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LED Rulemaking- Liquor Working Group Selections

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Hello,

The Division has received a large number of applications from those who wish to participate in agency rulemaking for the liquor regulations this year. We sincerely thank everyone for their interest in participating. Although not everyone can be selected, the Division believes it has selected a well-rounded group of working group members from across the liquor industry to participate. Rest assured that if your application was not selected this year, the Division encourages you to participate as a member of the public. At each working group meeting, the Division will take time to hear from the public on each proposal and, as always, will take written comments between meetings.

The members of the 2025 Liquor Rulemaking Working Group are:

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Stephanie Hicks, Tavern League of Colorado
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The Division has selected dates and times for rulemaking meetings this summer. Please note that these dates and times are subject to change, and additional dates may be added if necessary. All meetings will be held at the Division's office at 1707 Cole Boulevard, Suite 300, Lakewood, CO 80401, in the Red Rocks Conference Room and also virtually via Zoom (Zoom link to be released before each meeting). These are the preliminary meeting times:

July 16, 2025, from 1:00 - 3:00 pm
August 13, 2025, from 1:00 - 3:00 pm
September 10, 2025, from 1:00 - 3:00 pm

The Division looks forward to welcoming everyone to the first meeting in July. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email [dor led rulemaking@state.co.us](mailto:dor_led_rulemaking@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

Colorado Liquor and Tobacco Enforcement Division