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# PETITION TO THE TOWN COUNCIL



To the Honorable Town Council of the Town of  
Bristol: The undersigned hereby respectfully  
requested of your Honorable Body that:

... the Bristol BookFest Committee in the 2026 celebration of "Mrs. Dalloway" by Virginia Woolf receive a one-day liquor license to serve alcoholic beverages at the Town property of Rogers Free Library on Friday April 10, 2026 from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

We confirm that all alcohol sales/service will be provided by the third-party licensed caterer "Two Gals Cocktails."

Attached please find a sketch showing the location from which alcohol will be served in the Rogers Free Library, along with photographs of the space.

Additionally, we include from Two Gals Cocktails a certificate of insurance showing general liability and workers' compensation coverage, a minimum of \$1,000,000 in coverage, and the the Town of Bristol is listed as an additional insured.

Thank you for your consideration and your continued support of Bristol BookFest, now in its sixth year.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

*Please ensure that your petition is submitted by 4:00 PM, two (2) Wednesdays before the Town Council meeting scheduled for*

*3/11/26*

*in order to be included on the docket. According to Council policy, petitions cannot be addressed unless recommendations, if needed, from the relevant departments are received before the Council meeting*

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

NAME Renee Soto co chair Bristol BookFest

ADDRESS: 36 Pearse Avenue

TOWN: Bristol, Rhode Island

To the 1001 calls

Drink Station

~~FRITZLAND~~

Window

Book rack

Elevator



Window

elevator

\* BPT  
Liquor  
APPLICATION  
LICENSE

DRINK  
STATION

BOOKSHELF

MAIN DESK

TV  
Periodicals

RFL FRONT  
ENTRANCE

Team Room



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**MEMORANDUM**

TO: Steven Contente  
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

FROM: Melissa Cordeiro  
TOWN CLERK

DATE: February 13, 2026

RE: Renee Soto, Co-chair Bristol Book Fest- request  
to sell & serve alcohol on town land for the 6th  
Annual Book Fest on April 10th from 6:30-8:00 PM  
at Rogers Free Library 525 Hope Street

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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