

Court Licensing Ceremony Requirements

(Effective 01-01-2026)

LICENSE MAILED TO COURT					
(Minor is Required to Attend Court Licensing Ceremony)					
Court/Jurisdiction	Effective Date	Court/Jurisdiction	Effective Date	Court/Jurisdiction	Effective Date
Albemarle	07/01/2023	Falls Church	11/30/2020	Prince Edward	07/01/2025
Alexandria	12/09/2020	Floyd	07/01/2022	Pulaski	11/30/2020
Alleghany	10/16/2023	Fluvanna	07/01/2022	Roanoke County	12/09/2020
Amherst	11/30/2020	Franklin City	12/09/2020	Rockingham	12/11/2020
Appomattox	12/09/2020	<<<<<REVISION Galax County	01/01/2026 END REVISION>>>>>	Russell	07/01/2023
Arlington	11/30/2020	Giles	07/01/2024	Salem	12/09/2020
Augusta	11/30/2020	<<<<<REVISION Grayson County	01/01/2026 END REVISION>>>>>	Shenandoah	12/11/2020
Bedford	11/30/2020	Halifax	12/09/2020	Smyth	07/01/2023
Bland	07/01/2022	Harrisonburg	12/11/2020	Southampton	12/09/2020
Botetourt County	01/01/2025	Henrico	07/01/2025	Staunton	11/30/2020
Bristol	07/01/2023	Isle of Wight	12/09/2020	Suffolk	12/09/2020
Buchanan	07/01/2023	Lexington/Rockbridge	08/11/2023	Tazewell	07/01/2023
Buckingham	12/09/2020	Madison County	01/01/2025	Warren	12/11/2020
Caroline	11/30/2020	Mecklenburg	12/11/2020	Washington	07/01/2023
Carroll County	07/01/2025	Nelson	11/30/2020	Waynesboro	11/30/2020
Charlotte Courthouse	12/11/202	Nottoway	11/30/2020	Wythe	07/01/2022
Charlottesville	07/01/2023	Orange	11/30/2020		
Clark	12/11/2020	Page	12/11/202		
Cumberland	12/09/2020	Pittsylvania	07/01/2024		
Dickenson	07/01/2023				

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LICENSE MAILED DIRECTLY TO CUSTOMER					
(Minor is NOT required to attend the Court Licensing Ceremony OR Minor is required to attend a Court Licensing Ceremony in an ALTERNATIVE method.)					
Court/Jurisdiction	Effective Date	Court/Jurisdiction	Effective Date	Court/Jurisdiction	Effective Date
Accomack	07/01/2022	Goochland	11/30/2020	Northampton	07/01/2022
Amelia	07/01/2025	Greensville	12/02/2020	Northumberland	07/01/2025
Bath	11/30/2020	Hampton	11/20/2020	Newport News	11/30/2020
Brunswick	12/02/2020	Hanover	11/30/2020	Patrick	07/01/2025
Buena Vista	11/30/2020	Henry	07/01/2025	Petersburg	11/30/2020
Campbell County	07/07/2023	Highland	11/30/2020	Portsmouth	11/30/2020
Charles City	12/09/2020	Hopewell	12/02/2020	Powhatan	07/01/2025
Chesapeake	11/20/2020	King & Queen	12/09/2020	Prince George	12/02/2020
Chesterfield	07/01/2025	King George	07/01/2022	Prince William	11/30/2020
City of Richmond	11/30/2020	King William	12/09/2020	Radford	11/30/2020
Colonial Heights	11/30/2020	Lancaster	07/01/2025	Rappahannock	11/30/2020
Craig	11/30/2020	Lee	12/09/2020	Richmond County	07/01/2022
Culpeper	07/01/2025	Loudoun	11/30/2020	Roanoke City	12/09/2020
Danville	11/30/2020	Louisa	11/30/2020	Scott	07/01/2023
Dinwiddie	11/30/2020	Lunenburg	07/01/2024	Spotsylvania	02/01/2024
Emporia	12/02/2020	<<<<REVISION Lynchburg	01/01/2026 END REVISION>>>>	Stafford	11/30/2020
Essex	07/01/2025	Martinsville	07/01/2025	Surry	12/02/2020
Fairfax	12/09/2020	Mathews	12/09/2020	Sussex	12/02/2020
Fauquier	11/30/2020	Middlesex	12/09/2020	Virginia Beach	12/09/2020
Franklin	11/30/2020	Montgomery	11/30/2020	Westmoreland	07/02/2022
<<<<REVISION Frederick	01/01/2026 END REVISION>>>>	New Kent	12/09/2020	Williamsburg	12/09/2020
Fredericksburg	07/01/2022	Norfolk	11/30/2020	<<<<REVISION Winchester	01/01/2026 END REVISION>>>>
Gloucester	12/09/2020			Wise	12/09/2020
				York	12/09/2020