



City of Joliet

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Re: Addendum to Council Memo 207-25

On March 18, 2025 the above listed resolution was removed from the regularly scheduled City Council meeting although the resolution was posted on the agenda for that meeting. The resolution was removed from the agenda as the Liquor Commissioner's Office received additional information regarding the potential transfer of the liquor license at 926 Gardner Street that required further review.

Since March 18, 2025, I have spoken with the applicant in person and visited the applicant's proposed place of business located at 926 Gardner Street. I observed the layout and operation of the business and looked closer at the surrounding areas. I have discussed additional security measures that will be taken by the applicant to mitigate any potential issues with the property. The immediate area surrounding the business is primarily residential.

Based upon the above additional information, I have reconsidered my opinion regarding the impact of the issuance of a class B Liquor License upon the surrounding area and the City of Joliet as a whole. It is my opinion that the issuance of the class B Liquor License located at the proposed business located at 926 Gardner Street will have a positive impact on the surrounding area and the City of Joliet as a whole. I support the issuance of a Class B Liquor License for Tony Bar & Grill and intend to vote "no" on Council Memo 207A-25.

Terry D'Arcy

City of Joliet Liquor Commissioner