

# The Vermont Hemp Industry Today and For The Future

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Family Owned - Located in "Bucks Furniture" facility

Received National Recognition as "Best Infused Beverage 2026"



# Vermont Hemp Industry Wants to Build a Responsible, Regulated and Enabled Industry Sector

Tremendous Growth Opportunity  
for An Integrated Commercial Supply Chain

# Why Hemp Industry Is Important for Vermont?

## Consumers Driving Markets For Alternative Beverages

- Alcohol sales in decline (Down 20%)
- Multiple demographic profiles
- *Functional* beverages expanding
- Compliant Micro-dosed THC (Delta 9)
- Major beverage corporations view as strategic opportunity



# The Hemp Industry Is A Strategic Vermont Sector

## We Need to Make It Easy To Produce Consumer Offerings:

**PART 1**

- Critical to authorize B-2-B sourcing of Hemp derived Delta 9 THC distillate
- Manufacturers dependent on properly managed distillate sources



**Precedent exists in use of numerous, controlled substances in food manufacture:**

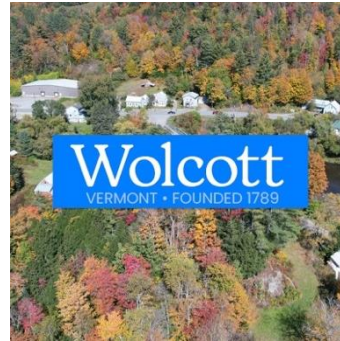
**95% Ethanol for Mocktail**

# Hemp Beverage Sector Poised For Growth

## Industry Engages and Serves Multiple Vermont Businesses



# New, Expanding Jobs Across Supply Chain Partners



**Former Buck's  
Furniture**



# The Hemp Industry Is A Strategic Vermont Sector

## We Need to Make It Easy To Produce Consumer Offerings:

**PART 2**

- Safety & cGMP certifications integral for consumer assurance
- Adopt State License & Inspection.... (approve 3<sup>rd</sup> party services)
- Permit approved facilities to produce both marijuana & hemp products



**Optimal  
Beneficial  
Cost-efficient**



**VT Example:  
LaBarge  
Quality  
Consulting**

# The Hemp Industry Will Be Federally Viable

## The View Of Large Stakeholders And Congressional Leaders

- Industry organizations and leading manufacturers want reasonable regulation to assure safety and standards
- Numerous corporate supporters - *industry will prosper after November*
- Align with federal regs - several bills proposed in Congress

### Hemp Safety Enforcement Act

- Significant traction in congress
- Gives states and Tribes an opt-out
- Builds in real safety protections (Age Restrictions - No synthetics)
- Protects interstate commerce
- Preserves consumer access



*Senator  
Amy Klobuchar*

*Senator  
Paul Rand*



**Thank You!**

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