



Because We Care About You!!!



Gainesville Responsible Vendor Hospitality Covenant

HOSPITALITY IS A VALUED AND IMPORTANT ASPECT OF THE SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES OF ALL PEOPLE VISITING or residing in **Gainesville, Florida**. The hospitality industry—composed of hotels, restaurants, bars, and nightclubs—is a major contributor to the health of the local economy and community.

Because of the nature of products and services provided as part of hospitality, hosts and guests share a responsibility in protecting the health, safety and well-being of the community.

We as hosts, both commercial and social, recognize the importance of responsible hospitality practices and recognize the right of people to choose to drink or not drink beverages containing alcohol. It is for this reason that we have adopted a sense of responsibility in how we serve our guests. By acknowledging the role of moderation, we recognize the distinction between the appropriate and inappropriate use of beverages containing alcohol.

Therefore, we agree to adopt the following responsible hospitality practices which promote a healthy, safe and hospitable environment for the benefit of all:

<p>We comply with all legal obligations for the appropriate sale or service and consumption of alcoholic beverages, which include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It is illegal to serve alcohol to anyone under the age of 21 • It is illegal to serve alcohol to a visibly intoxicated person and the server or bartender must remove any alcohol possessed by a visibly intoxicated person.
<p>We encourage responsible drinking by all guests who choose to consume alcoholic beverages that are of legal age, and discourage intoxication.</p>
<p>We create an atmosphere that facilitates positive and respectful social interaction, and provides activities other than drinking.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote and provide responsible beverage service training to all persons who serve and sell alcoholic beverages.
<p>We provide supervision of activities by those who are properly trained to maintain control of the environment.</p>
<p>We use proactive efforts in the sale or service of alcoholic beverages by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Politely and firmly checking all IDs • Offering competitively priced low-alcohol and alcohol-free beverages • When possible, provide food when alcoholic beverages are sold or served, and encourage the consumption of these foods. • Offering or providing a safe and sober ride home
<p>We raise awareness of the risks involved with the consumption of beverages containing alcohol related to activities and situations that might result in harm, injury, or death.</p>
<p>We will comply with the City's Hand Bill Ordinance.</p>
<p>We understand that the accrual of thirteen (13) arrests for the possession of alcohol under 21 in a three (3) month period will result in termination of our Gainesville Responsible Hospitality Partnership Membership. Membership will be regained after a three (3) month period during which no more than twelve (12) arrests for the possession of alcohol under 21 were accrued.</p>

OWNER/MANAGER

NAME OF BUSINESS

DATE