



**NYE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM**

Department: Licensing Department	Meeting Date:
Category: Timed Agenda Item - 10:00 a.m.	April 15, 2025
Prepared by: Samantha Tackett	Phone: (775) 751-7075
Presented by: Samantha Tackett	Phone:
Action requested: (Include what, with whom, when, where, why, and terms) Hearing to Show Cause, discussion and deliberation to consider reinstatement, continued suspension, or revocation of the Retail Liquor License for Sander's Family Winery located at 3780 E. Kellogg Rd., Pahrump, NV, pursuant to Nye County Codes 5.04.280 and 5.04.290(B) for violation of Nevada Revised Statutes 369.487 or 597.260 or 205.210 or 205.380. Jack Sanders, Licensee.	
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Recommendation:	

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Comments:		

Review & Approval

Legal Review Required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Legal Approval Received: <input type="checkbox"/>	Date:
Financial Review Required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Submitted to Finance: <input type="checkbox"/>	Date:
Administrative Manager Review: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Place on Agenda: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Initials: ST

Item # 13

NYE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: April 8, 2025 | **Prepared By:** Samantha Tackett | **Department:** Licensing department.

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BACKGROUND

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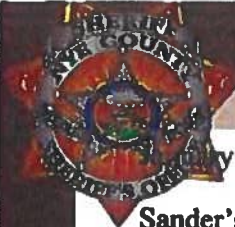
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Jack Sanders, Licensee was served with the notice to show cause on Monday, January 13, 2025.

On January 22, 2025, a Show Cause Hearing was held with Mr. Sanders present wherein the Licensing and Liquor Board considered reinstatement, or continued suspension of the Liquor License due to the violation of Nevada Revised Statute and Nye County Code pursuant to NCC 5.04.280 and 5.04.290(B), and NRS 369.487, 597.260, 205.210, or 205.380. The Board voted unanimously to continue the suspension for 90 days and to reevaluate at the April 15, 2025 BOCC meeting.

Jack Sanders, Licensee was serviced with the notice to show cause on Monday, February 3, 2025.

Attachments: Notice Order to Show Cause for April 5, 2025 Hearing
Agenda item from January 22, 2025 Show Cause Hearing that contains statements of violation and investigation information.
Nye County Code Chapter 5.04 – Licensing suspension and revocation code



NYE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Sheriff Joseph McGill

January 13, 2025

Sander's Family Winery

Jack Sanders

3780 E. Kellogg Rd.

Pahrump, NV 89061

Subject: Sander's Family Winery Notice Continued Suspension and Hearing to Show Cause of the Nye County Liquor License

Mr. Sanders,

Please consider this notice that your Liquor License Suspension was continued, and a Hearing to Show Cause for your Liquor License was scheduled by the Licensing and Liquor Board at its regular meeting on January 22, 2025, wherein you were present for the action taken to hold the hearing. Activities related to the liquor license may not be conducted on the property as a result of the continued suspension.

The Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board, by order to show cause may consider action regarding your license including and not limited to revocation in accordance with Nye County Code 5.04.290(B): Any act or failure to act by the licensee or his agents or employees in connection with the operation of the liquor business which would be a violation of a State or Federal criminal statute or a County criminal ordinance. You shall have an opportunity to be heard, present witnesses and confront any witnesses against you.

The Show Cause Hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, April 15, 2025, at or about 10:00 a.m. You can attend the hearing at the Commission Chambers, 2100 E. Walt Williams Dr., Pahrump, NV 89048, or by teleconference by dialing 1-888-585-9008, enter conference room number 255-432-824.

Please contact our office if you have any questions regarding the suspension and hearing.

Thank you,

Sheriff Joe McGill

Chair, Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board

JM/st

ST/CC: Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board

Signature: _____ Received Document

Jack Sanders

775-751-7000

<http://www.nyecountysheriffsoffice.com>

SOUTHERN AREA COMMAND
1520 E BASIN AVENUE
PAHRUMP, NEVADA 89060

CENTRAL AREA COMMAND
P.O. BOX 805
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NORTHERN AREA COMMAND
P.O. BOX 831
TONOPAH, NEVADA 89049

From: [Harry D. Williams](#)
To: [Samantha Tackett](#); [Joseph McGill](#); [Brian T. Kunzi](#)
Cc: [Ian L. Bayne](#); [Michael Eisenloffel](#)
Subject: RE: Sander's Family Winery Continued Suspension and Notice of Hearing to Show Cause
Date: Tuesday, February 4, 2025 8:19:28 AM

02/03/2025 at approx. 1100 hours.



Lieutenant Harry D. Williams
Detective Section/PSU Investigations Unit
Nye County Sheriff's Office
1520 E. Basin Rd, Pahrump Nevada 89060
Phone 775-751-6362
Email: hwilliams@nyecountynv.gov

From: Samantha Tackett <stackett@nyecountynv.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 3, 2025 2:13 PM
To: Harry D. Williams <hwilliams@nyecountynv.gov>; Joseph McGill <jmcgill@nyecountynv.gov>; Brian T. Kunzi <btkunzi@nyecountynv.gov>
Cc: Ian L. Bayne <ilbayne@nyecountynv.gov>; Michael Eisenloffel <meisenloffel@nyecountynv.gov>
Subject: RE: Sander's Family Winery Continued Suspension and Notice of Hearing to Show Cause

Thank you. Can you please tell me when this was served?

Thank you,

Sam

From: Harry D. Williams <hwilliams@nyecountynv.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 3, 2025 10:30 AM
To: Samantha Tackett <stackett@nyecountynv.gov>; Joseph McGill <jmcgill@nyecountynv.gov>; Brian T. Kunzi <btkunzi@nyecountynv.gov>
Cc: Ian L. Bayne <ilbayne@nyecountynv.gov>; Michael Eisenloffel <meisenloffel@nyecountynv.gov>
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Document attached and signed by Jack Sanders



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From: Samantha Tackett <stackett@nyecountynv.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 28, 2025 10:17 AM
To: Joseph McGill <jmcgill@nyecountynv.gov>; Brian T. Kunzi <btkunzi@nyecountynv.gov>
Cc: Ian L. Bayne <ilbayne@nyecountynv.gov>; Michael Eisenloffel <meisenloffel@nyecountynv.gov>;
Harry D. Williams <hwilliams@nyecountynv.gov>
Subject: Sander's Family Winery Continued Suspension and Notice of Hearing to Show Cause

Good morning,

Attached is the draft notice of continued suspension and hearing to show cause for April 15th. Please review and amend or approve as you see fit. I added a line advising activities related to the license should not be conducted as it was mentioned at the last hearing that he is still open and operating in some capacity. Also, if anyone thinks it is too soon to send the notice of hearing, I can revise the notice to only identify continued suspension.

If no revisions are needed in this first draft, please serve the notice and return the signed notice to me along with proof of service.

Thank you,

Samantha Tackett
Administrative Manager
Nye County Administration
Nye County Licensing Department

Pahrump Office| 2100 E. Walt Williams Dr., Ste 100 | Pahrump, NV. 89048
Tonopah Office |101 Radar Rd. | PO Box 153 | Tonopah, NV 89049
Desk 775.751.4270 | Cell 775.277.0344 | Email stackett@nyecountynv.gov

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Sheriff Joe McGill**Chair, Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board****CC: Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board**

Signature

Received document

Jack Sander's

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Item # 15



STATE OF NEVADA WINEMAKER'S LICENSE
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION

Issued Date: 07/01/2024
Expiration Date: 06/30/2025

Taxpayer ID: 1002033730-002
Correspondence ID: 2400016828874
Date: 11/04/2008

SANDERS FAMILY WINERY
PO BOX 4771
PAHRUMP NV 89041-4771

THIS LICENSE
IS NOT TRANSFERABLE.
IS VOID IF ALTERED.
IS NOT ISSUED IN LIEU OF ANY LOCALLY
REQUIRED
BUSINESS LICENSE, PERMIT OR
REGISTRATION.
IS VALID UNLESS CANCELLED OR REVOKED.

AS DERIVED BY NRS 390.300 AND NRS 397.340


Signature

Current License Location
SANDERS FAMILY WINERY
3760 E KELLOGG RD
PAHRUMP NV 89051-7996

MUST BE DISPLAYED IN PUBLIC VIEW AT LICENSE LOCATION

(Detach Here)

Attached to your NEVADA WINEMAKER'S LICENSE.

A single number, the TID (Taxpayer Identification Number), identifies a taxpayer for MOST tax types. Please use your TID and LOC (Location Number) in correspondence or telephone calls to the Department.

As stated on the application or renewal, this license is valid from 10/01/2008 to 06/30/2025.

The Department of Taxation has forms, publications and information available via the Internet at <https://tax.nv.gov>.

This license authorizes the holder to import wine or juice from a bonded winery in another state, to be forwarded into wine or, if already fermented, to be mixed with other wine or aged in a suitable cellar. The licensee may sell at retail or serve by the glass, on its premises and at one other location, wine produced, blended or aged by the winery.

Returns along with the appropriate tax are due the twentieth of the month following activity. A return must be filed whether or not a liability exists.

This Nevada Winemaker's License has been issued pursuant to an application or renewal duly filed and payment of prescribed fees and bond if applicable. This License shall be considered void unless canceled, suspended or revoked for good cause in accordance with Title 32.

OFFICE LOCATION:

Nevada Department of Taxation
3650 Arrowhead Drive, 2nd Floor
Carson City, Nevada 89705
(775) 684-3200

In the event of an address change, please notify the Department of Taxation immediately in order to direct any correspondence to your new address.

Town of Pahrump - Business License
 2100 E Walt Williams Dr., Ste #100
 Pahrump, NV 89048
www.pahrumpnv.gov
 (775) 727-5107 (phone) (775) 727-0345 (fax)

Business License #

S 3937 RC

Sanders Family Winery
 Jack W Sanders
 PO Box 4771
 Pahrump, NV 89041-4771

Your Town of Pahrump business license is valid from **April 23, 2024** Through **April 23, 2025**
 You must maintain all permits, certificates, and other licenses that were required when your license was first issued to you.

You, a partner, or an employee may use the business cards below as proof of licensure.
 You may laminate any of these licenses.

Town of Pahrump
 Business License S 3937 RC
 Sanders Family Winery
 3780 E Kellogg Road
 Pahrump, NV 89061
 Started: April 23, 2024 Expires: April 23, 2025

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 Business License S 3937 RC
 Sanders Family Winery
 3780 E Kellogg Road
 Pahrump, NV 89061
 Started: April 23, 2024 Expires: April 23, 2025

Town of Pahrump
 Town of Pahrump
 2100 E Walt Williams Dr., Ste 100

Business License Number
 S 3937 RC

This Business License is issued to satisfy the provisions of Pahrump Town Ordinance #33 for operation at the address designated below.

Sanders Family Winery
 3780 E Kellogg Road
 Pahrump, NV 89061

Started: April 23, 2024

Expires:
 April 23, 2025

THIS LICENSE MUST BE PROVIDED IN A PROMINENT PLACE AT THE PHYSICAL LOCATION OF BUSINESS.

27865

**PRIVILEGE LICENSE
NYE COUNTY-STATE OF NEVADA**

7/1/2024

JACK W SANDERS

NO: LQ10-000810

HAVING PAID TO THE LICENSE COLLECTOR OF NYE COUNTY THE SUM OF \$400.00 DOLLARS, IS

HEREBY LICENSED TO CONDUCT OR OPERATE: LIQUOR LICENSE AT
RETAIL LIQUOR SALES

SANDER'S FAMILY WINERY
PO BOX 4771
PAHRUMP, NV 89041

IN SAID COUNTY FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 07/01/2024 AND ENDING 06/30/2025, IN CONFORMITY WITH AND
SUBJECT TO ALL THE CONDITIONS PROVIDED BY LAW, WHICH RELATE TO THE SAID BUSINESS.

NON-TRANSFERABLE


SHERIFF, NYE COUNTY


LICENSING ADMINISTRATOR, NYE COUNTY




COMPTROLLER, NYE COUNTY


NYE COUNTY MANAGER

NYE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: 12/17/2024 | Prepared By: Samantha Tackett | Department: Licensing department.

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Attachments: Notice Order to Show Cause
Email verifying service of order
Nye County Code Chapter 5.04 – Licensing suspension and revocation code

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Nye County Government Center
2100 E. Calvada Blvd.
Suite 100
Pahrump, NV 89048
Phone (775) 751-7075
Fax (775) 751-7093



Nye County
Licensing Department

Tonopah Office
Nye County Courthouse
William P. Beto Justice Facility
PO Box 153
Tonopah, NV 89049
Phone (775) 482-8191
Fax (775) 482-8198

December 9, 2024

Sander's Family Winery
Jack Sanders
3780 E. Kellogg Rd.
Pahrump, NV 89061

Subject: Sander's Family Winery Notice of Emergency Suspension and Hearing to Show Cause of the Nye County Liquor License

Mr. Sanders,

Please consider this official notice that your privilege license is suspended on an emergency basis by the Nye County Sheriff due to alleged violations of the Nye County Code and Nevada Revised Statute with ongoing investigations pursuant to Nye County Code 5.04.280. As of this date, you are no longer authorized to sell or do business under this license.

The Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board, by order to show cause may consider further action regarding your license including and not limited to revocation in accordance with Nye County Code. The Show Cause Hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, December 17, 2024, at or about 10:00 a.m. You can attend the hearing at the Commission Chambers, 2100 E. Walt Williams Dr., Pahrump, NV 89048, or by teleconference by dialing 1-888-585-9008, enter conference room number 255-432-824.

Please contact our office if you have any questions regarding the suspension and hearing.

Thank you,

Sheriff Joe McGill
Chair, Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board

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CC: Nye County Licensing and Liquor Board

From: Joette Dubois
To: Joseph McGill
Subject: Paper Service Sander's Family Winery
Date: Tuesday, December 10, 2024 6:44:01 AM

On December 9, 2024, at approximately 1627 hours I, Deputy J. DuBois, responded to 3780 E Kellogg Road, Sanders Family Winery, in Pahrump Nevada in reference to a paper service.

I received a Notice of Emergency Suspension and Hearing to Show Cause for Sander's Family Winery that needed to be served. I arrived at the above location, during regular business hours, and served the owner, Jack Sanders, at approximately 1640 hours.

Jack Sanders was provided the above document, from the Nye County Licensing Department and provided the date of the hearing, also listed on the document.

This incident was captured via BWC and tagged with the event number (24NY72155) in Lens Lock.

Deputy J. DuBois
Nye County Sheriff's Office
775-751-7000 (dispatch)
775-482-4967 (work cell)

From: [Joseph McGill](#)
To: [Samantha Tackett](#)
Subject: RE: Sanders Winery
Date: Tuesday, December 10, 2024 8:02:03 AM
Attachments: [Scanned from a Xerox Multifunction Printer.pdf](#)
[Paper Service Sanders Family Winery .msg](#)

Sheriff Joe McGill
 Nye County Sheriff's Office
 1520 E. Basin, Pahrump, NV 89060
 Main 775 751-7012
 Fax 775 751-4232
 E-Mail jmcgill@nyecountynv.gov

From: Samantha Tackett <stackett@nyecountynv.gov>
Sent: Monday, December 9, 2024 3:40 PM
To: Joseph McGill <jmcgill@nyecountynv.gov>
Subject: RE: Sanders Winery

Sheriff,

The Notice is attached. You can sign and return to me for permanent retention or print and sign and have someone scan it to me. Please take photos of this notice being served at the time of suspension to prove notice was given.

Please let me know if I can help with anything else.

Thank you,

Sam

From: Joseph McGill <jmcgill@nyecountynv.gov>
Sent: Monday, December 9, 2024 10:30 AM
To: Samantha Tackett <stackett@nyecountynv.gov>
Subject: Sanders Winery

As documented under NCSO Case # 24NY-3733, Lt. Williams of the NCSO received information that the owner/operator of Sanders Family Winery, a Nye County licensed Retail Liquor business, has been purchasing Franzia wine from retail businesses in Las Vegas and Pahrump and pouring the Franzia wine into Sanders bottles, labeling the bottles as Sanders wine and selling the bottles. (Violation of NRS 369)

On November 27th, 2024, Lt. Williams and other Investigators of NCSO inspected the Sanders Family

Winery located at 3780 E. Kellogg. During this inspection, they located several empty boxes of Franzia wine in the dumpster of the business. They also located the internal plastic container and the plastic container were empty. An employee of the business, [REDACTED], was evasive and uncooperative.

Photos were taken of the empty Franzia boxes and plastic containers. Investigators also located in the warehouse empty and filled bottles of wine. Some bottles had labels applied and some had no labels.

On 12/5/24, Lt. Williams and Lt. Eisenloffel interviewed Jack Sanders, the owner of Sanders Winery. Sanders admitted to them that he purchases Franzia wine boxes from Las Vegas and Pahrump retailers for the past three years. He said that he fills his Sanders bottles with the wine and adds preservatives. The bottles are then sealed and labeled and sold as Sanders wine.

Sanders acknowledged that he has not contacted Franzia for approval to sell their wine as his own label. He said that he purchased each Franzia box for under \$20.00 and that he sells each liter of Sanders wine for approx.. \$20.00 each.

Violation of NRS 369.487: Sanders purchased liquor from retailers instead of state-licensed wholesalers, violating this statute.

Violation of NRS 597.260: By rebranding and selling Franzia wine as his own without customer consent, Sanders violated the law against substituting one brand for another without customer approval.

Violation of NRS 205.210: Misrepresenting the origin of the wine and using false trademarks constitute selling goods with false labeling, warranting investigation and prosecution by the Attorney General.

Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses: Sanders misrepresented cheap Franzia wine as locally vinted and bottled wine, selling it at a higher profit, thus violating the law against obtaining money through fraudulent means.

The interview with Jack Sanders confirmed that Sanders Family Winery engaged in fraudulent activities by rebranding and selling Franzia wine as their own. This deception involved multiple violations of Nevada statutes, including purchasing liquor from unauthorized sources, false advertising, and misrepresentation. The investigation is ongoing, and further actions will be taken based on the findings.

Also on 12/5/24, Lt. Williams interviewed [REDACTED] who was employed at Sanders Winery from [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] said that Jack Sanders made trips to Las Vegas approx.. twice a week and believed that these trips were to purchase wine.

The interviews were video and audio recorded on Body Cameras.

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Article V Licenses; Suspension And Revocation

5.04.250: Right To Inspect

All officials involved in the license process shall have access to every part and portion of the establishment for which a license is issued under the provisions of this chapter, any time such establishment is open for the transaction of business and at all other reasonable times. (Ord. 101 § 14, 1983)

5.04.260: Suspension Generally

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this chapter, every licensee accepts such license subject to the right of suspension without notice, and subject to all the conditions and provisions of this chapter. Upon any revocation of a license, after notice and hearing, the County shall be entitled to retain the license fee paid. (Ord. 101 § 18, 1983)

5.04.270: Emergency Suspension By Board

Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, the board may in an emergency issue an order for immediate suspension or limitation of a liquor license. The emergency order shall state the reason for suspension or limitation, and shall afford the licensee a hearing in accordance with the procedures of this chapter. (Ord. 101 § 19, 1983)

5.04.280: Emergency Suspension By Sheriff

1. The Sheriff, for cause and without prior notice, may suspend any liquor license until the next meeting of the board. Written notice of the suspension shall be given by the Sheriff to the licensee and the board, and notice shall be personally given to the person in charge at the location.
2. At its next meeting after such suspension, the board shall determine whether such suspension shall be rescinded, but if the board decides that the suspension shall continue and remain in effect, then, and in such event, the proceedings prescribed in this chapter relative to the maintenance of such license suspension and/or revocation with required notice and hearing shall be initiated as soon as possible and complied with. (Ord. 101 § 20, 1983)

5.04.290: Revocation; Grounds

Any of the following conditions or occurrences are grounds for revocation of a license:

1. Failure of the licensee to promptly pay the quarterly fee;
2. Any act or failure to act by the licensee or his agents or employees in connection with the operation of the liquor business which would be a violation of a State or Federal criminal statute or a County criminal ordinance;
3. Any violation of the terms or conditions of a license;
4. Any misrepresentation made in an application for a liquor license;
5. Employment of any person under the age of twenty one (21) years in the business of selling or otherwise disposing of liquor, except a person who has attained the age of sixteen (16) years but not eighteen (18) years may be employed in a retail grocery store for the sale or disposition of liquor if:

1. He is supervised by a person who is eighteen (18) years of age or over, and who is an owner or employee of the business which sells or disposes of the liquor, and
2. Such person eighteen (18) years of age or over who is supervising such person under eighteen (18) is actually present at the time that such person under eighteen (18) sells or disposes of the liquor, and
3. The liquor is in a container or receptacle which is corked or sealed;
6. Any act or failure to act by the licensee or its agents or employees in connection with the operation of the liquor business which creates or tends to create or constitute a public nuisance;
7. Refusing or neglecting to comply with any provisions of this chapter;
8. Selling or giving away liquor to any person under the age of twenty one (21) years;
9. Any act or failure to act by the licensee which the board determines is detrimental to the public health, safety and welfare;
10. Repeated disturbances involving a person or persons in or upon the premises who are drunk or acting in a disorderly way or manner, who are threatening, traducing, quarreling, challenging to fight or fighting, or are using vulgar language in a loud and boisterous manner, or are using loud or tumultuous or offensive conduct;
11. In the event a licensee shall not commence business within sixty (60) days after issuance of a license, or shall discontinue business for a period in excess of sixty (60) days without specific approval of the board. In the event the holder of an active license discontinues operations for reasons beyond his control, then the board may, for good cause shown, grant additional sixty (60) day extensions not to exceed a total period of one year, including the initial sixty (60) day period. In the event a licensee shall discontinue business for longer than the respective specific approval, the license shall be revoked automatically without action by the Board. The intent of this Section is that holders of licenses shall maintain the same in actual operation, or that the same shall be invalid as provided in this Chapter;
12. Allowing any person to serve alcoholic beverages without such person having first obtained a liquor work card as set forth in this Chapter;
13. Failure of the licensee or his or her manager or agent to immediately report to the Nye County Sheriff when that licensee, manager or agent is aware or should be aware that violent or otherwise unlawful conduct perpetrated by or involving a patron or patrons of the licensee's establishment is taking place on the premises of the licensee. For purposes of this subsection, "premises" includes any parking or common area(s) adjacent to the licensee's premises which are under the control of the licensee. (Ord. 186 § 1, 1995; Ord. 101 § 15, 1983)

5.04.300: Revocation; Procedure

1. The Board may, on its own motion or upon the sworn complaint in writing of any person, request the Sheriff to investigate the conduct of any licensee under this Chapter to determine whether grounds for revocation of a license exist. The Sheriff may request the assistance of the licensee in such an investigation.

2. After an investigation, if it appears that a ground for revocation exists, the Board shall issue and cause to be served on the licensee an order to show cause why his/her license should not be revoked. The order shall contain:
 1. A statement directing the licensee or licensee's agent to appear before the Board at a time and place set out therein which shall not be less than ten (10) days from the date of service of the order to show cause on the licensee;
 2. A brief statement of the grounds for revocation;
 3. A statement that the licensee shall have an opportunity to be heard, present witnesses and confront any witnesses against him. (Ord. 101 § 16, 1983)

5.04.310: Revocation; Emergency

If upon investigating grounds for revocation of a license the Board unanimously agrees that the public health, safety or morals will be endangered by the continued existence of the license, it may without notice at once suspend the license, and direct the Sheriff to close the licensee's liquor business. However, an order to show cause, as set out in this Article, shall also be served at once on the licensee, and the procedure thereafter shall be in accordance with the revocation procedure set out in this Article. (Ord. 101 § 17, 1983)

5.04.320: Revocation; Service

Service on the licensee shall be made by personally delivering a copy of the order to show cause to one of the persons whose name is on the license, or by mailing a copy of the order by certified mail with return receipt, to the place of business of the licensee which is specified on the license. (Ord. 101 § 16, 1983)

5.04.330: Revocation; Appeal; Hearing

1. At the hearing on the order to show cause, the licensee and the complainant, if there is one, may be represented by attorneys, present testimony and cross-examine witnesses. If the hearing is pursuant to a complaint, the complainant must also be present.
2. Within thirty one (31) days after the hearing, the Board must render its decision as to revocation, and give notice thereof to the licensee. A majority of those members present at the hearing must be agreed in order to direct a revocation. (Ord. 101 § 16, 1983)

5.04.340: Reinstatement

Any person who has had his/her license revoked may reapply for a license six (6) months after the revocation order, but a new license may only be issued by a majority decision of the members of the Board. (Ord. 101 § 16, 1983)

Violation of NRS 369.487: Sanders purchased from retailers instead of state-licensed wholesalers

Violation of NRS 597.260: By rebranding and selling wine as his own without customer consent. It is against the law to substitute one brand for another without customer approval.

Violation of NRS 205.210: Misrepresenting the origin of the wine and using false trademarks constitute selling goods with false labeling.

Violation of NRS 205.210 or 205.380: Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses: Misrepresentation of previously purchased wine as locally vinted and bottled wine, selling it at a higher profit.