

# **Arlington Beer Company, Inc.**

**Tap Room: 19 N. Hickory Arlington Heights, Illinois 60004**

## **Overview:**

In August of 2014, over 53% of all U.S. brewing facilities were microbreweries. The trend has shifted from the brewpub model to the microbrewery tap room model for several reasons. Legislative changes have made it possible for direct sales to customers. A tap room provides a close connection to the production process that makes craft beer resonate with beer enthusiasts. No kitchen is necessary with the emergence of food trucks and a tap room provides the brewer the ability to focus on being a publican verses a chef or restaurateur. The Village's long range vision for the immediate vicinity of our location is to create a vibrant, mixed use neighborhood which complements the downtown area, providing new housing and commercial opportunities in a walkable pedestrian friendly environment. We feel our business model compliments this ideal and would be easily incorporated in proposed future development of the area.

## **Mission:**

The Arlington Beer Company, Inc. plans on providing a community-centric tap room that provides not only a stable menu of style selections, but also a rotating tap selection that provides some extremely creative beers which will delight the most discerning palate. We are not concerned with creating a beer that appeals to the masses. We are striving to provide people with an experience every time one of our beers is poured. We want our beers to help foster a sense of community pride and progressiveness. We are interested in creating a beer that makes us excited as craft beer aficionados and advocates. Arlington Beer Company, Inc. plans to bring new products to the local market and become an established part of the community.

## **Personnel:**

Our comprised skill sets consist of business management, product development and marketing, beverage and distribution specialists, as well as two highly experienced brewers who are residents of Arlington Heights.

**Operation:**

We are requesting authorization for the retail sale of our products manufactured on the premises for consumption on the premises, as well the retail sale of our products in their original packaging for carry out. We are requesting a new class of liquor license which would permit us to operate a tap room without a kitchen component. Hence, we are requesting that food trucks be permitted to park for extended periods of time on our property. We also request that it be allowed to have live music during business hours.

We will be open for business: Monday thru Thursday - 12pm to 10pm, Friday thru Saturday - 12pm to 12am, and Sunday - 12pm to 10pm.

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