



Cheers to 7 years!



It's been 7 incredible years since Dan & Joe founded Little Miami Brewing Company. Over the years we've shared amazing brews together, made unforgettable memories, and grown into a family. A huge thank you to our incredible staff and wonderful customers for 7 amazing years!

Here's to many more years of great beer and even greater memories at Little Miami Brewing Company. Cheers 🍻



Impact Beverage, a contract beverage manufacturer serving some of the most prominent and fastest-growing brands, expects to double its workforce and increase its footprint in the city of Cincinnati. The company is currently located in the former Taft Brewpourium space in Spring Grove Village. Photo by: Taft's Brewing Co.

By [Brian Planalp](#) – Staff reporter, Cincinnati Business Courier Dec 17, 2024

STORY HIGHLIGHTS

- Impact Beverage plans to create 65 new full-time jobs.
- The company received an eight-year Job Creation Tax Credit.
- Expansion includes new machinery and increased production capacity.

A growing Cincinnati-based beverage maker will go on a hiring spree with the expectation of doubling in size over the next several years. Impact Beverage, a contract manufacturer of canned cocktails, energy drinks and non-alcoholic drinks, currently employs around 60 in Cincinnati's Spring Grove Village neighborhood. The company expects to create 65 new full-time jobs, totaling \$4.6 million in annual payroll, and add 10,000 square feet to its production facility, according to a media release from [JobsOhio](#) and REDI Cincinnati, a regional economic development organization.

Impact Beverage, through DSWDWK LLC, received approval Dec. 13 from the Ohio Tax Credit Authority for an eight-year, 1.402% Job Creation Tax Credit. It plans to install a new pasteurization line, enhance canning capabilities, increase automation and make packaging improvements as part of a "substantial" but undefined investment in new machinery and equipment, according to the release. The company is currently located in the former Taft's Brewpourium building.

[Taft's Brewpourium closed in early December](#) following Taft Brewing Co.'s acquisition by Cincinnati Beverage Co., or CinBev, the [SugarCreek-backed parent company of a growing number of Cincinnati brands](#) including Little Kings, Christian Moerlein, Hudepohl and Burger.

Dave Kassling, co-founder and managing partner of Taft's Brewing Co., is now managing partner of Impact Beverage, which launched in 2021 and is not affiliated with CinBev.

According to the tax credit award, Impact Beverage will expand the company's existing facility and lease new space for increased production capacity. Moreover, Markiea Carter, director of the city of Cincinnati's Department of Community and Economic Development, said in the release the company's growth and investment will occur in Spring Grove Village. But it remains unclear whether the company will remain in the former Brewpourium building or seek options elsewhere in the neighborhood. Kassling told the *Business Courier* he could not comment on the location of the new jobs and/or investments, nor does the release specify the location. The city is working with Impact Beverage on a local incentive package, and JobsOhio plans to offer additional assistance, according to the release.

"It is a key City development goal to work in alignment with partners like REDI Cincinnati to ensure locally grown companies like Impact Beverage can continue calling our city home for years to come," Carter said in the release. Kimm Lauterbach, REDI Cincinnati president and CEO, noted in the release the company's expansion adds to Greater Cincinnati's thriving \$3.5 billion food, flavoring and beverage sector. "This announcement demonstrates our region's rich legacy and supportive ecosystem, offering access to raw materials and brand and package development expertise to advanced data analytics and strategic placement on store shelves," she said.

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Luminati

Helles Lager - (5.2% ABV)



Kölsch

German Style Ale - (4.7% ABV)

Kallima

Coffee Cream Ale - (4.8% ABV)

Mystic

English Pale Ale - (5.1% ABV)

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White Stout - (5.2% ABV)

Paraiso

Mexican Lager - (4.7% ABV)

Hoppy

Lotus

West Coast IPA (6.5% ABV)

Karma

Double IPA - (8.2% ABV)

Odyssey

NEIPA - (6.5% ABV)

Dark

Phantasm

Baltic Porter - (6.3% ABV)

Dahlia

Brown Ale - (5.3% ABV)

Arcane

Amber Ale - (5% ABV)

Virtue NEW!

Belgian Dubbel (6.8% ABV)

Restivus

Belgian Festivus Ale (7.5% ABV)



Coffee Blonde Ale 5.5% ABV

Dripping in aromatics of coconut, honey, and fresh vanilla blended together in a fresh cup of your favorite morning coffee, this coffee blonde showcases the best of beer and coffee with a silky body and luscious caramel creme flavors. Undercurrents of coconut cream pie and toasted pie crust this 5% banger is not to be trifled with.



[4003 Eastern Ave, Cincinnati, OH 45226](https://www.streetsidebrewery.com/)

Streetside Brewery was built on the site of the East End Café at 4003 Eastern Ave. Established in 1887, the East End Café was considered among the oldest continuously operated live music bars in Cincinnati until a fire closed its doors permanently in 2010. Streetside Brewery is proud to breathe new life into the corner of Eastern Avenue and McCullough Street and the East End and Columbia-Tusculum communities.

The taproom not only serves a diverse selection of Streetside Brewery's exceptional craft beer, interesting guest taps and wine, but it also serves as a gathering place for the community and a destination for all lovers of craft beer. And yes, we are family friendly.



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