



# Town of Wallkill Police Department

## MEDIA RELEASE

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**For Immediate Release**  
**September 18, 2020**

**Incident:** Underage Drinking Initiative  
**Location:** Various locations within the Town of Wallkill  
**Date/Time:** September 17, 2020 between 5:00 pm - 9:00pm

On Thursday, September 17, 2020, members of the Town of Wallkill Police Department, Al Vance of the Town's Building Department, and Investigator Martin Rafferty from the New York State Liquor Authority, conducted an initiative to determine if retail businesses and restaurants were selling alcohol to minors.

The following individuals were arrested after being observed selling alcohol to a juvenile:

Elba A. Morales, 28 years -old, Bronx, NY resident, at JZ's Sports Bar, 130 Dolson Avenue.

Fazilabanu Jinwala, 39 years-old, Middletown, NY resident, at Quick Start, 465 Route 17M.

Each of the defendants were charged with Unlawfully Dealing with a Child and issued an appearance ticket to appear at the Town of Wallkill Court on October 8, 2020 at 9:00 am. Additionally, Quick Start was cited for three Building Code violations.

El Bandido, 536 East Main Street, was cited by the State Liquor Authority for serving alcohol without food in violation of New York's Executive Order on COVID-19.

This ongoing effort is meant to curb the illegal sale of alcoholic beverages to minors in the Town of Wallkill. The use of alcohol by minors is illegal and threatens their wellbeing while simultaneously having a detrimental impact on the quality of life in our Town. We will continue to work with our partners in the community to identify and address conditions that threaten the welfare of our youth or diminish the quality of life in the Town of Wallkill.

R. McLymore  
Lieutenant



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