



# AURORA POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS RELEASE

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## APD CADETS GO UNDERCOVER TO SEE IF BUSINESSES ARE SELLING LIQUOR AND TOBACCO TO MINORS

In an effort to stop sale of liquor and tobacco to minors, Aurora Police Department's Cadets went undercover in an operation with investigators from the Aurora Police Department's Special Operations Group to conduct compliance checks across the city.

On Wednesday afternoon, APD's cadets visited 21 businesses across the city to ensure they were abiding by laws governing the sale of alcohol and tobacco. At each business, the cadets attempt to purchase alcohol and/or tobacco from business and see if they are "carded" by the clerk. Normally, these operations usually only lead to one or two violations, but on Wednesday, APD's cadets were able to make illegal purchases of alcohol and tobacco from 12 local businesses.

The following businesses were issued Notice to Appear for either the sale of tobacco to a minor 13-12 (a) or sale of alcohol to a minor 6-29 (a):

- **Dr. Lungs** 245 S. Lake St.
- **Mobile** 832 W. Illinois Ave.
- **Randall Liquors** 1660 N. Randall Rd.
- **AJ's Liquor Land** 2150 W. Galena Bl.
- **Mobile** 1331 N. Farnsworth Ave.
- **Speedway** 948 N. Farnsworth Ave.
- **Foremost Liquors** 178 S. Broadway St.
- **7/11** 2626 Ogden Ave.
- **Liquor Lane** 2178 Ogden Ave.
- **7/11** 2241 S. Eola Rd.
- **Green Smoke Vape & Tobacco** 444 N. Eola Rd.
- **Atown Smoke Shop** 4432 E. New York St.

The following businesses requested the Cadets to produce the proper identification, and refused to sale to them:

- **EZ Mart** 804 Oliver Ave.
- **Foremost Liquors** 133 W. Galena Blvd.
- **Randall Liquors** 719 N. Lake St.
- **Shell** 1851 N. Farnsworth Ave.
- **Randall Liquors** 1040 N. Farnsworth Ave.
- **Smoke Rings** 1661 E. New York St.
- **Citgo** 619 S. Broadway
- **York Liquors** 4300 E. New York St.
- **Jay's Unlimited Liquors** 2900 Ogden Av.

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