# **Article 20-C Licensing Requirements**

### "Commercial" Wineries, Breweries, and Distilleries or

### "Farm" Wineries, Breweries, Cideries and Distilleries - Licensing Requirements

(Note: exempt Farm Cideries are manufacturers of hard cider only)

### Commercial Wineries, Breweries, Cideries and Distilleries

NYS Liquor Authority Website – License Type – "WINERY"

(i.e. Bully Hill Vineyards, Anheuser-Busch, FX Matt Brewing Co., etc.)

# Farm Wineries, Farm Breweries, Farm Cideries and Farm Distilleries

As designated by the New York State
Liquor Authority

NYS Liquor Authority Website – License Type – "FARM WINERY"

# Processing Other Foods

If the Farm Winery,
Brewery, Cidery or
Distillery processes any
other food items, an
Article 20-C Food
Processing License is
required
(i.e. selling grape juice)

## Selling Pre-Packaged Refrigerated Foods

If the Farm Winery,
Brewery, Cidery or
Distillery sells
packaged food
products requiring
refrigeration (i.e.
meats, certain cheeses,
etc.), an Article 28a
License may be
required

#### **License Required**

Article 20-C Food Processing
License Required
Inspection Required

# Winery, Brewery, Cidery or Distillery Operations Only

Article 20-C Exempt - No license required from the NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets GMP Inspection Only

### Offering Food Service

If the Farm Winery, Brewery, Cidery or Distillery serves food (i.e. **restaurant**, **banquet hall**, etc.) a permit from the local or regional Department of Health is required

Any separate buildings on the property of the winery, brewery, cidery or distillery used for food service (i.e. restaurant, banquet hall, café) would require a permit from the appropriate Department of Health.