

**Colorado Liquor Industry Working Group
Working Group Recommendation Template**

2015

Recommendation # LED 15-01

1. Working Group Name: Self-Pour and Growler Subgroup

2. Individual Sponsor(s):

3. Majority Recommendation (consensus achieved or not achieved)

Yes, with modification for ounce limits based upon per patron for table top systems. Growlers refills at off premise accounts was not acted upon with the understanding that CLBA would initiate legislation in the future.

4. Describe the Recommendation:

Agree with LED draft of Reg 47-908(C) which allows for self-pour with the restriction that a customer will need to be reauthorized once they hit the limit of 32 oz. malt beverage, 14 oz. wine, 2 oz. distilled spirits.

5. To which provision of statute or regulation does the recommendation apply? If there is no applicable provision within the statutes or regulations, please justify why this recommendation is necessary.

Modification of Colorado Liquor Rule #47-908 (C) to allow for Self-Pour of malt beverages, wine or spirits with specific ounce limits for individual types of beverages.

6. Please summarize the rationale for the recommendation – why is it important?

Self-Pour systems are an industry trend which are allowed in numerous other states. Current regulations would prohibit self-pour systems Self-Pour systems should be allowed if restrictions are in place to protect against over service and underage consumption.

7. What issue or issues does your recommendation resolve? (Please identify the issues)

Self-Pour systems have not been allowed except for table top systems. A new regulation with limits on the amount that can be dispensed before reauthorization by the licensee will allow self-pour systems in Colorado.

8. Is there a dissenting voice in your working group about this recommendation? If yes, please provide a summary of the minority opinion about this recommendation.

No dissenting voices, only requests for clarification on the definition of pour sizes and addition of language to make the limits apply on a per-person basis.

9. Which of the following does the recommendation impact (underline those that apply):

- a. Statute (legislation)
- b. Rules and Regulations
- c. Policy: Clarification of existing self-pour table top systems.
- d. Other: *(please describe)*

10. Who owns implementation of the recommendation (underline those that apply):

- a. State Legislature
- b. Department of Revenue
- c. Local Government
- d. Industry
- e. Other: *(please describe)*

11. Is the recommendation dependent on another decision or action: If yes – specifically what actions or decisions are required before this recommendation can be implemented?

No.

12. Will the recommendation have a cost to implement? If yes, what is the reason for the cost? If yes, give an estimate of the cost.

No cost.

13. Give an estimate of how long it would take to implement the recommendation.

The recommendation would be implemented when the rules have been approved.