

Central District:

#5 Madhatters -

Central District does not support the capacity increase.

During the spring semester this year, this establishment was over capacity on several occasions. The Central CPT team provided the following synopsis regarding case # 14-62696

Madhatters(14-62696)- Over capacity again upstairs (241 and 259 on two separate counts). They also had another 43 in the downstairs. They did not have a bouncer stationed at the stairs monitoring upstairs capacity. I only saw 1 bouncer at the door and 2 walking the crowd but they had at least 5 bartenders working. It looked as if there were some underagers as well but most slipped into the bathrooms upon our arrival. Next weekend we will go through with our full team to focus on underage and capacity. We will also use patrol to supplement our team. Ted was not present but I talked with one of the managers to alert her of the continued capacity problem.

There is also the attachment of prosecution regarding illegalling procuring alcohol for the business, not having a license bar tender on premise and failing to post liquor license on premise.

There have also been conversations with Ted regarding choke points in the upstairs portion of the establishment. These are caused by the design of the bar related to the stairs.

Given all of these issues, Central District does not support a capacity increase for this establishment.