



MEMORANDUM

TO: Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

DATE: May 25, 2023

FROM: Carrie Craig, RLS

RE: #1204 VFW Post #9785 #1204

Statutory & Regulation Authority:

AS 04.06.090(b): “The board shall review all applications for licenses made under this title and may order the director to issue, renew, revoke, transfer, or suspend licenses and permits authorized under this title.”

AS 04.11.510(b)(1): “if an application is denied, the notice of denial shall be furnished the applicant immediately in writing stating the reason for the denial in clear and concise language; the notice of denial must inform the applicant that the applicant is entitled to an informal conference with either the director or the board, and that, if not satisfied by the informal conference, the applicant is then entitled to a formal hearing conducted by the office of administrative hearings (AS 44.64.010); if the applicant requests a formal hearing, the office of administrative hearings shall adhere to AS 44.62.330 — 44.62.630 (Administrative Procedure Act); all interested persons may be heard at the hearing and unless waived by the applicant and the board, the formal hearing shall be held in the area for which the application is requested”

AS 04.11.510(b)(2): “the board may, on its own initiative or in response to an objection or protest, hold a hearing to ascertain the reaction of the public or a local governing body to an application if a hearing is not required under this subsection; the board shall send notice of a hearing conducted under this paragraph 20 days in advance of the hearing to each community council established within the municipality and to each nonprofit community organization entitled to notification under AS 04.11.310(b)”

3 AAC 304.145(h): “The board may uphold a protest of an application or continued operation with a single abeyance period not to exceed 180 days if the local governing body indicates that the protest is subject to rescission and that it will be withdrawn if the applicant meets conditions set by the local governing body. If the local governing body notifies the board within the period of the abeyance that the protest has been removed, the application or continued operation is approved when all other applicable requirements have been met. If the local governing body has not notified the board within the period of the abeyance that it has removed the protest, the application or continued operation is denied. The period of abeyance may not be extended or renewed.”

Background: On March 8, 2023, staff received a protest from the Municipality of Anchorage pending certification from the Building Safety Official.

Staff Recommendation: Rescind previous approval with delegation, hold an informal hearing and deny the renewal application with 180-day abeyance and uphold the Municipality’s protest, if determined that the protest is not unreasonable, capricious, or arbitrary.

Attachment:

Municipality of Anchorage Protest
2023/2024 AB-17



Municipality of Anchorage

P.O. Box 196650 Anchorage, Alaska 99519-6650 Telephone: (907) 343-4316 Fax: (907) 249-7533 www.muni.org/clerklicensing

Office of the Municipal Clerk Licensing

March 8, 2023

Ms. Carrie Craig
Alaska Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office
550 W 7th Ave. Ste. 1600
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

RE: Anchorage Assembly Action on Liquor Licenses

Dear Ms. Craig:

The Anchorage Municipal Assembly at its regular meeting on **March 7, 2023**, took the following actions:

WAIVE OF PROTEST

Renewal Liquor License – AM 124-2023

Beverage Dispensary

Van's Dive Bar, LL#615;
Outback Steakhouse, LL#3753;

Restaurant/Eating Place

Sushi Ya, LL#5379;

Package Store

Party Time/Boniface Liquor, LL#834;
AK Wine Grotto, LL#4732;
Wal-Mart Supercenter #2071, LL#4836;
Alaska Premier Liquor, LL#5948;

Club

AMVETS Post #49, LL#3588

Transfer Liquor License – AM 125-2023

Beverage Dispensary

Turkish Delight, LL#5437

PROTEST

New Liquor License

- **Winery**

61 Degrees North Winery – AR 2023-60

Pending certification from Land Use Enforcement and a special land use permit approved by the Assembly.

-Per 3 AAC 304.145(d) the applicant was given the opportunity to defend their application by public hearing at the March 7, 2023 Assembly Meeting.

Transfer Liquor License

- **Restaurant/Eating Place**

Alpenglow Coffee House, LL#6025 – AR 2023-61

Pending certification from Land Use Enforcement and a special land use permit approved by the Assembly.

-Per 3 AAC 304.145(d) the applicant was given the opportunity to defend their application by public hearing at the March 7, 2023 Assembly Meeting.

Renewal Liquor License

- **Club**

V.F.W. Post #9785, LL#1204 – AR 2023-62

Pending certification from the Building Safety Official.

-Per 3 AAC 304.145(d) the applicant was given the opportunity to defend their application by public hearing at the March 7, 2023 Assembly Meeting.

If you require additional information or if I can be of any assistance, please contact me.

Cordially,

Mandy Honest
Business License Official

CC: Francis McLaughlin, Current Planning
Above listed licensees.

STATE OF ALASKA - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

LICENSE NUMBER

FORM CONTROL

1204

XXXX

LIQUOR LICENSE

ISSUED

2023 - 2024

LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION DUE
DECEMBER 31, 2024 (AS 04.11.270(b))

01/12/2023

TEMPORARY

ABC BOARD

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FEBRUARY 28, 2025 UNLESS DATED BELOW

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1110

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Anchorage

D/B/A: V.F.W. Post #9785
10527 VFW Road

Mail Address:
Eagle River Post No. 9785, VFW of the United
PO Box 770266
Eagle River, AK 99577

This license cannot be transferred without permission
of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Special restriction - see reverse side

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

Joan M. Wilson
DIRECTOR

04-900 (REV 10/20/22)

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04-900 (REV 5/9/22)



Alaska Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

2023-2024 Master Checklist: Renewal License Application

Doing Business As:	VFW Post #9785	License Number:	1204
License Type:	Club		
Examiner:	<i>Christel B.</i>	Transaction #:	100491502

Document	Received	Completed	Notes
AB-17: Renewal Application	11/16/22		
App and License Fees	11/16/22	<i>12/16/22</i>	

Supplemental Document	Received	Completed	Notes
AB-25: Supplier Certification			
AB-33: Restaurant Receipts Aff			
AB-36: Rec Site Statement			
AB-37: Tourism Statement			
AB-39: Change of Officers	11/16/22		
COI / COC / 5 Star / FAA Cert			
FP Cards & Fees / AB-08a	11/16/22		
Late Fee (after 12/31/2022)			

Additional Documents: _____

Names on FP Cards: **John Raso, Thomas Hubble (bottom secret)**

	Yes	No	N/A
CBPL Entity Printout included?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Business License Copy included?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Background(s) Completed & Date: <i>pending</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Special Consideration: _____ Board Meeting Date: *3/6-7/2023*

LGB Sent Date: 1/12/2023

LGB Deadline Date: _____

LGB 1 Name: MOA

LGB 2 Name: Eagle River CC

Waive
 Protest
 Lapsed
 Waive
 Protest
 Lapsed



AB-17: 2023/2024 License Renewal Application

Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office
550 W 7th Avenue,
Suite 1600
Anchorage, AK 99501
alcohol.licensing@alaska.gov
<https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/amco>
Phone: 907.269.0350

Alaska Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Form AB-17: 2023/2024 General Renewal Application

- This form and any required supplemental forms must be completed, signed by the licensee, and postmarked no later than 12/31/2022 per AS 04.11.270, 3 AAC 304.160, with all required fees paid in full, or a non-refundable \$500.00 late fee applies.
- Any application for renewal or any fees for renewal that have not been postmarked by 2/28/2023 will be expired per AS 04.11.540, 3 AAC 304.160(e).
- All fields of this application must be deemed complete by AMCO staff and must be accompanied by the required fees and all documents required, or the application will be returned without being processed, per AS 04.11.270, 3 AAC 304.105
- Receipt and/or processing of renewal payments by AMCO staff neither indicates nor guarantees in any way that an application will be deemed complete, renewed, or that it will be scheduled for the next ABC Board meeting.

Section 1 - Establishment Contact Information

Licensee (Owner):	Eagle River Post No. 9785, VFW of the United States	License #:	1204
License Type:	Club		
Doing Business As:	V.F.W. Post #9785		
Local Governing Body:	Anchorage, Muni. of		
Community Council:	Eagle River		

If your mailing address has changed, write the NEW address below:

Mailing Address:					
City:		State:		ZIP:	

Section 2 - Licensee Contact Information

Contact Licensee: The individual listed below must be part of the ownership structure of the licensee listed in Section 1. This person will be the designated point of contact regarding this license, unless the Optional contact is completed.

Contact Licensee:	Tom Hubble	Contact Phone:	907-242-2083
Contact Email:	hubblet@gci.net		

Optional: If you wish for AMCO staff to communicate with anyone other than the Contact Licensee (such as legal counsel) about your license, list their information below:

Name of Contact:		Contact Phone:	
Contact Email:			

Section 3 - for Package Stores ONLY: Written Order Information

Do you intend to sell alcoholic beverages and ship them to another location in response to written solicitation in calendar years 2022 and/or 2023?

YES NO

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Form AB-17: 2023/2024 License Renewal Application

Section 4 – Ownership Structure Certification

YES NO

Did the ownership structure of the licensed business change in 2021/2022?

If Yes, and you have NOT notified AMCO, list the updated information on form AB-39: Change of Officers and submit with your renewal application.

If No, certify the statement below by initialing the box to the right of the statement.

I certify that the ownership structure of the business who owns this alcohol license did not change in any way during the calendar years 2021 or 2022.

Section 5 – License Operation

Check ONE BOX for EACH CALENDAR YEAR that best describes how this liquor license was operated:

2021 2022

1. The license was operated for more than 240 hours throughout each year. (Year-round)

2. The license was only operated during a specified time each year. (Not to exceed 6 months per year) If your operation dates have changed, list them below:

_____ to _____

3. The license was only operated to meet the minimum requirement of 240 total hours each calendar year. A complete AB-30: Proof of Minimum Operation Checklist, and all documentation must be provided with this form.

4. The license was not operated at all or was not operated for at least the minimum requirement of 240 total hours each year, during one or both calendar years. A complete Form AB-29: Waiver of Operation Application and corresponding fees must be submitted with this application for each calendar year during which the license was not operated. If you have not met the minimum number of hours of operation in 2021, you are not required to pay the fees, however a complete AB-29 is required with Section 2 marked "Other" and COVID is listed as the reason.

Section 6 - Violations and Convictions

YES NO

Have ANY Notices of Violation been issued for this license?

Has ANY person or entity in this application been convicted of a violation of Title 04, 3AAC 304 or a local ordinance adopted under AS 04.21.010 in 2021 or 2022?

If you checked YES, you MUST attach a list of all Notices of Violation and/or Convictions per AS 04.11.270(a)(2)

If you are unsure if you have received any Notices of Violation, contact the office before submitting this form.

Section 7 – Certifications

As an applicant for a liquor license renewal, I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read and am familiar with AS 04 and 3 AAC 304, and that this application, including all accompanying schedules and statements, are true, correct, and complete.

- I agree to provide all information required by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board or requested by AMCO staff in support of this application and understand that failure to do so by any deadline given to me by AMCO staff will result in this application being returned and the license being potentially expired if I do not comply with statutory or regulatory requirements.
- I certify that in accordance with AS 04.11.450, no one other than the licensee(s), as defined in AS 04.11.260, has a direct or indirect financial interest in the licensed business.
- I certify that this entity is in good standing with Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing (CBPL) and that all entity officials and stakeholders are current and I have provided AMCO with all required changes of the ownership structure of the business license, and have provided all required documents for any new or changes of officers.





Alaska Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Form AB-17: 2023/2024 License Renewal Application

- I certify that all licensees, agents, and employees who sell or serve alcoholic beverages or check identification of patrons have completed an alcohol server education course approved by the ABC Board and keep current, valid copies of their course completion cards on the licensed premises during all working hours, if applicable for this license type as set forth in AS 04.21.025 and 3 AAC 304.465.

I hereby certify that I am the person herein named and subscribing to this application and that I have read the complete application, and I know the full content thereof. I declare that all of the information contained herein, and evidence or other documents submitted are true and correct. I understand that any falsification or misrepresentation of any item or response in this application, or any attachment, or documents to support this application, is sufficient grounds for denying or revoking a license/permit. I further understand that it is a Class A misdemeanor under Alaska Statute 11.56.210 to falsify an application and commit the crime of unsworn falsification.

Tom Hubble
Signature of licensee

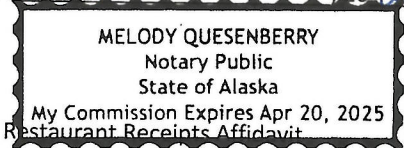
Melody Queisenberry
Signature of Notary Public

Tom Hubble
Printed name of licensee

Notary Public in and for the State of Alaska

My commission expires: 4-20-2025

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of November, 2023.



- Restaurant and Eating Place** applications must include a completed AB-33: Restaurant Receipts Affidavit
- Recreational Site** applications must include a completed AB-36: Recreational Site Statement
- Tourism** applications must include a completed AB-37: Tourism Statement
- Wholesale** applications must include a completed AB-25: Supplier Certification
- Common Carrier** applications must include a current safety inspection certificate

All renewal and supplemental forms are available online:
<https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/amco/AlcoholLicenseApplication.aspx>

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License Fee:	\$1,200	Application Fee:	\$ 300.00	Misc. Fee:	\$
Total Fees Due:					\$ 1,500

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AMCO
NOV 16 2022



10527 VFW Road
Eagle River, AK 99577
November 15, 2022

AMCO
550 W 7th Avenue
Suite 1600
Anchorage, AK 99501

To Whom It May Concern

Attached is the liquor license renewal for VFW Post 9785. I noticed that the application paperwork has changed and there is no longer a place to add the address and phone numbers for the Officers. Therefore, I have provided it below. If you have any questions or need additional information, my contact information in listed below.

- Herschel Deaton, Director/President
9845 Saaya Cir, Eagle River, AK 9577
907-350-6210
- Melody Quesenberry, Director/Vice President
8707 Inyo Circle, Eagle River, AK 9577
606-923-1203
- Tom Hubble, Director/Treasurer
8910 Kak Island, Eagle River, AK 9577
907-242-2083
- John Raso, Secretary
22965 Whispering Birch Drive, Chugiak, AK 66567
907-390-7127

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tom Hubble", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Tom Hubble
VFW Post 9785
Director/Treasurer

AMCO
NOV 16 2022

Details

ENTITY DETAILS

Name(s)

Type	Name
Legal Name	EAGLE RIVER POST NO. 9785, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

Entity Type: Nonprofit Corporation

Entity #: 33015D

Status: Good Standing

AK Formed Date: 5/29/1984

Duration/Expiration: Perpetual

Home State: ALASKA

Next Biennial Report Due: 7/2/2024

Entity Mailing Address: PO BOX 770266, EAGLE RIVER, AK 99577

Entity Physical Address: 10527 VFW ROAD, EAGLE RIVER, AK 99577

Registered Agent

Agent Name: Derek Heavener

Registered Mailing Address: PO BOX 770266, EAGLE RIVER, AK 99577

Registered Physical Address: 10527 VFW Road, Eagle River, AK 99577

Officials

Show Former

AK Entity #	Name	Titles	Owned
	Herschel Deaton	Director, President	
	John Raso	Director, Secretary	
	MELODY QUESENBERRY	Director, Vice President	
	Thomas Hubble	Director, Treasurer	
	Wendell K Speegle	Director, Assistant Treasurer	

Filed Documents

Date Filed	Type	Filing	Certificate
5/29/1984	Creation Filing		
5/22/1986	Biennial Report		
6/17/1988	Biennial Report		
6/29/1990	Biennial Report		
6/03/1992	Biennial Report		
12/29/1994	Biennial Report	Click to View	

License Detail

LICENSE DETAILS

License #: 721733

[Print Business License](#)

Business Name: VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS POST 9785

Status: Active

Issue Date: 07/16/2004

Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Mailing Address: PO BOX 770266
EAGLE RIVER, AK 99577

Physical Address: 10527 VFW Rd
Eagle River, AK 99577

Owners

EAGLE RIVER POST NO. 9785, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

Activities

Line of Business	NAICS	Professional License #
72 - Accommodation and Food Services	722410 - DRINKING PLACES (ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES)	
72 - Accommodation and Food Services	722211 - LIMITED-SERVICE RESTAURANTS	

Endorsements

End #	Issue	Renew	Expiration	Action End	Action Note	Address
1	11/8/2018	10/13/2022	12/31/2024			10527 VFW ROAD, EAGLE RIVER, AK 99577

License Lapse(s)

If this business license lapsed within the last four years the lapsed periods will appear below. Lapsed periods are the unlicensed period between an expiration date and renewal date.

No Lapses on record for the last 4 years.

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Date Filed	Type	Filing	Certificate
10/03/1996	Biennial Report	Click to View	
7/17/1998	Biennial Report	Click to View	
7/14/2000	Biennial Report	Click to View	
3/06/2003	Election or Resolution to Dissolve	Click to View	
3/21/2003	Biennial Report	Click to View	
6/14/2004	Change of Officials	Click to View	
6/16/2004	Biennial Report	Click to View	
6/06/2006	Biennial Report	Click to View	
7/10/2008	Biennial Report	Click to View	
6/09/2010	Biennial Report	Click to View	
7/21/2010	Agent Change	Click to View	
6/06/2012	Biennial Report	Click to View	
6/11/2012	Agent Change	Click to View	
8/27/2014	Biennial Report	Click to View	
1/27/2017	Biennial Report	Click to View	
5/10/2018	Biennial Report	Click to View	
1/28/2019	Agent Change	Click to View	
5/11/2020	Biennial Report	Click to View	
2/05/2021	Change of Officials	Click to View	
8/05/2022	Biennial Report	Click to View	

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