



USA: Big Y to add new c-store, fuel station

Big Y opened its first convenience store and gas station in Lee in 2013.

Big Y plans to open this fall its 10th Big Y express gas station and convenience store in Manchester, Connecticut.

The other nine can be found in Lee, Pittsfield, Hadley, Longmeadow, Wilbraham, South Hadley, Springfield, Chicopee, and Stafford Springs, Connecticut.

In a news release on Tuesday, Big Y said the store will have 2,575 square feet of space.

Inside, the store will sell coffee, milk, bread, cold beverages, candy, snacks, tobacco products, lottery, and ice, fresh muffins and donuts, fresh grab-and-go sandwiches and salads.

"We are excited to not only help our customers save on their fueling needs but also make life easier by offering convenience items that our customers can grab on the run," said Big Y's president and chief operating officer Charles L. D'Amour.

Big Y operates 81 locations throughout Massachusetts and Connecticut including 70 supermarkets, Fresh Acres Market, Table & Vine Fine Wines and Liquors and 10 Big Y Express gas and convenience locations with more than 11,000 employees.