# Newsletter Article for Chamber/EDC Partners Partners to Share

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## Reduce Your Risk with Free Responsible Beverage Server Training

Did you know establishments in North Dakota can be held liable for serving alcohol to someone who is underage or obviously intoxicated? Fortunately, North Dakota law provides some protections for licensees who have completed alcohol server training.

North Dakota Safety Council provides online <u>Responsible Beverage Server training</u> for owners and managers, servers and bartenders, and large-event staff. And right now, IT'S FREE!

## **3 Reasons to Implement Training**

- 1. Reduce your liability concerns. North Dakota law provides some protections in the case of a claim for licensees who have completed alcohol server training.
- 2. As many as 50% of servers in alcohol establishments have served alcohol to underage customers during law enforcement compliance checks in North Dakota. Don't be one of them.
- 3. Avoid overserving. Servers and bartenders will learn how to recognize and deal with customers who have had too much to drink.

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#### Contribute to Your Community's Safety with Free Responsible Beverage Server Training

We all play a role in keeping North Dakota's communities safe. If you work at an establishment that serves alcohol, you can contribute to safety in your community by attending FREE, online Responsible Beverage Server training.

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## **3 Reasons to Participate in Training**

- 4. If you're an owner or manager, you can reduce liability concerns. North Dakota law provides some protections in the case of a claim for licensees who have completed alcohol server training.
- 5. As many as 50% of servers in alcohol establishments have served alcohol to underage customers during law enforcement compliance checks in North Dakota. Don't be one of them.
- 6. Avoid overserving. Learn how to recognize and deal with customers who have had too much to drink, and contribute to keeping our roads safe.

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