

## Question about ethics of selling Trump wine in national parks

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Dear Dr Painter -

My name is Natalie and I'm a reporter at Refinery29. We recently spotted a story about Trump wine being sold at a national park in the Shenandoah Valley, in a store operated by a company called Delaware North.

<http://thehill.com/policy/energy-environment/361463-national-park-store-sold-trump-wine-says-feds-werent-involved>

They've since pulled it. But I was wondering if you could comment on the ethical implications of this, given that Trump wine is owned by Eric Trump? Does the fact that it's a third-party seller and not NPS as the purveyor change anything at all?

Thanks so much, looking forward to hearing from you!

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