

TEXAS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION

WET-DRY STATUS OF TEXAS COUNTIES AS OF AUGUST 31, 1987

+Indicates sale of mixed beverages is legal in all or part of county (92)

\*Indicates counties totally wet for distilled spirits (36);  
All others dry in part (75)

COUNTIES IN WHICH DISTILLED SPIRITS ARE LEGAL: 176

Anderson	+Donley	*Karnes	+*Presidio
+*Aransas	+*Duval	Kaufman	Rains
Archer	Eastland	+*Kendall	+Randall
Atascosa	+Ector	Kenedy	*Reagan
+*Austin	Edwards	+Kerr	Red River
+Bandera	+*El Paso	Kimble	+Reeves
*Bastrop	Ellis	King	Refugio
+*Bee	+Falls	+*Kinney	Robertson
+Bell	Fannin	+Kleberg	Runnels
+*Bexar	+Fayette	+Lamar	San Augustine
+Blanco	+*Fort Bend	Lampasas	San Jacinto
Bosque	+Frio	+LaSalle	+San Patricio
+Brazoria	+Galveston	+Lavaca	San Saba
+*Brazos	Garza	+Lee	*Schleicher
+*Brewster	+Gillespie	Leon	Shelby
Brooks	+Goliad	Liberty	+*Starr
Brown	Gonzales	Lipscomb	Stonewall
Burleson	Gray	Live Oak	+*Sutton
+Burnet	Grayson	+Llano	+Tarrant
+Calhoun	Gregg	+*Loving	+Taylor
Callahan	+Grimes	+Lubbock	*Terrell
+*Cameron	+Guadalupe	Marion	+Titus
+Camp	Hall	+Matagorda	+Tom Green
Carson	Hamilton	+Maverick	+*Travis
Cass	Hardin	+McCulloch	*Trinity
Castro	+Harris	+McLennan	Upshur
Chambers	Harrison	+Medina	*Upton
Childress	Haskell	Menard	Uvalde
Clay	+Hays	+Midland	+Val Verde
Coleman	+Henderson	Milam	+Victoria
Collin	+*Hidalgo	Mills	+Walker
+*Colorado	Hill	Mitchell	+Willacy
+*Comal	+Hockley	+Montgomery	+Waller
Comanche	Hood	+*Moore	Ward
Cooke	+Howard	Nacogdoches	+*Washington
Crane	+*Hudspeth	+Navarro	+*Webb
*Culberson	Hunt	Newton	+Wharton
Dallam	Hutchinson	Nolan	+Wichita
+Dallas	+Jackson	+Nueces	Wilbarger
Deaf Smith	Jasper	+Orange	+Williamson
+Denton	Jeff Davis	Palo Pinto	+*Wilson
+DeWitt	+Jefferson	Pecos	*Winkler
Dickens	+*Jim Hogg	+Polk	+*Zapata
+Dimmitt	+Jim Wells	+Potter	+Zavala

COUNTIES IN WHICH ONLY 4% BEER IS LEGAL: 14

Counties only partly wet.

Baylor	Dawson	Mason	Stephens
Caldwell	Glasscock	McMullen	Wise
Cherokee	Hartley	Oldham	
Concho	Irion	Sabine	

COUNTIES IN WHICH 14% OR LESS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE LEGAL: 2

Limestone	Somervell
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COUNTIES WHOLLY DRY: 62

Andrews	Fisher	Knox	Rusk
Angelina	Floyd	Lamb	Scurry
Armstrong	Foard	Lynn	Shackelford
Bailey	Franklin	Madison	Sherman
Borden	Freestone	Martin	Smith
Bowie	Gaines	Montague	Sterling
Briscoe	Hale	Morris	Swisher
Cochran	Hansford	Motley	Terry
Coke	Hardeman	Ochiltree	Throckmorton
Collingsworth	Hemphill	Panola	Tyler
Coryell	Hopkins	Parker	Van Zandt
Cottle	Houston	Parmer	Wheeler
Crockett	Jack	Real	Wood
Crosby	Johnson	Roberts	Yoakum
Delta	Jones	Rockwall	Young
Erath	Kent		

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LOCAL OPTION ELECTIONS

There were twenty-eight local option elections during the fiscal year ending August 31, 1987. Four elections were called to legalize the sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only; three remained "dry" and one became "wet." Twelve elections were called to legalize the sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only; eleven remained "dry" and one became "wet." Seven elections were called to legalize the sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages; three remained "dry" and four became "wet." One election was called to legalize the sale of mixed beverages; one became "wet." Two elections were called to legalize the sale of beer and wine; two remained "dry." One election was called to prohibit the sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages; one remained "wet." One election was called to prohibit the sale of all alcoholic beverages; one remained "wet."

The voting for the fiscal year:

BELL COUNTY

The City of Belton, Bell County, on June 30, 1987, voted 1,237 for "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only" and 1,215 against "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only." The City of Belton, Bell County, was "dry" before the election was held and became "wet" for the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only.

BRAZORIA COUNTY

The Village of Bonney, Brazoria County, on October 4, 1986, voted 8 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 27 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." The Village of Bonney, Brazoria County, was "wet" for the legal sale of beer only, and as a result of the election remained "wet" for the legal sale of beer only.

CALDWELL COUNTY

Precinct No. 3, Caldwell County, on December 13, 1986, voted 216 for "the legal sale of beer and wine" and 369 against "the legal sale of beer and wine." Precinct No. 3, Caldwell County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

COLEMAN COUNTY

City of Novice, Coleman County, on January 6, 1987, voted 41 for "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only" and 53 against "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only." The City of Novice, Coleman County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

COLEMAN COUNTY

City of Santa Anna, Coleman County, on December 6, 1986, voted 167 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 178 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Santa Anna, Coleman County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

COLLIN COUNTY

The City of St. Paul, Collin County, on June 6, 1987, voted 37 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 158 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." The City of St. Paul, Collin County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

DALLAS COUNTY

The Incorporated City of Cockrell Hill, Dallas County, on October 25, 1986, voted 132 for "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only" and 377 against "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only." The Incorporated City of Cockrell Hill, Dallas County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

DALLAS COUNTY

The Incorporated City of Farmers Branch, Dallas County, on October 25, 1986, voted 2,095 for "the legal sale of mixed beverages" and 741 against "the legal sale of mixed beverages." The Incorporated City of Farmers Branch, Dallas County, was "dry" before the election was held and became "wet" for the legal sale of mixed beverages.

DENTON COUNTY

The Incorporated City of Crossroads, Denton County, on December 20, 1986, voted 66 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 33 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The Incorporated City of Crossroads, Denton County, was "dry" before the election was held and became "wet" for the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only.

DENTON COUNTY

The City of Marshall Creek, Denton County, on August 8, 1987, voted 51 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 69 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Marshall Creek, Denton County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

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Local Option Elections (continued)

DENTON COUNTY

The City of Pilot Point, Denton County, on May 9, 1987, voted 188 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 277 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Pilot Point, Denton County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

DIMMITT COUNTY

Precinct No. 1, Dimmitt County, on June 6, 1987, voted 136 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 84 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." Precinct No. 1, Dimmitt County, was "dry" before the election was held and became "wet" for the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages.

DONLEY COUNTY

City of Howardwick, Donley County, on August 4, 1987, voted 49 for "to prohibit the sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 67 against "to prohibit the sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." The City of Howardwick, Donley County, was "wet" before the election was held and remained "wet" for the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages.

HAYS COUNTY

Precinct No. 4, Hays County, on December 6, 1986, voted 554 for "the legal sale of beer and wine" and 642 against "the legal sale of beer and wine." Precinct No. 4, Hays County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

HENDERSON COUNTY

City of Poynor, Henderson County, on April 4, 1987, voted 42 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 103 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Poynor, Henderson County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

HOCKLEY COUNTY

The City of Opdyke West, Hockley County, on April 4, 1987, voted 28 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 5 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." The City of Opdyke West was "wet" for the legal sale of beer for off-premise consumption only, and as a result of this election became "wet" to include the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages.

IRION COUNTY

The County of Irion on July 7, 1987, voted 238 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 321 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The County of Irion was partially "wet" for the legal sale of beer only, and as a result of this election remained "wet" for the legal sale of beer only.

LAMB COUNTY

City of Littlefield, Lamb County, on January 24, 1987, voted 694 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 872 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Littlefield, Lamb County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

LAMB COUNTY

Precinct No. 1, Lamb County, on September 27, 1986, voted 457 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 529 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." Precinct No. 1, Lamb County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

LEON COUNTY

City of Buffalo, Leon County, on April 18, 1987, voted 193 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 271 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Buffalo, Leon County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

MOTLEY COUNTY

Precinct No. 3, Motley County, on November 4, 1986, voted 125 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 140 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." Precinct No. 3, Motley County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

POLK COUNTY

The Incorporated City of Onalaska, Polk County, on September 20, 1986, voted 74 for "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only" and 65 against "the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only." Prior to this election, the Incorporated City of Onalaska had been "wet" on the above issue, but later an additional area annexed into the city limits. This election was called to try to get this annexed area "wet" also. The Incorporated City of Onalaska remained "wet" except for the annexed area, which remained "dry."

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Local Option Elections (concluded)

POTTER COUNTY

Precinct No. 3, Potter County, on November 22, 1986, voted 868 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 1,005 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." Precinct No. 3, Potter County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

TAYLOR COUNTY

The City of Buffalo Gap, Taylor County, on April 4, 1987, voted 70 for "to prohibit the sale of all alcoholic beverages" and 210 against "to prohibit the sale of all alcoholic beverages." The City of Buffalo Gap, Taylor County, was "wet" before the election was held and remained "wet" for the sale of all alcoholic beverages.

UPSHUR COUNTY

The City of Union Grove, Upshur County, on August 8, 1987, voted 43 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 82 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Union Grove, Upshur County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."

WILLIAMSON COUNTY

Precinct No. 1, Williamson County, on June 10, 1987, voted 365 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 254 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." Precinct No. 1, Williamson County, was "dry" before the election was held and became "wet" for the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages.

WILLIAMSON COUNTY

Precinct No. 2, Williamson County, on January 10, 1987, voted 1,760 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages" and 1,247 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages." Precinct No. 2, Williamson County, was "wet" for the legal sale of beer for off-premise consumption only, and as a result of this election became "wet" to include the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed beverages.

WISE COUNTY

The City of Runaway Bay, Wise County, on April 25, 1987, voted 91 for "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only" and 151 against "the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only." The City of Runaway Bay, Wise County, was "dry" before the election was held and remained "dry."