

City Council

Motion without Notice

MM35.38	ACTION			Ward:11
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1824 Jane Street - Liquor Licence for Jasmin's Grill - by Councillor Frances Nunziata, seconded by Councillor Mark Grimes

** This Motion has been deemed urgent by the Chair.*

** This Motion is not subject to a vote to waive referral. This Motion has been added to the agenda and is before Council for debate.*

Recommendations

Councillor Frances Nunziata, seconded by Councillor Mark Grimes, recommends that:

1. City Council direct the City Clerk to advise the Registrar of the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario that the liquor licence application for the premises at 1824 Jane Street, operating under the name "Jasmin's Grill" ("Premises") is not in the public interest and that the Registrar should issue a Proposal to Review the liquor licence application.
2. City Council request the Licence Appeal Tribunal 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 Licence Appeal Tribunal in this matter and City Council direct the City Solicitor to take all necessary action 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.

Summary

An application for a liquor licence has been submitted to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario for the premises at 1824 Jane Street, operating under the name "Jasmin's Grill" ("Premises"). The application is for a new establishment with an indoor seating capacity of 35 persons. This Motion requests that City Council advise the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario that this application for a liquor licence is not in the public interest unless certain conditions are attached to the licence.

The Premises is located in close proximity to residential units. There are concerns in the community that an establishment with a liquor licence can cause noise and disturbance to residents in the area. If conditions are put in place, these concerns may be mitigated. Under no circumstance should the establishment be granted a liquor sales licence without conditions attached.

This Motion is urgent as the deadline to submit comments to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario in response to this application is December 17, 2017.

Background Information (City Council)

Member Motion MM35.38