



# News Release

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## **Bend, Redmond and Sisters get high marks in OLCC check for alcohol sales to minors**

**Bend, OR** – Oregon Liquor Control Commission inspectors partnered with local enforcement to check for alcohol sales to minors in Bend, Redmond and Sisters. The checks took place April 24 and 30.

Both checks averaged 82 percent compliance rate, which is well above the 2008 statewide average of 78 percent.

"The most important thing is to prevent sales to minors," said Jason Evers, Bend Regional Manager. "These numbers show that our licensees are doing a good job of checking IDs and keeping alcohol out of the hands of minors."

- **Redmond** (April 30) had an 88 percent compliance rate with 28 out of 32 businesses passing the check. The compliance check was paid for by the Enforcement of Underage Drinking Laws Grant Program. The checks were performed by the OLCC, Redmond Police Department and Deschutes County Commission on Children & Families
- **Bend, Redmond, Sisters** (April 24) had a 78 percent compliance rate with 31 out of 40 businesses passing. The checks of Redmond businesses were paid for by the Enforcement of Underage Drinking Laws Grant Program. The OLCC, Redmond Police Department and Deschutes County Commission on Children & Families performed the checks on Redmond businesses. Checks in Bend and Sisters were performed by the OLCC.

The commission performs the minor sales checks in an effort to reduce drinking by minors, which is a serious problem throughout the state. The OLCC tests about 1,800 licensed liquor businesses each year. Licensees or their employees can be held liable for alcohol-related damages and injuries if they serve or sell alcohol to a minor.

Under Oregon law, businesses in cities with a population of 20,000 or more have an equal chance of being randomly selected for a minor decoy compliance check. A business can also be selected for a compliance check if there is a documented complaint of sales to minors. Businesses in cities with a population under 20,000 and unincorporated areas in counties are not subject to these selection requirements.

The OLCC offers a free training course on how to check ID's. Participants learn how to identify false identification and the laws regarding minors and alcohol. Additional training opportunities are available including classes for store clerks and service permit holders. Interested persons can call the local OLCC office to schedule a training session.

During the sales checks, a minor volunteer attempts to purchase alcohol from a licensed business to see if staff are checking ID's correctly and refusing to sell alcohol to anyone under 21. Commission inspectors or other law enforcement officers supervise the minor volunteers. The volunteers carry their own legal ID and do not disguise their age or lie to encourage the sale of alcohol.

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*Promoting the public interest through responsible alcohol sales and service.*

<b>Redmond April 30</b>		
<b>88% Passed compliance check:</b>		
REDMOND FOOD MART 109 S 6 <sup>TH</sup> REDMOND, OR	COYOTE RANCH 1368 S HWY 97 REDMOND, OR	LA BURRITA MINI MARKET & DELI 843 NW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST # C REDMOND, OR
REDMOND QUICK STOP 1846 S HWY 97 REDMOND, OR	DIEGO'S 447 SW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	LA FRONTERA 2330 S HWY 97 REDMOND, OR
RITE AID #5394 1651 SW ODEM MEDO RD REDMOND, OR	FIESTA MAZATLAN 975 SW RIMROCK WY REDMOND, OR	MADALINE'S GRILL 2414 S HWY 97 REDMOND, OR
BLACK BEAR DINER 429 NW CEDAR REDMOND, OR	FOUNTAINS BAR & GRILL 3709 SW 21 <sup>ST</sup> PL REDMOND, OR	MAZATLAN MEXICAN RESTAURANT 1302 S HWY 97 REDMOND, OR
CINDY'S CHINESE GARDEN 1362 S HWY 97 REDMOND, OR	SAIGON VILLAGE 950 SW VETERANS WY #100 REDMOND, OR	PLUM FIERCE 612 SW 5 <sup>TH</sup> REDMOND, OR
CLOCKTOWER PUB 2757 NW 7 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	KYOTO JAPANESE GARDEN 974 SW VETERAN'S WY # 1 REDMOND, OR	SASSY'S CAFÉ 3113 S HWY 97 #105 REDMOND, OR
SEVENTH STREET BREW HOUSE 855 SW 7 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	SOBA ASIAN BISTRO – REDMOND 2498 SE HWY 97 # E REDMOND, OR	STRAW HAT PIZZA 3853 SW 21 <sup>ST</sup> ST # 108 REDMOND, OR
SULLY'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT 314 SW 5 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	THE BUGGY STOP 1340 N HWY 97 REDMOND, OR	VFW POST #4108 DESCHUTES 1836 SW VETERANS WY REDMOND, OR
ABBY'S LEGENDARY PIZZA 1938 HWY 97 REDMOND, OR	BI-MART #641 1727 ODEM MEDO RD REDMOND, OR	RED DOG DEPOT 3716 SW 21 <sup>ST</sup> PL REDMOND, OR
RAY'S FOOD PLACE 900 sw 23RD ST REDMOND, OR		
<b>12% Failed compliance check:</b>		
BRICKHOUSE STEAK AND RAW BAR 412 SW 6TH ST REDMOND, OR	CIBELLI'S NY PIZZA 885 SW RIMROCK WAY REDMOND, OR	EL COCHINITO CONTENTO 412 NW 6TH ST REDMOND, OR
SHELL CORNER STORE 712 SW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR		

<b>Bend, Redmond, Sisters, April 24</b>		
<b>78% Passed compliance check:</b>		
PAPANDREAS 442 E HOOD ST SISTERS, OR	ALBERTSONS #589 1655 SW ODEM MEDO WY REDMOND, OR	BABA 343 SW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR

SISTERS/BEND KOA 67667 HWY 20 W SISTERS, OR	TIMBERS BAR & GRILL NORTH 3315 S HWY 97 REDMOND, OR	FRED MEYERS 944 SW 9 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR
AWBREY GLEN GOLF COURSE 2500 NW AWBREY GLEN DR BEND, OR	RUMORS 250 NW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	WESTSIDE ONE STOP CHEVRON 1535 SW HIGHLAND AVE REDMOND, OR
HOLA 2670 NE HWY 20 #710 BEND, OR	DOOZY'S 1729 ODEM MEDO RD REDMOND, OR	SASSY'S CAFÉ 843 NW 5 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR
ST. CHARLES MEDICAL CENTER 2500 NE NEFF RD BEND, OR	ASHLEYS 1713 ODEM MEDO RD REDMOND, OR	SASSY'S CAFÉ 3113 S HWY 97 #105 REDMOND, OR
TUMBLE INN 631 SW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	BUTLER MARKET SOUTH 61396 S HWY 97 #101 BEND, OR	THE FAN 413 W GLACIER AVE REDMOND, OR
THE BOSS'S OFFICE 1421 N 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	SHARIS OF SOUTH REDMOND 1565 ODEM MEDO RD REDMOND, OR	BROTHER STAGE STOP 34100 E HWY 20 BROTHER, OR
ST. CHARLES MEDICAL CENTER REDMOND 1253 N CANAL BLVD REDMOND, OR	APPLEBEE'S NEIGHBORHOOD GRILL & BAR 3807 SW 21 <sup>ST</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	APPLEBEE'S NEIGHBORHOOD GRILL & BAR 3197 N HWY 97 BEND, OR
CANYONS 1857 NW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	TESORO MOE'S PAYLESS FOODMART 516 SW 5 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	BEST PRICE CIGARETTES SOUTH 61249 S HWY 97 BEND, OR
WAL-MART SUPERCENTER #2243 300 NW OAK TREE LN REDMOND, OR	TWINS JJ'S 535 SW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	LONGBOARD LOUIE'S 1254 NW GALVESTON BEND, OR
CITY SLICKERS SALOON & EATERY 329 SW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR		
<b>22% Failed compliance check:</b>		
COYOTE CREEK CAFÉ 497 HWY 20 W SISTERS, OR	THE LOFT OF BEND 919 NW BOND ST BEND, OR	JERSEYS SPORTS BAR & GRILL 974 SW VETERANS WY #6 REDMOND, OR
7-ELEVEN STORE #2363-22480G 1209 SW HIGHLAND REDMOND, OR	LA BURRITA MINI MARKET & DELI 843 NW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST #C REDMOND, OR	MILLENNIUM CAFÉ JUICE BAR & MORE 445 SW 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR
PAPPY'S PIZZERIA 1655 N HWY 97 REDMOND, OR	IZZY'S PIZZA BAR CLASSIC BUFFET 810 SW 11 <sup>TH</sup> ST REDMOND, OR	US MARKET #190 1242 SW HIGHLAND AVE REDMOND, OR