

10/14/2021

Department of Safety and Inspections Licensing Attn Ross Hadow & Jeff Fischbach

Re: Application for 1530 Sherwood

I am writing today regarding the application for the property at 1530 Sherwood Ave to add a Malt Off Sale license to the existing gas station and cigarette/tobacco licenses as well as a request from owner for a 45 day waiver of the licensing waiting period.

The land use committee reviewed the application at the meeting on October 13 and had several concerns regarding the station's safety plan and a frequency of crime at that location. Several committee members although living very close to the site, refuse to go into the station due to not feeling safe. The committee was concerned that adding this license would just increase the safety concerns and because the applicant did not attend the meeting, did not have enough information to support the application. The committee (on behalf of the Greater East Side/District 2 Community Council) has voted not to support the application nor the waiver of the 45 day waiting period due to needing more information from the applicant.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need any further clarification.

Sincerely,

Lisa Theis

Executive Director

Cc: Amna Kiran