

## **News Release**

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## **OLCC Launches Internal Employee Investigation**

## **Roseburg Based Employee Faces Misdemeanor Theft Charges**

**PORTLAND, OR.** – The Oregon State Police have cited an Oregon Liquor Control Commission employee with Theft in the second degree, after an internal audit discovered cash missing from license payments made-in-person at the OLCC's Roseburg office. OSP released the employee to appear in court in lieu of custody.

After the discrepancy of the missing \$250 was discovered in late March, 2020, OSP conducted a criminal investigation; that's standard procedure for Oregon state agencies to follow when employee criminal conduct is suspected.

Now that the criminal investigation is completed the OLCC has launched an internal investigation and will review and correct any procedures that allowed the alleged theft to take place.

The Roseburg OLCC office remains open, with no disruption in service; the public can continue to conduct its business with OLCC employees by scheduling appointments with them in advance.

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