STATES AND LOCALITIES THAT HAVE RAISED THE MINIMUM LEGAL SALE AGE FOR TOBACCO PRODUCTS TO 21

As of May 13, 2019, thirteen states – Arkansas, California, Delaware, Hawaii, Illinois, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Oregon, Utah, Virginia and Washington– have raised the tobacco sale age to 21, along with at least 450 localities, including New York City, Chicago, San Antonio, Boston, Cleveland, Minneapolis, both Kansas Cities and Washington, DC. Some of the localities are in states that subsequently enacted statewide laws. The strength of state and local laws, such as their enforcement and penalties, varies substantially.

States

Hawaii (effective 1/1/16)
California (effective 6/9/16)
New Jersey (effective 11/1/17)
Oregon (effective 1/1/18)
Maine (effective 7/1/18)
Massachusetts (effective 12/31/18)
Illinois (effective 7/1/19)
Virginia (effective 7/1/19)
Delaware (effective 7/16/19)
Arkansas (effective 9/1/19)
Maryland (effective 10/1/19)
Washington (effective 1/1/20)
Utah (effective 7/1/21)

Localities

Alaska (1)
1. Sitka

Arizona (2)
1. Cottonwood
2. Douglas

Arkansas (3)
1. Harrison
2. Helena/West Helena
3. Phillips County

California (16)[1]
1. Arvin
2. Elk Grove
3. Fairfax
4. Healdsburg
5. Kern County
6. Los Gatos
7. Novato
8. Palo Alto
9. San Francisco City/Ctny
10. Santa Clara County
11. Santa Cruz County

California (cont'd)
12. Saratoga
13. Scotts Valley
14. Sonoma County
15. South El Monte
16. South Pasadena

Colorado (6)
1. Aspen
2. Avon
3. Basalt
4. Carbondale
5. Edgewater
6. Snowmass

Connecticut (8)
1. Bridgeport
2. Hartford
3. Meriden
4. Milford
5. Southington
6. South Windsor
7. Trumbull
8. Wallingford

Florida (1)
1. Alachua County

Hawaii (1)
1. Hawaii County

Illinois (35)
1. Arlington Heights
2. Aurora
3. Barrington
4. Berwyn
5. Bolingbrook
6. Buffalo Grove
7. Chicago
8. Cook County
9. Deerfield
10. Des Plaines
11. Elgin
12. Elk Grove
13. Evanston
14. Glen Ellyn
15. Gurnee
16. Highland Park
17. Hoffman Estates
18. Hopkins Park

Illinois (cont'd)
19. Lake County[2]
20. Lake Zurich
21. Lincolnshire
22. Maywood
23. Mundelein
24. Naperville
25. Normal
26. Oak Park
27. Peoria
28. Riverwoods
29. Rolling Meadows
30. Skokie
31. Vernon Hills
32. Washington
33. West Chicago
34. Wheaton
35. Wilmette

Kansas (22)
1. Bonner Springs
2. Douglas County[2]
3. Garden City
4. Holcomb
5. Iola
6. Johnson County[2]
7. Kansas City/Wyandotte Cty
8. Lansing
9. Leavenworth
10. Leawood
11. Lenexa
12. Merriam
13. Mission Hills
14. Olathe
15. Overland Park
16. Parsons
17. Prairie Village
18. Roeland Park
19. Shawnee County[2]
20. Topeka[3]
21. Westwood Hills
22. Westwood

Maine (1)
1. Portland

Massachusetts (237) [4]
1. Acton
2. Acushnet
3. Adams
4. Agawam
5. Amesbury
6. Amherst
7. Andover
8. Arlington
9. Ashburnham

Massachusetts (cont'd)
10. Ashby
11. Ashland
12. Athol
13. Attleboro
14. Avon
15. Ayer
16. Barnstable
17. Bedford
18. Belchertown
19. Bellingham
20. Belmont
21. Beverly
22. Billerica
23. Blackstone
24. Bolton
25. Boston
26. Bourne
27. Braintree
28. Brewster
29. Bridgewater
30. Brimfield
31. Brockton
32. Brookline
33. Buckland
34. Burlington
35. Cambridge
36. Canton
37. Carver
38. Charlemont
39. Chatham
40. Chelmsford
41. Chelsea
42. Chicopee
43. Chilmark
44. Clinton
45. Cohasset
46. Concord
47. Conway
48. Dalton
49. Danvers
50. Dartmouth
51. Dedham
52. Deerfield
53. Dighton
54. Dover
55. Dracut
56. Duxbury
57. East Longmeadow
58. Eastham
59. Easthampton
60. Easton
61. Edgartown
62. Egremont
63. Essex
64. Everett

Massachusetts (cont'd)
65. Fairhaven
66. Fall River
67. Falmouth
68. Fitchburg
69. Foxboro
70. Framingham
71. Franklin
72. Georgetown
73. Gill
74. Gloucester
75. Grafton
76. Great Barrington
77. Greenfield
78. Groton
79. Hadley
80. Halifax
81. Hamilton
82. Hanover
83. Harvard
84. Harwich
85. Hatfield
86. Haverhill
87. Heath
88. Hingham
89. Hinsdale
90. Holbrook
91. Holden
92. Holliston
93. Holyoke
94. Hopedale
95. Hopkinton
96. Hubbard
97. Hudson
98. Hull
99. Ipswich
100. Kingston
101. Lancaster
102. Lanesborough
103. Lawrence
104. Lee
105. Lenox
106. Leominster
107. Leverett
108. Lexington
109. Lincoln
110. Littleton
111. Longmeadow
112. Lowell
113. Ludlow
114. Lynn
115. Lynnfield
116. Malden
117. Manchester
118. Mansfield
119. Marblehead

Massachusetts (cont'd)
120. Marion
121. Marlborough
122. Marshfield
123. Mashpee
124. Maynard
125. Medfield
126. Medford
127. Medway
128. Melrose
129. Mendon
130. Methuen
131. Middleton
132. Milford
133. Millbury
134. Millis
135. Milton
136. Montague
137. Nantucket
138. Natick
139. Needham
140. New Bedford
141. Newton
142. Norfolk
143. North Adams
144. North Andover
145. North Attleboro
146. Northborough
147. Northbridge
148. Northampton
149. North Reading
150. Norton
151. Norwell
152. Norwood
153. Oak Bluffs
154. Orange
155. Orleans
156. Otis
157. Oxford
158. Palmer
159. Peabody
160. Pembroke
161. Pittsfield
162. Plainville
163. Plymouth
164. Provincetown
165. Quincy
166. Randolph
167. Raynham
168. Reading
169. Revere
170. Rockland
171. Rockport
172. Rowley
173. Rutland
174. Salem

Massachusetts (cont'd)
175. Salisbury
176. Saugus
177. Scituate
178. Sharon
179. Sheffield
180. Shelburne
181. Sherborn
182. Shrewsbury
183. Somerville
184. South Hadley
185. Southampton
186. Southborough
187. Southbridge
188. Southwick
189. Spencer
190. Springfield
191. Stockbridge
192. Stoneham
193. Stoughton
194. Stow
195. Sturbridge
196. Sudbury
197. Sunderland
198. Sutton
199. Swampscott
200. Swansea
201. Taunton
202. Templeton
203. Tewksbury
204. Tisbury
205. Topsfield
206. Townsend
207. Tyngsboro
208. Uxbridge
209. Wakefield
210. Walpole
211. Waltham
212. Wareham
213. Watertown
214. Wayland
215. Wellesley
216. Wellfleet
217. Wenham
218. Westboro
219. West Boylston
220. Westfield
221. Westford
222. Weston
223. Westport
224. West Tisbury
225. Westwood
226. Weymouth
227. Whately
228. Whitman
229. Wilbraham

Massachusetts (cont'd)
230. Williamstown
231. Wilmington
232. Winchendon
233. Winchester
234. Winthrop
235. Woburn
236. Worcester
237. Yarmouth

Michigan (2)
1. Ann Arbor
2. Genesee County[3]

Minnesota (32)
1. Albert Lea
2. Arden Hills
3. Austin
4. Beltrami County
5. Bemidji
6. Bloomington
7. Brooklyn Center
8. Duluth
9. Eden Prairie
10. Edina
11. Excelsior
12. Falcon Heights
13. Hermantown
14. Isanti County
15. Lauderdale
16. Little Canada
17. Mendota Heights
18. Minneapolis
19. Minnetonka
20. North Mankato
21. North Oaks
22. Olmsted County
23. Otter Tail County
24. Plymouth
25. Pope County
26. Richfield
27. Robbinsdale
28. Roseville
29. Shoreview
30. St. Louis Park
31. St. Peter
32. Waseca

Mississippi (1)
1. Adams County[2]

Missouri (17)
1. Columbia
2. Crestwood
3. Des Peres
4. Excelsior Springs

Missouri (cont'd)
5. Gladstone
6. Grandview
7. Independence
8. Jackson County[2]
9. Jefferson City
10. Kansas City
11. Lee's Summit
12. Liberty
13. Parkville
14. Peculiar
15. Raymore
16. St. Louis City
17. St. Louis County

New Hampshire (2)
1. Dover
2. Keene

New Jersey (28)
1. Belleville
2. Bergenfield
3. Bloomingdale
4. Bogota
5. Bradley Beach
6. Cedar Grove
7. East Orange
8. East Rutherford
9. Englewood
10. Fairlawn
11. Garfield
12. Haledon
13. Hanover
14. Highland Park
15. Maplewood
16. Oradell
17. Paterson
18. Princeton
19. Raritan
20. Rutherford
21. Sayreville
22. Teaneck
23. Tenafly
24. Trenton
25. Union City
26. West Orange
27. Westwood
28. Wyckoff

New York (25)
1. Albany County
2. Baxter Estates
3. Cattaraugus County
4. Chautauqua County
5. Cortland County
6. Essex County

New York (cont'd)
7. Great Neck Plaza
8. Hempstead
9. Long Beach
10. Nassau County
11. New Castle
12. New York City
13. North Hempstead
14. Onondaga County
15. Orange County
16. Port Washington North
17. Putnam County
18. Rockland County
19. Schenectady County
20. Suffolk County
21. Sullivan County
22. Tompkins County
23. Ulster County
24. Westchester County
25. Williston Park

Ohio (23)
1. Akron
2. Bexley
3. Cincinnati
4. Cleveland
5. Cleveland Heights
6. Columbus
7. Dublin
8. Euclid
9. Grandview Heights
10. Green
11. Kent
12. Lakewood
13. Mogadore
14. New Albany
15. Newburgh Heights
16. Norton
17. Powell
18. Richfield
19. Summit County[2]
20. Twinsburg
21. Upper Arlington
22. Wickliffe
23. Worthington

Oregon (1)
1. Lane County

Rhode Island (2)
1. Barrington[3]
2. Central Falls

Texas (3)
1. Kirby
2. Leon Valley
3. San Antonio

Utah (2)
1. Cedar Hills
2. Lehi

Washington, DC

US Territories
1. Guam

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[1]CA localities courtesy of ANR
[2] Only applies to unincorporated areas of the County
[3]Challenged in court
[4] MA localities courtesy of the Municipal Tobacco Control Technical Assistance Program