



STATE OF ARIZONA  
DEPARTMENT OF LIQUOR LICENSES AND CONTROL

Katie Hobbs  
GOVERNOR

Ben Henry  
Director

November 9, 2023

**INDUSTRY NOTICE:**  
***GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS DECEMBER ARIZONA CRAFT SPIRITS MONTH***

The Department of Liquor Licenses & Control is sharing with you a grand announcement recently given by pen from the Office of the Governor.

On November 1, 2023, Arizona Governor Katie Hobbs signed a declaration, writing:

**WHEREAS**, Arizona produced rums, whiskies and gins have consistently been awarded within the global top ten rankings and awards in major international competitions; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizona distillers have been named as icons of and innovators in the commercial distilling industry; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizona produced spirits have contributed to the overall reputation that Arizona is at the forefront of the American Craft distillation industry.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Katie Hobbs, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim December 2023 as Arizona Craft Spirits Month.

This distinction adds to the richness and diversity of the Arizona liquor industry story, and shows as a source of pride, inspiration, and measure for industry membership in the years to follow.

A copy of the proclamation is provided here on Page 2 of this notice.

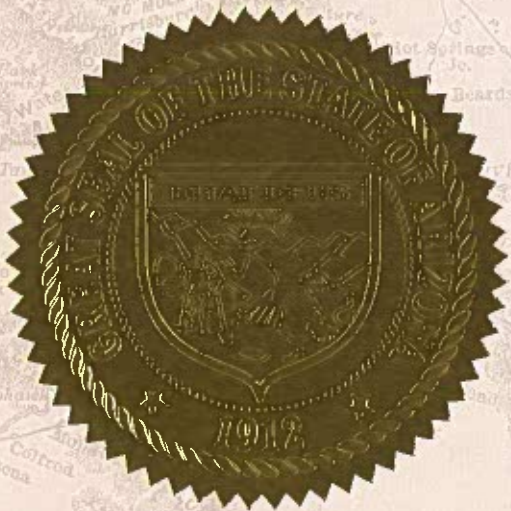
Sincerely,

  
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# Proclamation

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## ARIZONA CRAFT SPIRITS MONTH



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this first day of November in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Three and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Eighth.

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE