



News Release

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Check local liquor store for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Hours

PORTLAND, Ore. – The Oregon Liquor Control Commission reminds customers that liquor stores in Oregon have the option to be open on Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; Monday, January 20, 2014.

State law provides that liquor store owners have the discretion to be open or closed on Sundays and holidays. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day is one of the nine state holidays defined by state law.

Please call your local liquor store to determine their holiday operating hours. Phone numbers are available at the OLCC's Web site:
http://www.olcc.state.or.us/pdfs/liquor_store_list.pdf or at
<http://www.oregonliquorsearch.com>

The nine state holidays are:

- New Year's Day
- Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- President's Day
- Memorial Day
- Fourth of July
- Labor Day
- Veteran's Day
- Thanksgiving
- Christmas Day

Retail liquor agents are private, independent contractors; they are not state employees. The Retail Services Division of the OLCC works closely with liquor agents to help them understand and follow liquor regulations and store operating procedures.

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*Did you know that in the last two years, the OLCC distributed more than **\$397 million** to Oregon's General Fund, Cities, Counties, and Drug and Alcohol Abuse Programs? [See the distribution of dollars on OLCC's Website.](#)*