

Chapter 132
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

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GENERAL REFERENCES

Alcoholic Beverages --Ch. 56

Alcohol and Drug Policy and Testing Procedures-Ch. 131

Use of alcoholic beverages in parks — Ch. 163, Art. 1.

§ 132-1. Definitions.

As used in this chapter, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE and LIQUOR - As defined in RSA 175:1, Definitions, of the Laws of the State of New Hampshire.

LIQUOR and BEVERAGE - As defined in RSA 175:1.

§ 132-2. Possession of open containers in motor vehicles.

No driver shall transport, carry, possess or have any liquor or alcoholic beverage within the passenger area of any motor vehicle upon any way or in an area principally used for public parking except in the original container and with the seal unbroken.

No passenger shall carry, possess or have any liquor or beverage within any passenger area of any motor vehicle upon any way or any area principally used for public parking except in its container and with the seal unbroken.

§ 132-3. Exceptions.

Empty containers or securely capped filled containers of liquor or beverages may be stored and transported in that compartment of the vehicle which is the least accessible to the driver.

§ 132-4 Consumption in public.

The consumption of any alcoholic beverage or liquor upon any public property within the Town of Peterborough or within any town-owned building shall be unlawful unless previously approved by the Town Administrator on a case-by-case basis with proper insurance documentation provided. (Revised: 1/13/98)

§ 132-5. Violations and penalties.

The penalty for a violation of this chapter shall be a fine of one hundred dollars (\$100.00).