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Element Eatery Announces Robert James Distillery to Anchor Tap Room and Beer Garden

MADISONVILLE, Ohio (September 8, 2022) – Element Eatery is excited to announce Robert James Distillery as manager of the 48-tap bar and brewstillery at the highly anticipated food hall when it opens later this month.

Everyone will find something to toast with, as RJ Taproom will serve a wide variety of beverages, both alcoholic and non-alcoholic. The bar will serve the Robert James Distillery line of craft distilled spirits in an expansive menu of curated cocktails, like a blackberry peach martini, a blackberry sour, a proper old fashioned and a delectably savory Bloody Mary made with RJ Horseradish Vodka. Guests will also find an extensive selection of essential domestic and international spirits.

For those visiting Element Eatery on their lunch break or for anyone who wants to enjoy a craft beverage without the alcohol, RJ Taproom will also feature a line of non-alcoholic craft mocktails. Sip on a blackberry basil lemonade or a peach fauxlini.

The 48 taps will be put to good use, serving a range of local and regional craft beers, as well as favorite domestic and international beers. There really is something for everyone at RJ Taproom.

“We are thrilled to bring the Robert James Distillery team onboard at Element Eatery. We have a great lineup of chefs, and now we have an excellent entrepreneurial group creating a taproom-feel around our bar,” says Tyler Troendle, managing director of AT Hospitality LLC, developer of the food hall.

Not only will RJ Taproom serve their spirits and beer, but the team will also offer barrel-aged beer and distill spirits onsite. With one of the region's only iStills, the Robert James Distillery team can use the state-of-the-art technology to distill a wide variety of spirits in a smaller physical space.

“We look forward to the opportunity to grow the Robert James brand and operate the taproom at Element Eatery. With extensive insight, planning, and investment by the Element Eatery development team, as well as the eclectic array of food vendors, we’re happy to start on the ground level of this burgeoning development,” says Bob Slattery, owner of Robert James Distillery.

Follow along with the dining destination on Instagram, Facebook and Twitter @ElementEatery as the team counts down to opening day, coming in late September 2022. For more information, visit element-eatery.com.

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About Element Eatery

Element Eatery is distinctly Cincinnati while offering new and ever-evolving culinary experiences to all guests. Located in Madisonville, OH, guests will find what they're looking for, whether that's a quiet space to meet with a colleague or the next Friday night hangout for the friend group. Element Eatery hosts eight varied food experiences, so guests enjoy incredible food in an inspiring, 34,500 square foot space with seating for more than 400 inside, and 150+ on three outdoor terraces. The eatery is designed by Gresham Smith and built by Skanska USA. Both firms worked on the 5th & Broadway project in Nashville that houses The Assembly, Nashville's newest food hall. Element Eatery is managed by AT Hospitality LLC.

About Robert James Brands:

The Robert James Brand includes a craft distillery and production facility located in Norwood. They feature a full suite of distinctive spirits, like a Bourvin Bourbon Whiskey finished in wine barrels, a Blackberry Vodka and a Horseradish Vodka. The distillery's sister company, RJ Distillery & Taproom, is a one-of-a-kind cinema, distillery, and taproom located in Eastgate. The brewstillery and taproom at Element Eatery will be their third Cincinnati location.