

Wilcox Ice Cream

Manchester, VT



The Wilcox family has been manufacturing ice cream since 1928. They are the oldest manufacturer of ice cream in Vermont. An accidental fire destroyed their production and distribution facility. Currently, they rent a production room three hours from their distribution site. The facility that they use is only available one day a week. During the summer season they cannot meet the demands of their customers and have to buy out of state products to keep customers supplied. Their ice cream mix is from St. Albans Creamery. Wilcox Ice Cream is also a distributor of numerous products including many other Vermont products and the WIC program. Wilcox Ice Cream plans to construct a production room for their new manufacturing and distribution facility.

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