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To: Toronto and East York Community Council

From: Councillor Gord Perks

**RE: AGCO Liquor Licence Application-Change to Existing Licence
New Outdoor -1704 Queen Street West**

SUMMARY:

Local Kitchen and Wine Bar Inc. has submitted an application for a change to the existing liquor licence to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (“AGCO”) for the premises at 1704 Queen Street West. This motion requests that Toronto and East York Community Council recommend that City Council advise the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (the “AGCO”) that this application for a change to liquor licence is not in the public interest.

The change to the existing liquor licence (new Outdoor) is a request to licence an outdoor patio. Presently, the installation of a patio at this location would contravene the City's zoning by law.

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RECOMMENDATIONS:

It is recommended that:

1) Toronto and East York Community Council recommend that City Council direct the City Clerk to advise the Registrar of the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (the “AGCO”) that the issuance of a change to liquor licence (New Outdoor) for the Local Kitchen and Wine Bar at 1704 Queen Street West is not in the public interest and that the Registrar should issue a Proposal to Review the liquor licence application;

2) Toronto and East York Community Council recommend to City Council that the AGCO be requested to provide the City of Toronto with an opportunity to participate in any proceedings with respect to the Premises; and

3) Toronto and East York Community Council recommend to City Council that 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.

Thank you for your support,

Gord Perks

City Councillor, Ward 14 Parkdale – High Park