

Where alcohol may be consumed.

It is illegal to consume spirits, wine, or malt liquor and Fermented Malt Beverages (Beer) in public other than in a place which is licensed for that purpose, such as a tavern. The consumption of Alcohol in public is allowed if an ordinance or resolution is adopted/passed to allow it. However, many cities and counties have laws prohibiting the possession of open alcohol beverage containers in public. Such "open container" laws may apply to containers of alcohol or beer and thus may limit the places where alcohol or beer may be consumed.

It is also illegal to bring any type of alcohol beverage into any place which sells alcohol beverages. Thus, alcohol beverages may not legally be brought into any restaurant, sports stadium or similar liquor licensed establishments. Similarly, patrons cannot bring their own alcohol beverages into restaurants without liquor licenses because of the prohibition on public consumption.

Alcohol beverages may not be taken out of licensed establishments, except those places which sell for consumption off the licensed premises, such as a liquor store, those that are legally allowed to re-cork a partially consumed bottle of wine or allowed by auction as spoken about in C.R.S. 44-3-107.