



LICENSE REQUEST: **BV INTOXICATING BEVERAGE LICENSE**

PETITION TO THE TOWN COUNCIL:

To the Honorable Town Council of the Town of Bristol:
The undersigned hereby respectfully requests of your Honorable Body to
be granted a **BV INTOXICATING BEVERAGE LICENSE**

NAME OF ESTABLISHMENT: BISTRO 205

ADDRESS: 205 THAMES STREET, BRISTOL, RI 02809

APPLICANT NAME: 205 LLC

HOURS OF OPERATION: 12:00 PM - 12:00 AM

**** PLEASE ATTACH SKETCH INDICATING THE AREAS FROM WHICH LIQUOR WILL BE SERVED AND CONSUMED.**

Fee for License: \$1300 per year plus advertising
Also required is Victualling License: \$75/year
(Payable after Council approves the license.)

Please attend the Council Meeting on:

1/28/26

*SIGNATURE: *Thomas M. Bergenhefer*

NAME: THOMAS M. BERGENHEFER
(PLEASE PRINT NAME OF APPLICANT)

ADDRESS: 366 HOPE STREET #1, BRISTOL, RI 02809
(ADDRESS OF APPLICANT)

TOWN: BRISTOL, RI

PETITION MUST BE RETURNED BY WEDNESDAY AT 4PM TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO COUNCIL MEETING.

Date Received: _____

TAX STAMP



TO BE USED BY FINANCE DEPARTMENT

***BY SIGNING THIS PETITION, I CONSENT TO EXAMINATION AND RELEASE OF RECORDS AND INFORMATION REGARDING MY BACKGROUND, INCLUDING POLICE RECORDS, EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION, RESIDENCE RECORDS, AND ANY COURT RECORDS.**

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

CITY/TOWN OF BRISTOL

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS
APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

RETAILER CLASS: A ___ BH ___ BM ___ BT ___ BV BVL ___ C ___ E ___ ED ___ J ___ T ___ 2:00 A.M. ___

Business Structure: Corporation Partnership LLC Individual

205 LLC

Name of Applicant/Corporation

BISTRO 205

D/B/A

205 THAMES ST, BRISTOL, RI 02809

Address of Premise

508 713 7634

Phone Number of Business

BRGNHLTZ@GMAIL.COM

Email Address

State - Incorporated: Rhode Island

Date of Incorporation: 1/10/2026

Name, Address, Telephone of all Officers/Members with percentage ownership:

THOMAS A. BELLEW HOLTZ	366 HOPE ST, BRISTOL, RI	774 6965300	33%
President/Member Name	Address	Phone	% Ownership
BENJAMIN BELLEW HOLTZ	385 HOPE ST, BRISTOL, RI	401 651 2499	34%
Vice President/Member Name	Address	Phone	% Ownership
MARIANNE BELLEW HOLTZ	366 HOPE ST, BRISTOL, RI	508-713-7634	33%
Secretary/Member Name	Address	Phone	% Ownership
Treasurer/Member Name	Address	Phone	% Ownership

Name and Address of All Directors or Board Members, with percentage ownership:

Name	Address	Phone	% Ownership
Name	Address	Phone	% Ownership
Name	Address	Phone	% Ownership

If application is on behalf of undisclosed principal or party, please give details:

N/A

Does Applicant Own Premises? Yes ___ No Is Property Mortgaged? Yes ___ No or Leased? Yes ___ No

Give Name and Address of Mortgagee (Bank or Mortgage Holder) or Lessor (Landlord) and Amount of Extent

Name Address Amount - Term

Have any Officers, Members or Stockholders ever been arrested or convicted of a crime? Yes___ No If yes, explain:

Is any other business to be carried on in Licensed Premises? Yes___ No If yes, explain:

Is Applicant or any of its Officers, Members or Stockholders interested directly or indirectly, as principle or associate, or in any manner whatsoever, in any retail license issued under Title 3 of the RI General Laws? If yes, explain:

NO

Is Applicant the owner or operator of any other business? If yes, explain:

HARBORIDE HOLDINGS CORP, REAL ESTATE HOLDING & DEVELOPMENT

State amount of capital invested in the business?

\$300,000

Do you have now, or will you be installing, a draught system Yes No___

I hereby certify that the above statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief:

James M. Bluff
Applicant Signature

1-14-26
Date

1. Every question on Application Form must be answered. Any false statement made by the Applicant will be sufficient grounds for the denial of the applica or the revocation of the license in case one has been granted.
2. Corporation having 25 or more stockholders need not file a list of the names and addresses of stockholders - (Question #8)
3. Attention is called to the requirements RIGL §3-5-10:
 - (A) All newly elected officers, members, or directors must be reported to the Board of License Commissioners within 30 days.
 - (B) Any acquisition by any person of more than ten per cent (10%) of any class of corporate stock must be reported within 30 days.
 - (C) Any transfer of fifty percent (50%) or more of any class of corporate stock can be made only by written application to the licensing board subject to the procedures for a transfer of a license.

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LICENSE ONLY

Transfer of Location _____ Name _____ Stock _____ Current Retail Class _____ Transfer of ownership _____

Name of Transferor (applicant/old owner)

d/b/a

Address

The above hereby petitions the Licensing Board to transfer the said license to:

New Location (If any): _____

New Name (If any): _____

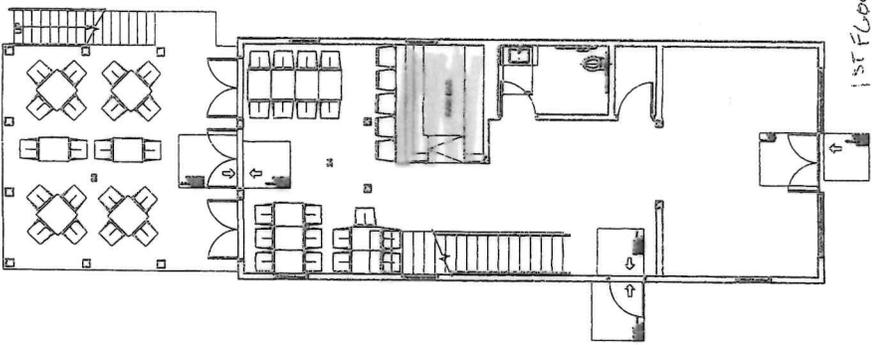
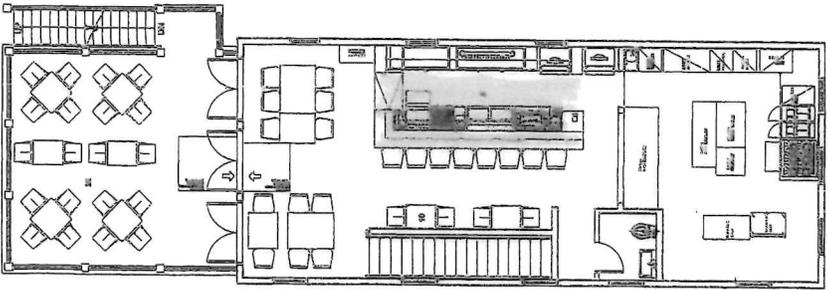
If change of stockholders, list old and new stockholders:

Signature of Transferor (old owner)

Date

Signature of Transferee (New Owner)

Date



SEATING SUMMARY

1st FL DINING	= 32
2nd FL DINING	= 8
2nd FL REST/DRESSING	= 16
TOTAL PROPOSED	= 40

REST/STAIRS	= 10
REST/2nd FLOOR	= 20
TOTAL PROPOSED	= 40
EXTERIOR SEATING	= 40
TOTAL PROPOSED	= 80

Bistro 205 Spirits, Cocktails, Wine and Beer

Martini: Elegant, Clean and Crisp
Gin or vodka, Dry vermouth, Olives or lemon twist

Vodka

Moscow Mule: Sweet and spicy with a kick
Vodka, Ginger beer, Lime juice, Copper mug
14

Cosmopolitan: sophisticated and chic
Vodka, Triple sec, Cranberry juice, Lime juice,
Orange twist 16

Bloody Mary: bold and savory, a spicy kick
Vodka, Tomato juice, Worcestershire sauce, Hot
sauce, Celery salt, Lemon or lime wedge 14

Gin

Negroni: Complex bittersweet flavor
Gin, Campari, Sweet vermouth, Orange twist
15

French 75
Gin, lemon juice, sugar, topped with Champagne.
15

French Blonde: a Watch Hill rock star's fave
Lillet Blanc, Bombay Sapphire Gin,
St-Germain (elderflower liqueur), Grapefruit Juice
16

Whiskey

Old Fashioned: Simplicity with depth of flavor
Bourbon or rye whiskey, Sugar cube, Angostura
bitters, Water, Orange twist 15

Whiskey Sour: Elegant and tangy citrus notes
Bourbon or rye whiskey, Lemon juice,
Simple syrup, Cherry or lemon twist 15

Manhattan: Rich and complex
Rye whiskey, Sweet vermouth, Angostura bitters,
Maraschino cherry 16

Whiskey Sour
Whiskey, lemon juice, sugar 15

Basic Mixed \$14 Premiums \$16 GIN ... VODKA ... WHISKEY ... RUM With seltzer, tonic, Coke, soda or neat

Tequila

Margarita: Vibrant Festive Flavors
Tequila, Triple sec, Lime juice, Salt rim 14

Brandy

Nod to Rhode Island

Introducing our new creation

The Brandy Cabinet: A grown-up take on a
childhood Rhode Island favorite - the Cabinet
Brandy, cream and Autocrat Coffee Syrup 15

Rediscover the past

Side Car: A Ritz Paris Creation

Cognac, Cointreau and lemon juice 15

Stinger: Reginald Vanderbilt's High Society drink

Cognac, Crème de Menthe shaken with ice
15

Hemmingway's Cuban Heyday

Daquiri: Simple, Classic Cuban Cocktail

Rum, lime juice, simple syrup 15

Mojito: Light and Zesty, lime's tartness, mint's
coolness 16

white rum, sugar, lime juice, soda water, and fresh
mint

Refreshing

Champagne Cobbler: A festive mix
Champagne, fruit, and sugar.

Aperol Spritz: Refreshing, thirst-quenching
Prosecco, Aperol, club soda, orange slice

Bistro 205 Spirits, Cocktails, Wine and Beer

Wine Selection 6oz./9oz./bottle

White

Lobster Reef, Sauvignon Blanc, New Zealand	12/14/46
Decoy Chardonnay, 15/17/59	
Famille Perrin, Cotes du Rhone Reserve, France	12/14/42
Léa et Rémi Joulin, Sancerre Fusion, France	17/19/49
Conundrum, white wine blend, Calif.	13/15/52
Pouilly-Fuissé	15/24/76
Josh Sauvignon Blanc	13/15/48
Villa Sparina Gavi, Italy	13/15/58

Red

Juggernaut, Cabernet Sauvignon, Calif.	15/18/48
Bread & Butter, Cabernet Sauvignon	13/15/48
Robert Mondavi, Merlot, Calif.	9/11/39
Apothic, Merlot	9/11/38
Chateau Florie Aude, Bordeaux, France	12/14/42

Rose

Côte de Roses, France, Languedoc region	14/17/54
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Beer

Draft 10

Chair 2

Fiddlehead

Guinness

Bottles 8

Coors Light

Bud Light

Michelob Ultra

Corona

Cans 10

Rotating Local Brews

Bistro 205

Appetizers

Crab Cakes <i>Lump crab Maryland-style</i>	18
Clams Casino <i>On the half shell, w/ bacon (2)</i>	15
Crispy Brussel Sprouts <i>w/ breadcrumbs and bacon</i>	8
Whipped Feta <i>with pita crisps, Crispy onion, garlic, cashew</i>	15

Raw Bar

Jumbo Shrimp* <i>each</i> <i>With cocktail sauce or horseradish dip</i>	4 ⁵⁰
Oysters* <i>each</i> <i>Locally sourced</i>	3 ⁵⁰
Littleneck Clams* <i>each</i>	2 ²⁵
Scallop Crudo* <i>each</i>	16

Sandwiches

Shrimp Salad Roll <i>Served on top split bun roll</i>	20
Lobster Roll <i>on split top roll</i> <i>Warm, buttered or Cold w/ mayo</i>	MKT
Smash Burger <i>Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, American Cheese, Bacon</i>	25
Fried Cod <i>on grilled croissant Remoulade, leafy greens, tomato</i>	20
Marinated Grilled Portobello <i>with roasted red peppers, arugula on bun w/</i>	16
Crab cake sandwich <i>lettuce, tomato remoulade</i>	25

All sandwiched also available on lettuce wrap

Sides

Bread Basket	5
Today's Vegetable	6
Steamed Broccoli	6
Pasta Salad	7
Crisp Bacon	6
French Fries	6
Mashed Potatoes	8
French Fries	6

Soup of the Day

Clam Chowder <i>Creamy New England</i>	10/14
Hearty Fishermen's Stew <i>Scallops, Cod, Shrimp, Littlenecks</i>	12/18

Salads

Classic Caesar <i>Add grilled shrimp</i>	14 6
Blackened Shrimp Avocado <i>tossed with leafy greens, avocado and cucumber</i>	25
Pear Pomegranate Salad <i>Gorgonzola Champagne Vinaigrette</i>	15
Shrimp Salad on Lettuce	20

Main Dishes

Fried Cod <i>on grilled croissant Remoulade, leafy greens, tomato</i>	20
Marinated Grilled Portobello <i>with roasted red peppers, arugula on bun w/</i>	16
Crab cake sandwich <i>lettuce, tomato remoulade</i>	25
Seasonal Vegetable Linguine <i>Seasonal vegetables with herbs and white sauce</i>	22
Tenderloin Steak* <i>Choice of potato and vegetable</i>	34
Fish and Chips <i>New England Classic</i>	25
Seafood Pasta <i>Crab, Shrimp, Scallop w/ Creamy, champagne sauce</i>	38
Crab Bomb Entrée <i>Lump Crab w/ Choice of potato and vegetable</i>	35

*Gluten-free pasta and bread available.
Please alert our server to food allergies.*

This item is raw or partially cooked and can increase your risk of food borne illness. Consumers who are especially vulnerable to food borne illness should only eat seafood and other food from animals thoroughly cooked.





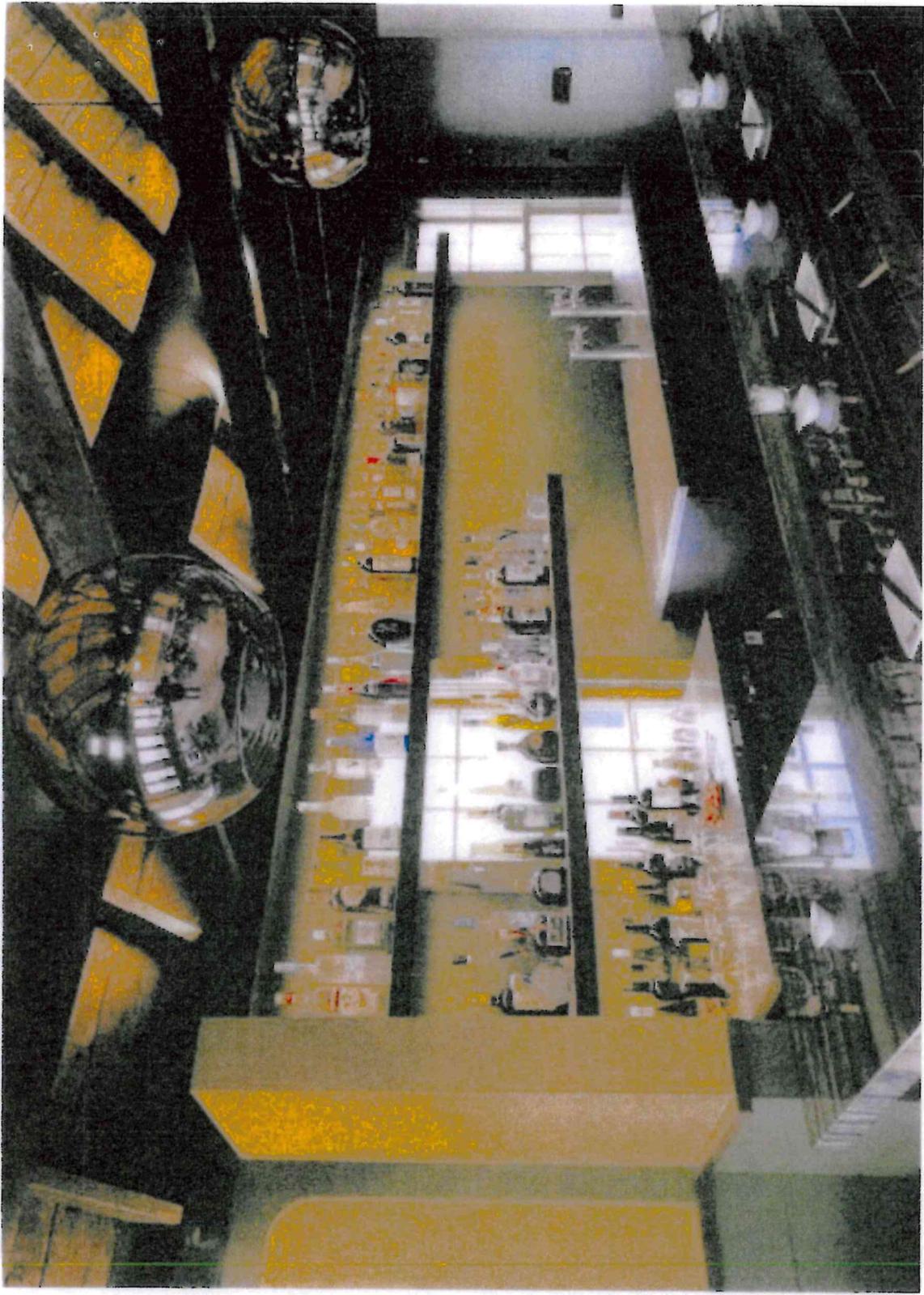
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1st fl



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Outdoor 1st fl.



Outside
2nd Fl



TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE
Melissa Cordeiro, Town Clerk

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Steven Contente
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

FROM: Melissa Cordeiro
TOWN CLERK

DATE: February 12, 2026

RE: Thomas Bergenholtz, 205 LLC D/B/A Bistro 205,
205 Thames Street, request for Class BV
Intoxicating Beverage License

May we please have your recommendation or the recommendation of the department head you deem appropriate in order for the Council to review the request at the Town Council Meeting to be held on **March 11, 2026**.

All items for this docket must be received in the Clerk's office by Wednesday, March 4, 2026. All and any items received after the deadline will be held until the next council agenda.

Thank you for your cooperation and prompt reply.

Attachments