

**21-0221. - Restrictions on sale, service or dispensing of alcoholic beverages.**

- (1) Except as permitted by [section 21-0205](#) of the Grand Forks City Code and this section, no license holder shall dispense or permit the consumption of alcoholic beverages on licensed premises after 2:00 a.m. on Sundays, before 8:00 a.m. on Mondays, or between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. on all other days of the week, nor dispense or permit consumption on Christmas Day or after 6:00 p.m. on Christmas Eve. No license holder shall dispense off-sale after 2:00 a.m. on Thanksgiving Day.
- (2) Those license holders authorized by the city council pursuant to [section 21-0205](#) of the Grand Forks City Code may permit the sale and/or consumption of alcoholic beverages on licensed premises between the hours of 11:00 a.m. on Sundays and 2:00 a.m. on Mondays.

- (3) It shall be unlawful for any license holder, individually or by or through any officer, employee, or agent, to:

(A) Sell, offer to sell or deliver to any person an unlimited number of alcoholic beverages for a fixed price or an "all you can drink" basis except, however, this prohibition shall not apply to:

- i. Private functions or events not open to the general public such as weddings, receptions, private dances, fundraising functions or meetings;
- ii. Occasions when alcoholic beverages are included with the purchase of a meal;
- iii. Occasions when alcoholic beverages are provided as part of a contract between a hotel or a multi-use establishment and another organization for the holding of a function, event, meeting, convention or trade show at such hotel or multi-use establishment;
- iv. Events or functions involving the tasting of wines, cordials or beers where the individual servings do not exceed two (2) fluid ounces; or
- v. Civic functions or events where alcoholic beverages are incidentally provided or available.

(Ord. No. 3270, § 2, 3-1-93; Ord. No. 3275, §§ 2, 3, 4-5-93; Ord. No. 3302, § 10, 7-6-93; Ord. No. 4027, § I, 9-7-04; Ord. No. 4090, § I, 9-19-05; Ord. No. 4092, § I, 9-19-05; Ord. No. 4162, § I, 1-2-07; Ord. No. 4283, § 1, 12-7-09; Ord. No. 4513, § I, 4-20-15, eff. 8-1-15; Ord. No. 4529, § I, 7-20-15, eff. 8-1-15)