

Rehoboth Beach-Dewey Beach Chamber of Commerce

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CITY OF REHOBOTH BEACH SMOKING BAN INFORMATION

The City of Rehoboth Beach smoking ban will go into effect on May 15, 2014. The

smoking ban includes the beach (except for up to 20 areas on the beach designated as smoking permitted areas which will be clearly marked), the Boardwalk, the Bandstand Plaza, City parks, and the street ends adjoining the Boardwalk. Signage is planned to be in place by May 15 to delineate the designated smoking areas. The approved ordinance has been posted on the Chamber website – beach-fun.com. Click into Site Index, scroll to Rehoboth Information and click into "Smoking Ban Ordinance".

FROM CHAMBER LEGISLATIVE REP. MARK LALLY

147th General Assembly - Senate Bill # 167 -- Primary Sponsor: Lopez Additional Sponsor(s): Rep. Smyk CoSponsors: Sens. Bushweller, Cloutier, Ennis, Lavelle, Lawson, Pettyjohn; Reps. Baumbach, Bolden, Gray, Keeley, Osienski, Outten, Schwartzkopf, Scott, K. Williams Introduced on: 1/29/2014

Long Title: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 4 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS. Synopsis: This Act exempts solids and confections containing 2% or less alcohol by weight from the definition of alcoholic liquor. Current Status: Senate Small Business Committee; Actions History: Jan 29, 2014 - Assigned to Small Business Committee in Senate

Bill: <u>HS 1 for HB 60</u> Sponsor: Hudson Title: **AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 4 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL LICENSES AND TAXES, AND DIRECT PURCHASING AND SHIPMENT OF WINE**. Synopsis: This bill would permit wine producers holding a valid license in this State or another state to obtain a license and ship wine directly to Delaware consumers so long as it is done through a common carrier with a "Carrier Permit". The bill requires the payment of taxes and obtaining the signature of a person 21 years of age or older before delivery of the wine.

URL: http://www.legis.delaware.gov/LIS/LI S147.nsf/vwLegislation/HS+1+for+HB+60?open>

APRIL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING WITH SENATOR CARPER

The April General Membership luncheon/meeting will be held on **Tuesday**, **April 22,-** Noon – Kings Creek Country Club-guest speaker Senator Tom Carper and a presentation by the Chamber's Young Professionals group. Luncheon fee of \$16.00–menu to include Chicken Parmesan, Sweet Italian Sausage, Peppers/Onions, Penne Pasta with a Tomato Basil Sauce, Caesar Salad, Rolls & Butter and Chef's Selection of Desserts. RSVP to Joy – 227-6446 or joy@beach-fun.com.

JOB FAIR – HOSTED BY SENATORS CARPER AND COONS AND REP. CARNEY

U.S. Senators Tom Carper and Chris Coons, and U.S. Rep. John Carney announced Wednesday that they will host a job fair 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Monday, May 19, at the Rehoboth Beach Convention Center. Interested companies seeking to fill positions can contact Sen. Coons' office at 573-6345 or via email at workshop@coons.senate.gov—only employers with positions to fill will be permitted to attend.

FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE - LEWES

In-service workshop program "Aquaculture and Fisheries Technologies for Food and Health Educators, Seafood Professionals, and Communicators" - April 7-10 in Lewes. The program will cover all aspects of the seafood industry from water to table, including major trends and issues -- excellent educational and training opportunity for restaurant owners and staff, retail markets and anyone involved or interested in seafood. Additional details about the program are available at http://darc.cms.udel.edu/sgseafood