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**City Council**

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**Notice of Motion**

MM47.6	ACTION			Ward: 15
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**Liquor Licence Application- 1962 Eglinton Avenue West - Grant's Oasis Café and Restaurant - by Councillor Moscoe, seconded by Councillor Palacio**

*\* Notice of this Motion has been given.*

*\* This Motion is subject to referral to the North York Community Council. A two thirds vote is required to waive referral.*

*\* This Motion relates to an Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario Hearing and has been deemed urgent.*

**Recommendations**

Councillor Moscoe, seconded by Councillor Palacio, recommends that:

1. City Council direct the City Clerk to advise the Registrar of the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario ("AGCO") that the issuance of a liquor licence for an indoor capacity of 44 persons for Grant's Oasis Café and Restaurant, 1962 Eglinton Avenue West ("Premises") is not in the public interest having regard to the needs and wishes of the residents and that the Registrar should issue a Proposal to Review the liquor licence application.
2. City Council direct the City Clerk to advise the Registrar of the AGCO that the issuance of a liquor licence for the Premises for an outdoor capacity of 20 persons should not be issued as it is not in the public interest having regard to the needs and wishes of the residents and that the Registrar should issue a Proposal to Refuse the liquor licence application.
3. The AGCO be requested to provide the City of Toronto with an opportunity to participate in any proceedings with respect to the Premises.
4. The City Solicitor be authorized to attend all proceedings before the AGCO in this matter and be directed to take all necessary actions so as to give effect to this Motion, including adding conditions to any liquor licence issued for the Premises, in consultation with the Ward Councillor.

**Summary**

The Councillor of Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence sent a notice to the residents in the vicinity of Hartley Avenue to advise them that the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario ("AGCO") received an application for a liquor licence by Hartley's Bistro Inc., operating as Grant's Oasis Café and Restaurant at 1962 Eglinton Avenue West ("Premises"). The application is for an indoor capacity of 44 persons and an outdoor capacity of 20 persons.

The Registrar of the AGCO should be requested to issue a Proposal to Review the liquor licence application with respect to the indoor capacity. Issues such as security, noise, litter and safety of the patrons, public and staff should be addressed and appropriate conditions attached to the licence.

The Registrar of the AGCO should be requested to issue a Proposal to Refuse the liquor licence application with respect to the outdoor capacity. Concerns about the effects of the outdoor patio on the neighbourhood include noise, litter, rowdiness, loitering and public safety. The application for the outdoor capacity is not in the public interest having regard to the needs and wishes of the residents.

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