

# WEST VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY BOARD OF GOVERNORS

## West Virginia State University

### BOG Policy #36

#### **Title: Alcoholic Beverages**

#### **Section 1. General**

1.1 Scope: This establishes a policy for the use of alcoholic beverages on the campus of West Virginia State.

1.2 Authority: West Virginia Codes §18B-1-6 and 18B-1-8

1.3 Adopted Date: April 27, 2017

1.4 Effective Date: May 17, 2017

#### **Section 2. Policy**

2.1 The possession or use of alcoholic beverages is prohibited on property or in facilities (including student housing) of WVSU with an available exemption for special catered events with prior written approval of the President or the President's designee(s) for events meeting the following minimum criteria:

2.1.1 A majority of event attendees must be non-students of legal drinking age and attendees who are not of legal age will not be served alcohol.

2.1.2 Catering staff must be at least 18 years old and have proper training in all applicable laws and regulations regarding the service of alcoholic beverages.

2.1.3 Food and non-alcoholic refreshments must be provided in addition to alcoholic beverages.

2.2 This policy does not apply to dwellings located on the campus of West Virginia State University or any of its off-campus or leased facilities which are occupied as a family residence, the Capitol Center, or facilities operated by the WVSU Foundation.