

NOTICE OF MOTION

Outdoor Liquor License Application- 1474 St. Clair Ave West-Glamour Bar

Moved by: Councillor Cesar Palacio

Seconded by: Councillor Mark Grimes

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Councillor Cesar Palacio, seconded by Councillor Mark Grimes, recommends that: Etobicoke York Community Council adopts the following:

- City Council direct the City Clerk to advise the Registrar of the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario ("AGCO") that the liquor licence application for Glamour Bar, 1474 St. Clair Ave West (the "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 requests the Licence Appeal Tribunal ("LAT") to provide the City with an opportunity to be made a party in any proceedings with respect to the Premises.
- 3. City Council authorize the City Solicitor to attend all proceedings before the LAT in this matter and direct the City Solicitor to take all necessary actions so as to give effect to Council's decision, including adding and deleting conditions to any liquor licence issued for the Premises, in consultation with the Ward Councillor, which address issues including, but not limited to, noise, safety, security personnel, security cameras, crowd control, signage, lighting and litter.

SUMMARY:

An application for an outdoor liquor licence has been made to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario ("AGCO") for the premise at 1474 St. Clair Avenue West operating under the name Glamour Bar (the "Premises").

For the past few months, residents have been kept awake over most weekends, public holidays and long weekends due to loud music emanating from this establishment. Since the restaurant opened, it has been operating similar to a nightclub rather than a restaurant or bar.

Currently, ongoing problems include loud music, crowd control, loitering, urinating in public, fights, patron's double parking and blasting music from their vehicles and people drinking outside the premises. These are all very serious issues that the nearby residents should not have to endure and will only get worse if an outside patio with a liquor license is granted.

The Premises is located in very close proximity to residential properties and there is great concern that the establishment will be very disruptive for residents in the area. This application for a liquor licence is not in the public interest and must be turned down.

Date: June 11, 2013