

City Council

Notice of Motion

MM36.19	ACTION			Ward:18
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**Liquor Licence - 1120 College Street West - Tavoos Licence No. 813050
- by Councillor Ana Bailão, seconded by Councillor Mike Layton**

** Notice of this Motion has been given.*

** This Motion is subject to referral to the Toronto and East 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 Ana Bailão, seconded by Councillor Mike Layton, recommends that:

1. 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 Tavoos, 1120 College Street West (the “Premises”), is not in the public interest having regard to the needs and wishes of the residents because of their concerns about public safety, noise, litter and other disturbances, and that the Registrar should issue a Proposal to Review the liquor licence application.
2. City Council request 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 this Motion, including adding and deleting conditions to any liquor licence issued for the Premises, in consultation with the Ward Councillor, which address the concerns of the community.

Summary

1714509 Ontario Ltd. has submitted an application for a new liquor licence to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (“AGCO”) for a premises at 1120 College Street West operating under the name Tavoos (the “Premises”). The applicant is seeking a liquor licence for an indoor capacity of 30 patrons.

The Premises is located in close proximity to residential properties and may impact these neighbouring residents. The residents' concerns relate to noise, litter, safety and other potential disturbances. There is a high concentration of licenced establishments on this section of

College Street and the residents are concerned about the impacts from the high concentration of liquor licences.

This application for a liquor licence is not in the public interest unless certain conditions, addressing the concerns of the community, are attached to the licence. Issues that must be addressed include, but are not limited to, safety of the public, noise, litter, lighting and potential disturbances to residents in the area.

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Background Information (City Council)

Member Motion MM36.19