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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL ONLY**

Ms. Jane Leslie, Clerk  
City of Rochester Hills  
1000 Rochester Hills Drive  
Rochester Hills, Michigan 48307

**Re: Los Cuatros Amigos, Inc. d/b/a Los Cuatros Amigos  
870 S. Rochester Road, Rochester Hills, Michigan  
Application for Quota Class C Liquor License**

Dear Ms. Leslie:

As you know, I appeared before the Technical Liquor License Review Committee on Monday, May 7<sup>th</sup> to present Los Cuatros Amigos, Inc.'s request for a Quota Class C License.

A concern raised at the meeting was the City's position and/or progress on pursuing licenses under the new law MCL 436.1521a(1), which was formerly referred to as Senate Bill 162, which I now refer to as the Development District Act ("The Development District Act"). As you know, the Development District Act allows cities, under certain circumstances, to authorize On-Premise licenses in addition to the City's quota licenses.

It is my understanding that the City is investigating the process by which it can authorize Licenses under The Development District Act ("Development Licenses").

The Los Cuatros Amigos, Inc. license Application will probably not qualify for a Development District License because it is located in an older development. Therefore, it is unlikely that the City would authorize a "Development District" as is required under The Development District Act. However, since the progress of the process of the Development District Licenses may have an effect on Council's decision on Los Cuatros Amigos, Inc.'s request, we respectfully request that the application be taken off the Agenda until the June 6<sup>th</sup> Work Session Meeting.

We hope that Council addresses The Development District Act in the near future. If I can provide any assistance in this regard, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

**ADKISON, NEED & ALLEN, P.L.L.C.**

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