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To whom it may concern,

We are writing this letter to make that case that we put a good faith effort to solicit the support of our neighbors for the permission to serve beer & wine on our private patio and sidewalk cafe.

Beginning June 2013, we have canvassed our neighborhood 4 times per house. Canvassing was the most effective way for us to reach out to our neighbors. We choose a variation of weekend and evening times to try to catch people at home.

The task was challenging due to the fact that there are a number of homes within the 300 ft that are vacant, or rental properties with owners living in other zip codes and even other states.

It was also challenging because a number of people never answered or were not home each of the four times we went around. I think you will see from our petition that had we been able to reach all of the houses we would have reached 90%

Thank you for considering our petition and we sincerely hope that you will grant us our petition at 60%.

Sincerely yours,

Tim Gilbert