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Re: Addendum to Council Memo 551-24

On November 19th, 2024 the above listed resolution was heard at the regularly scheduled City Council meeting with my recommendation to deny the application. At this meeting, the Resolution was tabled to obtain further information.

Since November 19, 2024, I have spoken with the applicant in person and visited the applicant's proposed place of business located at 1411 Riverboat Center Drive. I observed the layout and operation of the business and looked closer at the surrounding areas. The immediate area surrounding the business is primarily industrial and includes commercial development in the area between the proposed place of business and residential neighborhoods.

Based upon the above additional information, I have reconsidered my opinion regarding the impact of the issuance of a class CG Liquor License upon the surrounding area and the City of Joliet as a whole. It is my opinion that the issuance of the class CG Liquor License located at the proposed business located at 1411 Riverboat Center Drive is in the best interest of the City of Joliet. I support the issuance of a Class CG Liquor License for Riverboat Gas & Food and intend to vote "no" on Council Memo 551-24.

City of Joliet Liquor Commissioner