquor licensing authority, desires to revise Section 6-5-170.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO, THAT:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein as if set forth in full.

Section 2. Section 6-5-170(a)(1) and (2) is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6-5-170. Education requirements for licensees.

(a) Education requirements.

(1) All managers or owners/operators registered with the State and the Liquor Licensing Authority are required to attend an educational liquor seminar approved by the Liquor Licensing Authority at the next scheduled seminar offered by the City after the date the license is approved by the Liquor Licensing Authority and to receive a certificate of completion. Such certificate may take the form of a card or any other form decided upon by the Liquor Licensing Authority. Successful completion of the educational liquor seminar must be recorded with the Liquor Licensing Authority. The certificate of completion shall be valid for a period of three (3) years.

(2) Except for volunteers serving alcoholic beverages pursuant to a special events permit, every licensee shall ensure that, upon employment, all servers shall attend the next scheduled educational liquor serving seminar offered by the City and receive a certificate of completion. The certificate received by servers who successfully complete the educational liquor serving seminar shall be valid for a period of three (3) years.

INTRODUCED on January 15, 2014, read by title, passed on first reading, and ordered published by title as required by the Charter.

INTRODUCED a second time at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Rifle, Colorado, held on February 5, 2014, passed without amendment, approved, and ordered published in full as required by the Charter.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 2014.

CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO

By _____
Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk