

The City of Columbia, Tennessee

Beer Permit Information

City Municipal Code 8-213

A **Special Occasion Beer Permit** may be issued by the Beer Board to a ***bona fied Charitable, Non-Profit or Political Organization***.

A bona fied Charitable or Non-Profit Organization (for this purpose) means any corporation which has been recognized as exempt from federal taxes under the #501-C of the Internal Revenue Code (26 U.S.C. 501-C) or any organization having been in existence for at least two (2) consecutive years which expends at least 60% of its gross revenue exclusively for religious, educational or charitable purposes or a political organization defined in T.C.A. Section 2-13-017 or 2-102(a). Documents are required for all charitable, non-profit or political organizations.

The applicant is to complete a "City of Columbia Application for Special Occasion Beer Permit" found at the City Recorder's office.

The application fee is \$150.00. (This fee is not refundable if the Beer Board does not approve the special occasion beer permit application.) The application is sent to the Beer Board Secretary.

The City Beer Board Members meet the second Wednesday of each month. The Special Occasion Application needs to be sent to the Beer Board Secretary three (3) weeks in advance of the Beer Board Meeting. The Beer Board will consider the application. The applicant will go to the Beer Board Secretary's office to receive the permit, if approved.

The permit will be issued for a one-day period, if approved by the Beer Board and subject to the hours of sale which may be imposed by law or regulation.

No such charitable, non-profit or political organization shall be eligible to receive more than two (2) special occasion permits in any calendar year.

***If you need additional information,
please contact Angela Tosh at 931.380.0722***