

## **District 10 Como Community Council**

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Legislative Hearing Officer 310 City Hall 15 West Kellogg Blvd. Saint Paul, MN 55102 LH-Licensing@ci.stpaul.mn.us

Re:

**License Number:** 

**Application for:** On-Sale Liquor License

License at: 1552 Como Ave

**Licensee:** La Morelense Restaurant and Sweets

The Como Community Council Board voted unanimously August 6 to approve the following motion:

The District 10 Como Community Council supports the Class N License application for on sale liquor at La Morelense Restaurant & Sweets

Maria Castro and Cristian Ayala Sanchez were very responsive to our inquiries regarding their plans after receiving their District Council Class N notification form. We shared the application notice in our weekly newsletters and the opportunity for community members to attend our August 6 community meeting for Cristian to introduce the business and answer any questions people may have.

We appreciate the opportunity to enthusiastically support this new Como business in their license application and are excited to welcome them to the Como neighborhood. La Morelense has also participated in two of our community events and we're coordinating with them for our upcoming October 4 event which is only a block away from their restaurant. In the August 6 discussion, it was shared that La Morelense may extend their hours with a liquor license, but intend to maintain their current family friendly atmosphere. We believe the business is a positive addition to our neighborhood.

Sincerely,

Shevek McKee Executive Director District 10 Como Community Council