City Council

Notice of Motion

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Non-objection to Issuance of a Manufacturer's Limited Liquor Sales Licence for Craft Brewers Coalition Inc. - by Councillor Michael Thompson, seconded by Councillor Mike Layton

Recommendations

Councillor Michael Thompson, seconded by Councillor Mike Layton, recommends that:

1. City Council advise the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario that it has no objection to the application from Craft Brewers Coalition Inc. (also known as Common Good Beer Co.), 475 Ellesmere Road, for a Manufacturer's Limited Liquor Sales Licence, and direct the City Clerk to advise the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario accordingly.

Summary

The owners of Craft Brewers Coalition Inc. have applied to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario for a Manufacturer's Limited Liquor Sales Licence. The licence would enable the company to sell and serve their products at the brewery. The brewery's goal is to educate consumers, promote its products and enhance the "customer experience" of visitors touring the facility.

Provincial legislation states that "only Ontario wineries and breweries which hold a Manufacturer's Licence (issued pursuant to the Liquor Licence Act) are eligible for this licence. This allows Ontario wineries and breweries to sell and serve wine or beer which it has manufactured in servings whose quantities do not exceed 341 ml (12 oz) for beer and 142 ml (5 oz) for Ontario wine. Beer or wine may only be sold between 11:00 a.m. and 9 p.m. on any day. These hours may not be extended and no liquor sales licence endorsements are available for this type of sales licence."

The Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario requires City Council approval of a Non-Objection resolution prior to the issuance of a Manufacturer's Limited Liquor Sales Licence.

Background Information (City Council)

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^{*} Notice of this Motion has been given.

^{*} This Motion is subject to referral to the Scarborough Community Council. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.

^{*} This Motion relates to an Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario matter and has been deemed urgent.