

## **City Council Agenda Summary Sheet (Non Purchases)**

**Agenda No:** 2004-0039 Revised Liquor License Ordinance  
**Date:** April 27, 2004  
**Prepared By:** Melinda Hill, Chairperson AIS Committee  
**City File No:** N/A

**Meeting Date:** May 5, 2004

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### **PURPOSE:**

Administration and Information Services Committee (AIS) recommends City Council approve the proposed amendments to Section 6-38 of Chapter 6, Alcoholic Liquor, to modify and add factors to be considered by City Council in processing liquor license applications, repeal conflicting ordinances, and prescribe a penalty for violations.

### **DISCUSSION:**

City Council at its Regular Meeting of May 7, 2003 adopted Resolution A0647-2003-R0168 placing a moratorium on New, Future Class C Liquor Licenses through December 31, 2003 and directed the AIS Committee review the current standards used for recommending approval or disapproval of New Class C Liquor License, to research this issue and provide a recommendation to City Council regarding proposed changes to standards and processes currently in place.

The AIS Committee reviewed and discussed this issue at its July 15, 2003 and August 5, 2003 (minutes attached) and provided information, based on our discussion to John Staran for an ordinance amendment. In addition the AIS Committee requested the Building Department review the bulleted items listed in the July 15, 2003 minutes and provide their feedback to Mr. Staran.

Upon receipt of this information, Mr. Staran prepared a draft amendment to the Liquor License Ordinance, which was reviewed and discussed at the December 2, 2003. The Committee then returned the proposed draft to Mr. Staran for additional changes and modification incorporating the suggestions and questions listed in the minutes of the December 2, 2003 meeting (attached).

An updated draft was reviewed at the AIS February 3, 2004 meeting and the Committee took the following action:

Resolved that the Administrative & Information Services Committee recommends that City Council accept for First Reading an ordinance to amend Section 6-38 of Chapter 6, Alcoholic Liquor, to modify and add factors to be considered by City Council in processing liquor license applications, repeal conflicting ordinances, and prescribe a penalty for violations.

### **FISCAL INFORMATION:**

N/A

**RECOMMENDATION:**

The AIS Committee requests City Council to concur with their recommendation to accept for First Reading an ordinance to amend Section 6-38 of Chapter 6, Alcoholic Liquor, to modify and add factors to be considered by City Council in processing liquor license applications, repeal conflicting ordinances, and prescribe a penalty for violations.

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**RESOLUTION**

**NEXT AGENDA ITEM**

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