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Riddhi Mistry, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the nineteenth day of May she served the attached **NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND REQUEST FOR IMPOSITION OF 10 DAY LICENSE SUSPENSION**, a correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

Maryland Supermarket INC
d/b/a Maryland Supermarket
444 Maryland Ave W Ste C.
St Paul, MN 55117
Attn: Ali Alfureedy

Ali Alfureedy
485 98th Lane NW
Coon Rapids, MN 55433

Ali Alfureedy
444 Maryland Ave W.
Saint Paul, MN 55117-4748

North End Neighborhood Organization
171 Front Street
Saint Paul, MN 55117
Attn: Executive Director, Kerry Antrim

(which is the last known address of said person) depositing the same, with postage prepaid, in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.



Riddhi Mistry

Subscribed and sworn to before me
This 19th day of May 2026



Notary Public





May 19, 2026

**NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND
REQUEST FOR IMPOSITION OF 10-DAY LICENSE SUSPENSION**

Maryland Supermarket INC
d/b/a Maryland Supermarket
444 Maryland Ave W Ste C.
St Paul, MN 55117

Attn: Ali Alfureedy

RE: Tobacco Shop license held by Maryland Supermarket INC d/b/a Maryland Supermarket for the premises located at 444 Maryland Ave W Ste C. in Saint Paul.
License ID #20160002943

Dear Mr. Alfureedy:

The Department of Safety and Inspections (“Department”) has recommended adverse action against the Tobacco Shop license (License ID #20160002943) (“License”) held by Maryland Supermarket INC d/b/a Maryland Supermarket (“Licensee”) located at 444 Maryland Ave. W. Ste C (“Licensed Premises”).

Legal Basis for Action:

Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.01 defines Adverse Action as:

“the revocation or suspension of a license, the imposition of conditions upon a license, the denial of an application for the grant, issuance or renewal of a license, the imposition of a fine, the assessment of the costs of a contested hearing, and any other disciplinary or unfavorable action taken with respect to a license, licensee, or applicant for a license. Adverse action includes any of the foregoing directed at one (1) or more licenses held by a licensee at any location in the city. Adverse action also includes disapproval of licenses issued by the state under statutory provisions which permit the governing body to disapprove the issuance of the license.”

Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.03(m)(3)(2) states the presumptive penalty in the tobacco penalty matrix for selling flavored tobacco products is a 10-day license suspension:



Type of Violation	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
(2) Display, possession or multiple incidents of sales of: * single cigarettes, * menthol tobacco products, or * flavored tobacco products	10-day suspension	Revocation		

Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.04(b)(6)(a) explains the basis upon which adverse action may be taken against a license:

“The licensee or applicant (or any person whose conduct may by law be imputed to the licensee or applicant) has violated, or performed any act which is a violation of, any of the provisions of these chapters or of any statute, ordinance or regulation reasonably related to the licensed activity, regardless of whether criminal charges have or have not been brought in connection therewith.”

Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.03(5) defines flavored products:

“Flavored product means any tobacco product, tobacco-related device, electronic delivery device, or nicotine or lobelia delivery product that contains a taste or smell, other than the taste or smell of tobacco that is distinguishable by an ordinary consumer either prior to or during the consumption of the tobacco product, electronic delivery device, or nicotine or lobelia delivery product, including, but not limited to, any taste or smell relating to menthol, mint, wintergreen, chocolate, cocoa, vanilla, honey, fruit or any candy, dessert, alcoholic beverage, herb, or spice. A public statement or claim, whether express or implied, made or disseminated by the manufacturer of a tobacco product, tobacco-related device, electronic delivery device, or nicotine or lobelia delivery product, or by any person authorized or permitted by the manufacturer to make or disseminate public statements concerning such product or device, that the product or device has or produces a taste or smell other than tobacco will constitute presumptive evidence that the product or device is a flavored product.”



Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.07(j) prohibits anyone from selling or distributing flavored products:

“No person may sell, offer for sale, or otherwise distribute any flavored products, unless excepted under section 324.07(l) of this chapter.”

Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.07(l)(3) provides an exception for this prohibition if a person holds a tobacco products shop license:

“Retail stores holding a tobacco products shop license are permitted to sell and offer for sale flavored tobacco products.”

Factual Basis for Adverse Action:

On June 12, 2024, Department Inspector Joseph Voyda sent you a letter to explain that, effective immediately, holders of a tobacco shop license were prohibited from selling the following nicotine products: ZYN – Chill & Mint, Backwoods Pennsylvania Primo Cigars, and Backwoods Guatemala Satin Cigars, as these products were not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The letter also reminded you that the Department may conduct compliance checks at any time during the year in response to complaints or reports of alleged violations.

On January 22, 2025, the City Council passed a resolution (RES 25-94) adopting a settlement agreement between you and the Department in which you agreed to the revocation of the Cigarette/Tobacco Product Shop License (License ID #20180003636).

On January 12, 2026, the Department sent you a Notice of Compliance Check to remind you that the Department would be conducting its annual on-site inspections of all licensed tobacco shops to ensure compliance with state and local laws. The notice included the possible penalties that may be imposed if violations were found.

On March 2, 2026, Inspector Voyda conducted an inspection at the Licensed Premises. He spoke to a clerk and introduced himself as a licensing inspector for the Department. Inspector Voyda asked the clerk to contact you, but the clerk responded that he was a new employee and did not have your phone number. Inspector Voyda continued his inspection of the licensed premises where he observed multiple tobacco flavored products for sale. Inspector Voyda explained to the clerk that the flavored tobacco products that were discovered are in violation of the City’s code for this type of license. He then advised the clerk to store the flavored products in the back or a storage room until the distributor could come to



pick up the flavored products. Inspector Voyda observed the clerk storing the flavored tobacco products into two (2) white plastic bags. Both bags were then placed in a green plastic tote in the basement.

The flavored products identified as violations of the City code and stored in the bags were:

Product	Flavor	Quantity
Loon Maxx H2O	Icey Mint	One (1) with empty box
Loon Maxx Turkish	Smooth Dessert & Whipped Cream	Eight (8)
Big Dog Habano	Spices & Earth	One (1)
Loon NYXX H2O	Icey Mint	Nine (9) tins
Loon NYXX Clear	Menthol	Four (4) tins
ZYN Chill	Cooling & Mint/Menthol	Six (6) tins
Backwoods Select Philippines Prestige	Molasses & Pepper	Six (6) packs
Backwoods Select Honduras	Cedar & Spices	Six (6) packs
Blazy Susan Tea Leaf Cones	Black Tea Leaf, Chamomile & Cacao	Sixteen (16) packs

Adverse Action Recommendation:

The Department will recommend a 10-day suspension of your tobacco shop license for violations of Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.07(j) and consistent with Saint Paul Legislative Code §§ 310.03(m)(3)(2), 310.04(b)(6)(a).

You have three (3) options to proceed:

1. You can accept the penalty. If this is your choice, you need to contact the Department of Safety and Inspections at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than **May 29, 2026**. Acceptance of the penalty will be considered an admission to the violation and waiver of the hearing to which you are entitled. This matter will then be placed on the City Council consent agenda for imposition of the 10-day license suspension.
2. If you wish to admit the facts but you contest the penalty, you may request a hearing before the City Council. You will need to send me a letter with a statement admitting to the facts and requesting a City Council hearing no later than **May 29, 2026**. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council



to determine whether to impose the ten (10) day license suspension. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.

3. If you dispute the facts outlined above, you may request a contested case hearing before an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ). You will need to send me a letter disputing the facts and requesting an administrative hearing no later than **May 29, 2026**. At that hearing, both you and the Department will appear and present witnesses and evidence and will cross-examine each other's witnesses. After receipt of the ALJ's report and recommendation (usually within 90 days), a hearing before the City Council will need to be scheduled. At that time, the City Council will decide whether to adopt, modify, or reject the ALJ's report and recommendation.

Please note: If you choose an administrative hearing, the Department reserves the right to request that City Council impose the costs of the administrative hearing per Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.03(k).

If you have not contacted me by May 29, 2026, I will assume that you do not contest the recommended adverse action and penalty of a ten (10) day suspension of your license. In that case, the matter will be placed on the City Council consent agenda for approval of the ten (10) day suspension of your license.

If you have questions about these options, please contact my Paralegal, Riddhi Mistry, at riddhi.mistry@ci.stpaul.mn.us or (651) 266-8835.

Sincerely,

Monica Shaffer
Assistant City Attorney
License No.: 0504708

Cc: Ali Alfureedy, 485 98th Lane NW, Coon Rapids, MN 55433
Ali Alfureedy, 444 Maryland Ave. W., Saint Paul, MN 55117-4748
Executive Director, Kerry Antrim, North End Neighborhood Organization, 171 Front Street, Saint Paul, MN 55117



Attachments: Complaint Inspection with Photo Evidence – 3/2/2026
Notice of Compliance Checks – 1/12/2026
Letter from Department Inspector, Joseph Voyda to Licensee – 6/12/2024
Resolution Adopting the Settlement Agreement (RES 25-94) – 1/22/2025
Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.01
Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.03(m)(3)(2)
Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.04(b)(6)(a)
Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.03(5)
Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.07(j)
Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.07(l)(3)

NOTICE OF COMPLIANCE CHECKS



SAINT PAUL
SAFETY & INSPECTIONS

January 12, 2026

20160002943
MARYLAND SUPERMARKET
444 MARYLAND AVE W STE C
ST PAUL, MN 55117

Tobacco License Holder:

This letter is a reminder that the Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) is in process of conducting our annual on-site inspections of all city licensed tobacco shops and tobacco products shops for 2025 to ensure compliance with regulations including but not limited to:

- Minimum pricing and packaging requirements for cigars, cigarettes, and smokeless tobacco
- Prohibition of tobacco product discounts and coupon acceptance
- Prohibition of flavored tobacco at all tobacco shops to include the sale of menthol min and wintergreen flavors at off-sale liquor stores
- Restrictions of temporary window sign(s) and tobacco displays
- Restriction of customer access to tobacco products
- **Prohibition of tobacco and tobacco product sales to persons under 21 years of age.**

Compliance checks may include but are not limited to; DSI Inspectors entering tobacco establishments unannounced in attempt to purchase tobacco products using an underage buyer, inspecting product placement, labeling, creating reports, taking photos and providing education.

Compliance checks may take place at any time during the year. Additional inspections and compliance checks may take place in response to complaints or reports of alleged violations.

It is the responsibility of the license holder to fully understand and comply with ordinance requirements that govern tobacco sales within the City of Saint Paul. Violations discovered during compliance checks and/or complaint inspections will be forwarded to the City Attorney's Office for adverse licensing action, which may result in fines, suspension or revocation of license.

Additional information can be found on the reverse of this document or you may visit the City of Saint Paul's website at StPaul.gov, key word search 'tobacco'.

Questions regarding tobacco regulations and inspection procedures can be directed to Inspector Joseph Voyda at phone number **651-266-9014** or by email at joseph.voyda@ci.stpaul.mn.us.

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND INSPECTIONS (DSI)
Angie Wiese, Director

375 Jackson Street, Suite 220
Saint Paul, MN 55101-1806

Tel: 651-266-8989 | Fax: 651-266-9124

Tobacco Penalties: Sales to an Underage Buyer and Display, storage or sale of flavor tobacco products, chapter **310.03(m)3(1&2)** of the Saint Paul Legislative Code and State Statutes 461.12

Tobacco presumptive penalties for license holders for violations. Adverse penalties for licensees for violations or convictions shall be presumed as follows;

Type of Violation	1st Appearance	2nd Appearance	3rd Appearance	4th Appearance
(1) Sale to a person under twenty-one (21) years of age	\$500.00 fine	\$1,000.00 fine	\$2,000.00 fine and 7-day suspension	Revocation
(2) Display, possession or multiple incidents of sales of; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single cigarettes; • menthol tobacco products; or • flavored tobacco products 	10-day suspension	Revocation		

Per Chapter 324 of the Saint Paul Legislative Code

Sec. 324.03. Definitions.

(15) *Tobacco license* means either a tobacco shop or a tobacco products shop license.

(16) *Tobacco shop license* means a license issued to a person, firm, or corporation for an establishment that:

- a. May offer for sale licensed products which are accessible to the public only with the intervention of a store employee; and,
- b. May allow persons who are under the age of twenty-one (21) to enter the establishment.

(17) *Tobacco products shop license* means a license issued to a person, firm, or corporation for an establishment that:

(c) Must prohibit persons who are under the age of twenty-one (21) from entering the establishment.

461.12 MUNICIPAL LICENSE OF TOBACCO, TOBACCO-RELATED DEVICES, AND SIMILAR PRODUCTS.

Subd. 2. Administrative penalties for sales and furnishing; licensees. If a licensee or employee of a licensee sells, gives, or otherwise furnishes tobacco, tobacco-related devices, electronic delivery devices, or nicotine or lobelia delivery products to a person under the age of 21 years, or violates any other provision of this chapter, the licensee shall be charged an administrative penalty of \$300 for the first violation. An administrative penalty of \$600 must be imposed for a second violation **at the same location within 36 month** after the initial violation. For a third or any subsequent violation **at the same location within 36 months** after the initial violation, an administrative penalty of \$1,000 must be imposed, and the licensee's authority to sell tobacco, tobacco-related devices, electronic delivery devices, or nicotine or lobelia delivery products at that location must be suspended for not less than seven days and may be revoked. No suspension, revocation, or other penalty may take effect until the licensee has received notice, served personally or by mail, of the alleged violation and an opportunity for a hearing before a person authorized by the licensing authority to conduct the hearing. A decision that a violation has occurred must be in writing.



June 12, 2024

20160002943
MARYLAND SUPERMARKET INC
444 MARYLAND AVE W STE C
ST PAUL, MN 55117

Tobacco Shop License Holder,

Effective immediately you may not offer for sale the following tobacco and nicotine products.

New prohibited products:

ZYN - Chill & Mint, these products were not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and is no longer considered as a cessation product.

Backwoods Pennsylvania Primo cigars has an intense flavor profile and characteristics of hints of wood and pepper.

Backwoods Guatemala Satin cigars has the sensation of earthiness and spice.

Earlier this year DSI sent a compliance letter dated 1/18/2024 to all tobacco license holders, informing you that DSI Inspectors will be entering tobacco establishments unannounced in attempt to purchase tobacco products using an underage buyer, inspecting product placement, labeling, creating reports, taking photos and providing education.

Compliance checks may take place at any time during the year. Additional inspections and compliance checks may take place in response to complaints or reports of alleged violations.

It is the responsibility of the tobacco license holder to fully understand and comply with ordinance requirements that govern tobacco sales within the City of Saint Paul. Violations discovered during compliance checks and complaint inspections may be subject for adverse actions through the City Attorney's Office up to revocation.

Questions regarding tobacco regulations and inspection procedures may be directed to me at phone number 651-266-9014 or via email at joseph.voyda@ci.stpaul.mn.us.

Respectfully,

Joseph Voyda
Inspector, DSI Licensing



Tobacco Flavors Discovered:

- Loon Maxx H2O – Flavor = Icy, Mint – Quantity = One (1) with empty box
- Loon Maxx Turkish – Flavor = Smooth Dessert & Whipped Cream – Quantity = Eight (8)
- Big Dog Habano – Flavor = Spices & Earth – Quantity = One (1) Box
- Loon NYXX H2O – Flavor = Icy/Mint – Quantity = Nine (9) Tins
- Loon NYXX Clear – Flavor = Menthol – Quantity = Four (4) Tins
- ZYN Chill – Flavor = Cooling & Mint/Menthol – Quantity = Six (6) Tins
- Backwoods Select Philippines Prestige – Flavor = Molasses & Pepper – Quantity = Six (6) Packs
- Backwoods Select Honduras – Flavor = Cedar & Spices – Quantity = Six (6) Packs
- Blazy Susan Tea Leaf Cones – Flavor = Black Tea Leaf, Chamomile & Cacao – Quantity = Sixteen (16) Packs

Upon arrival, I spoke with the clerk, Unknown (see Below for Photo), I introduced myself as Licensing Inspector Joseph Voyda with the City of Saint Paul for Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI). I explained I was there for an inspection due to a complaint that was received by DSI that flavor tobacco products are being offered for sale. I requested the clerk to contact the license holder Ali Alfureedy to inform him that I was here today for a complaint inspection. The clerk responded that he was new and he did not have Aly's number.

Continuing my inspection in plain sight displayed on the shelves behind the counter, I observed multiple tobacco flavors for sale. I educated the clerk that the above-listed and photos below, tobacco products that were discovered are in violation of City Ordinance and of the issued tobacco license type. These products will need to be stored in the backroom or storage and not to be removed until the distributor picks the products up (returned). I observed the clerk place the tobacco violations into two (2) white plastic bags that were then placed in a green plastic tote and then placed in the basement, see photos below.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joseph Voyda".



NO RETURNS
We do not accept returns on
any items that have been used or
opened.



WARNING:
This product contains nicotine. Nicotine is an addictive chemical.

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This product contains nicotine. Nicotine is an addictive chemical.



**WARNING: This product contains nicotine.
Nicotine is an addictive chemical.**

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STORE LOCATOR



LOCAL DELIVERY IS NO LONGER AVAILABLE | LOOKING FOR SHIPPING? CHECK OUT LOONNYXX.COM



LOON MAXX - H2O

DISPOSABLE (2000+ PUFFS)

Beat the heat with a refreshing icy sensation that quenches your thirst on even the hottest summer days.

COMES IN 50MG NICOTINE SALT

6.5ML

INGREDIENTS: Glycerol, Nicotine, Propylene Glycol, Premium Flavoring, Food Grade Flavoring

Nicotine Salts is for those desiring an even smoother vaping experience.

Nicotine Salt, also known as Nic Salt, is a type of processed nicotine used in our pods. The purpose of the Nicotine Salt itself is to enhance your vaping experience by utilizing increased strengths of nicotine while having little to no harshness at all.

Hi, Need any help?





LOON
MAXX
2000 PUFFS DISPOSABLE
2+
6.5ML

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MAXX
2000 PUFFS DISPOSABLE
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6.5ML

WARNING:
This product
contains nicotine.
Nicotine is an
addictive chemical.

**WARNING: This product contains nicotine.
Nicotine is an addictive chemical.**

LOON.

STORE LOCATOR



LOCAL DELIVERY IS NO LONGER AVAILABLE | LOOKING FOR SHIPPING? CHECK OUT LOONNYXX.COM



LOON MAXX - TURKISH TOBACCO

DISPOSABLE (2000+ PUFFS)

Embark on a journey of indulgence with this ultra-smooth dessert-y tobacco flavor, topped with a dollop of whipped cream for a truly satisfying vaping experience.

COMES IN 50MG NICOTINE SALT

6.5ML

INGREDIENTS: Glycerol, Nicotine, Propylene Glycol, Premium Flavoring, Food Grade Flavoring

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X Hi, Need any help?



Tobacco Smoke increases
risk of lung cancer and
heart disease, even
in non-smokers.

2 LOOSE LEAFS \$1.99

BIG DOG

LOOSE LEAFS Cut & Washed

BROADLEAF LOOSE LEAFS
Cut & Washed

HABANO
NATURAL

WARNING: This product contains nicotine. Nicotine is an addictive chemical.

\$1.99

BIG DOG

Cut & Washed

LOOSE LEAFS
Cut & Washed

BROADLEAF
Premium

: This product contains nicotine. Nicotine is an addictive chemical.

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Based on general Habano wrapper profiles, a Big Dog Habano loose leaf wrap is likely to deliver a **bold, spicy, and earthy** flavor profile, featuring notes of cedar, toasted wood, and cocoa. It is characterized by a natural, robust tobacco taste with a sharp, dry, and intense aroma. [🔗](#)

- **Taste Profile:** Expect a strong, rich, and **earthy foundation** with **prominent spice** (such as black pepper or cayenne) and **woody, cocoa** undertones.





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LOON NYXX - H2O 5-PACK

\$24.99

Strength

7MG

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Description

Beat the heat with a refreshing **icy sensation** that quenches your thirst on even the hottest summer days.

LOON NYXX is a spit-free, smoke-free, synthetic nicotine pouch with 4 different strengths (3 | 7 | 14 | 28 mg) and 12+ flavors.

Ingredients: Synthetic Nicotine, Premium Flavoring, Other Food Grade Ingredients



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THE LOON

LOON NYXX - CLEAR

\$5.99

Strength

7MG ▾

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Order now

Description

Refresh your palate with every puff of these Clear pouches, featuring a subtle menthol taste that invigorates your senses, perfect for those who enjoy a cool and icy pouch experience.

LOON NYXX is a spit-free, smoke-free, synthetic nicotine pouch with 4 different strengths (3 | 7 | 14 | 28 mg) and 12+ flavors.

Ingredients: Synthetic Nicotine, Premium Flavoring, Other Food Grade Ingredients





ZYN Chill has a mild, mellow taste characterized by a subtle menthol/minty, cooling sensation without a strong, distinct flavor. It is described as a "white" or unflavored pouch that focuses on a refreshing, clean, and slightly sweet cooling effect rather than a traditional minty flavor. [Payless Cigars & Pipes +4](#)

Key details:

- **Flavor Profile:** Minimalist, slightly **minty/menthol**, and refreshing.
- **Sensation:** A **"cooling"** feel on the roof of the mouth and back of the tongue, often compared to a gentle, brisk winter breeze.



ALL NATURAL
LEAF WRAPPER

BACKWOODS
SELECT

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**PHILIPPINES
PRESTIGE**

**SURGEON GENERAL
WARNING: Cigar
Smoking Can Cause Lung
Cancer And Heart Disease**

ALL NATURAL
LEAF WRAPPER

BACKWOODS
SELECT


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CLEAR

**HONDURAS
1883**

**SURGEON GENERAL
WARNING: Cigar
Smoking Can Cause Lung
Cancer And Heart Disease**



Backwoods Select

Philippines Prestige 3/10pk 4.50 × 32 BWSEPHP

Backwoods Select Philippines Prestige delivers everything your customers love about Backwoods; rustic charm, easy draw, and straight-up flavor. All with a unique all-Philippine blend that adds depth and character rarely found at this price point. Crafted in the Philippines with locally sourced tobaccos, this 4.50x32 Parejo features bold Philippine broadleaf wrapper grown in the country's nutrient-rich volcanic soil. Inside you'll find a matching Philippine binder and filler that creates a rich flavor profile. It starts with earthiness and evolves into layers of dark molasses and sweetness. A pop of pepper on the finish rounds out this mellow-bodied experience. Machine-produced for consistency, each stick burns evenly, holds together well, and delivers everything your customers need from a flavor and value standpoint. Available in 10 packs of 3 for a total of 30 cigars, add it to your inventory by stocking up at Santa Clara Cigars.

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Backwoods Select

Honduras 1883 3pk 4.50 × 32 BWSEHND

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Backwoods Select Honduras 1883 is a throwback you'll want to try for yourself. It marks the year Honduras officially opened its tobacco industry to local growers. With the Honduras 1883, you'll feel the raw flavor from the country's rugged terrain in this mellow-to-medium-bodied experience. The 4.50x32 Parejo uses a sun-kissed Connecticut wrapper grown in Honduras, paired with Caribbean Basin Cuban-seed fillers. This machine-made beauty has the same rustic look and feel Backwoods smokers have come to expect. It may be machine-made, but it smokes with a kind of rugged and earthy cedar depth that can stand up to plenty of hand rolled sticks. If you're looking for a wallet-friendly cigar that still delivers a solid experience, Backwoods Select Honduras 1883 is a solid choice. Enjoy quality flavors without paying premium prices when you order from JR Cigars. Available in a box of 30, have one shipped to your door today!

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NATURAL CONES MADE
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Tea Leaf Cones | Full Box

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SUBSCRIBE & SAVE 15%: \$20.39

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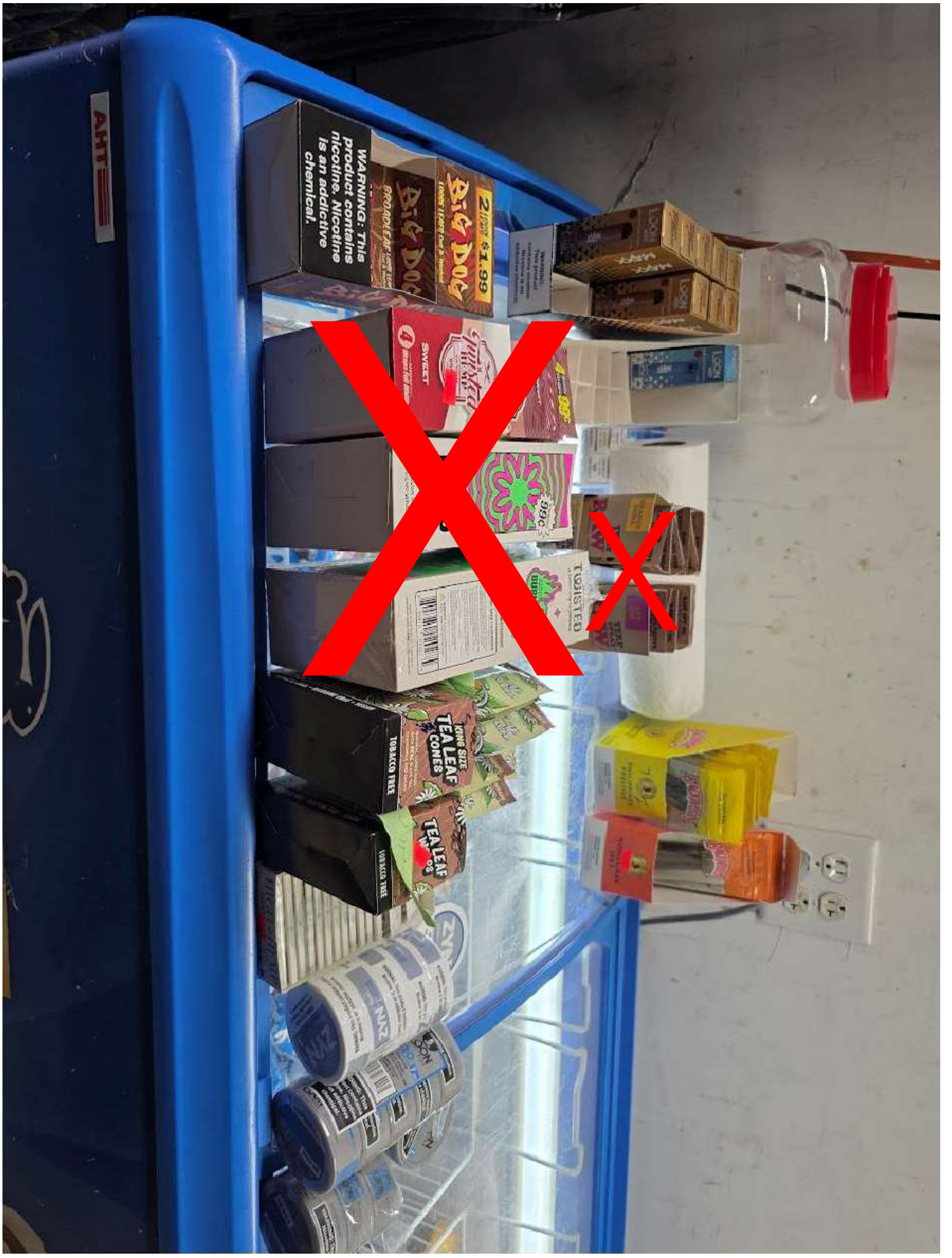
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30-Day Returns

Discreet Packaging

Not for use with tobacco; only legal smoking herbs

Enjoy a smooth, aromatic session with our Tea Leaf Pre Rolled Cones – crafted from real **black tea leaf, chamomile, and cacao.**



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WARNING: This product contains nicotine. Nicotine is an addictive chemical.

2 Boxes \$1.99

Big Dog

Sweet Tea

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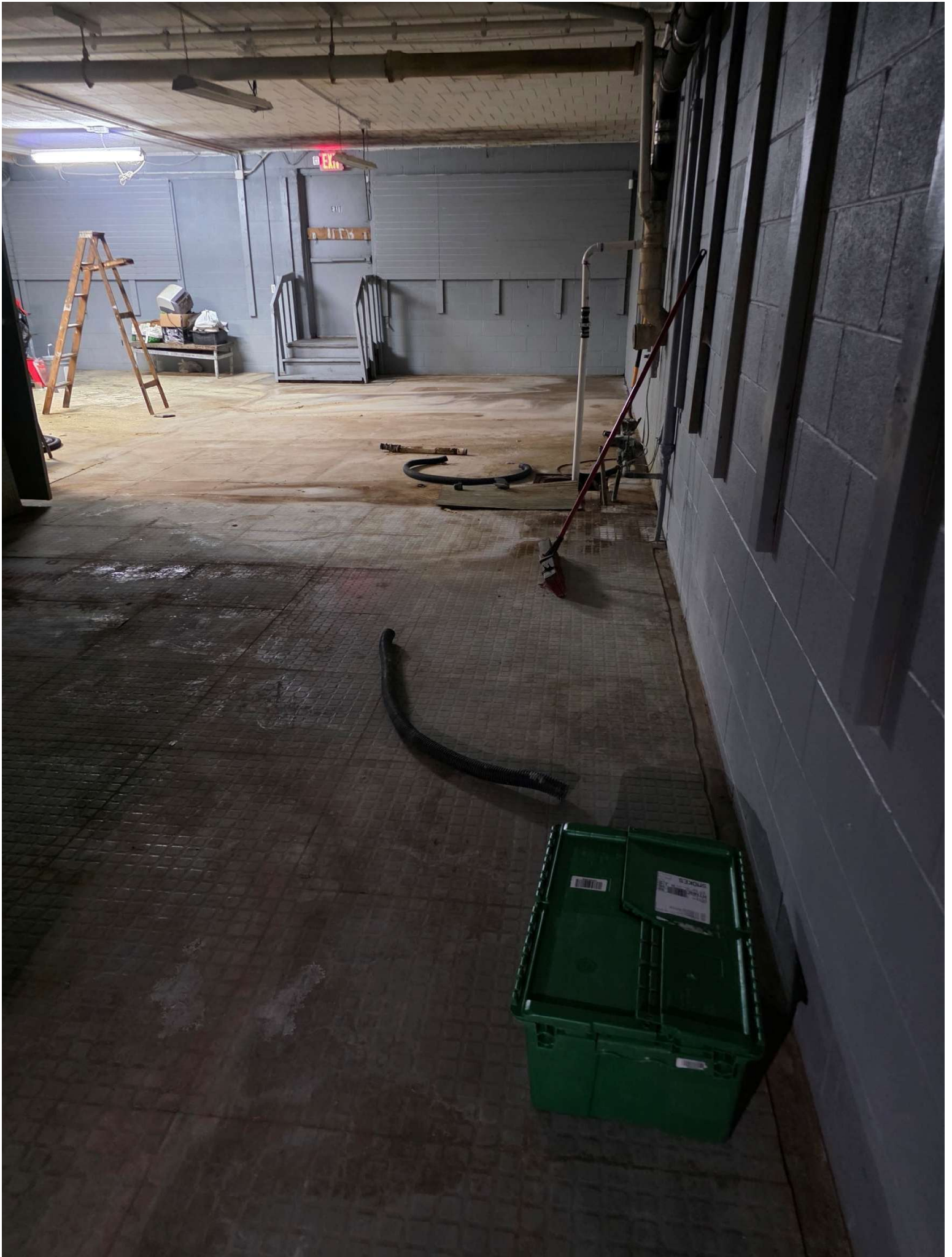
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RECOMMENDED LICENSE CONDITIONS – IMPOSITION OF LICENSE CONDITIONS

444 MARYLAND AVE W STE C, St. Paul, MN 55117

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Amended/Replaced: ~~strike-through~~

1. The Licensee agrees to operate the business in a manner that is consistent with the Business Summary submitted by the Licensee dated 10/20/2025 (application date 10/31/2025) and floor plans submitted with the Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI). The Licensee agrees to obtain prior written approval from DSI before making any substantive changes to their approved method of operation.

~~1. Temporary window signs placed between the height of four (4) to seven (7) feet above grade shall not cover more than thirty (30) percent of this window space area and cannot block views into the clerk or cashier station.~~

2. The Licensee agrees that temporary window signs placed between the height of four (4) to seven (7) feet above grade shall not cover more than thirty (30) percent of the window space area and cannot block views of the clerk at the point-of-sale counter.

3. The Licensee will create a video surveillance camera and lighting placement plan (video surveillance plan) for the interior and exterior of the licensed premises. The Licensee will submit the video surveillance plan to the Saint Paul Police Department (SPPD) liaison with DSI for review and approval. In accordance with the approved video surveillance plan, the Licensee will ensure that the video surveillance camera system is in good working order, ensure that it is recording 24 hours per day, ensure that it can produce recorded surveillance video in a commonly used, up-to-date format, and ensure that accurate date and time of day are visible on all recorded video. The Licensee will retain the surveillance video for a minimum of thirty (30) days. If an incident is deemed serious by SPPD, the Licensee shall make the surveillance video immediately available for viewing by SPPD. If a copy of the surveillance video for a serious incident is requested by SPPD, the Licensee shall have the technology, materials, and staff available to immediately make the copy. In all other cases, the Licensee shall provide a copy of the surveillance video to the requestor within 48 hours.

4. The Licensee agrees there will be no late-night deliveries between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.

5. The Licensee agrees to maintain the licensed premises consistent with the Saint Paul Legislative Code.

6. The Licensee agrees to comply with all federal, state, and local laws.

7. The Licensee will work with the property owner to ensure that (1) the landscaping is maintained and (2) the parking lot and spaces are signed as customer only and the use of the parking lot and spaces is limited to customers or employees.

8. Due to the high volume of crime in and around the licensed premises, the Licensee, employees, or security personnel shall walk around the parking lot every 60 minutes, or more frequently, to pick up trash and to identify any person who is loitering or engaging in suspected unlawful behavior in or around the licensed premises, including the parking lot. If the Licensee, employees, or security personnel reasonably conclude that unlawful behavior or loitering is taking place, the Licensee, employees, or security personnel shall immediately ask such person to leave the area or report the person to the SPPD. If the person refuses to leave, then the Licensee agrees to trespass the person. The Licensee, employee, or security personnel would reasonably conclude that a person is loitering if the person is repeatedly attempting to engage passersby in conversation, repeatedly attempting to stop motor vehicles, acting in a furtive manner or acting suspiciously, or can be seen giving or receiving small items, bags, or money to or from more than one person over any length of time.

9. The Licensee is prohibited from selling glass pipes, steel wool, and other items that may be considered drug paraphernalia from the licensed premises.



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Resolution: RES 25-94

File Number: RES 25-94

Authorizing the Department of Safety and Inspections (“DSI”) to enter into a Settlement Agreement with Ali Alfureedy on behalf of Maryland Tobacco Inc., d/b/a Maryland Tobacco (“Licensee”).

WHEREAS, Licensee holds a Cigarette/Tobacco Product Shop license (#20180003636) for the premises located at 444 Maryland Avenue West in Saint Paul (“Licensed Premises”); and

WHEREAS, on November 9, 2020, The City Attorney’s Office and the Department of Safety and Inspections learned that a zoning issue needed to be investigated; and

WHEREAS, on January 15, 2021, a Notice of Violation illustrates that DSI examined the licensed premises of 444 Maryland Avenue West and determined that the Cigarette/Tobacco Product Shop license was issued in error based on an errant zoning determination; and

WHEREAS, on January 15, 2021, a Notice of Violation letter illustrates the DSI zoning administrator determined that the Licensee’s shop is within a B1 zoning district, the Saint Paul Legislative Code strictly prohibits Tobacco Product Shops within the B1 zoning district. It was also made clear in the Notice of Violation letter that the current use is not permitted in the space; and

WHEREAS, on March 4, 2021, Licensee drafted a letter to request for continuance of the public hearing before the zoning committee; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2021, Licensee applied for rezoning of the licensed premises from a B1 zoning district to a T2 zoning district; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2021, the zoning committee approved of the rezoning from B1 to T2 for 444 Maryland Avenue West, allowing DSI to impose conditions on the license; and

WHEREAS, on June 16, 2021, a Notice of Violation letter indicated the proposed rezoning failed and 444 Maryland Tobacco Product Shop had to cease use; and

WHEREAS, there has been a longstanding litigation of this zoning issue, dating back to Saint Paul City Council denying the rezoning from B1 to T2 and even through the District Court, Minnesota Court of Appeals, and the administrative appeal process; and,

WHEREAS, Saint Paul Legislative Code 61.801(a) states, “The council may, from time to time, amend, supplement or change the district boundaries or the regulations herein, or subsequently established herein pursuant to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes section 462.357 and amendments thereto as may be made from time to time,” and,

WHEREAS, Saint Paul Legislative Code 310.03(m)(3) states, “Penalties for convictions or violations are presumed to be appropriate for every case; however, the council may deviate therefrom in an individual case where the council finds and determines that there exist substantial and compelling

reasons making it more appropriate to do so;" and,

WHEREAS, subsequent discussions between Counsel for Licensee, CAO and DSI have resulted in a signed Settlement Agreement under which, if approved by City Council would result in Revocation of the Cigarette/Tobacco Product Shop License held by Licensee effective April 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Licensee releases, acquits and forever discharges the City and DSI and their agents, servants, successors, heirs, executors, administrators and all other persons, firms, corporations, associations or partnerships of and from any and all claims, actions, causes of action, demands, rights, damages, costs, expenses, attorneys' fees and compensation whatsoever, which Licensee now has or which he may accrue on account of or in any way growing out of any and all known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen damages from the revocation of the Tobacco Product Shop license; and,

WHEREAS, Licensee understands and acknowledges that the City and DSI do not admit to any wrongdoing, improper action, or liability for any of Licensee's alleged damages. Licensee agrees to defend and hold the City and DSI harmless from the same; and,

WHEREAS, Licensee further declares and represents that no promise, inducement, or agreement not expressed in this document has been made to him and that this release contains the entire agreement between the parties and that the terms of this release are contractual and not a mere recital; and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to settle and resolve all outstanding disputes and claims between them to avoid the uncertainties and costs associated with continued litigation; and,

WHEREAS, DSI believes that the Settlement Agreement will provide certainty regarding the violation and accompanying penalties; and

WHEREAS, the parties agree that settling this matter as described below is beneficial to both parties; and

WHEREAS, both parties knowingly and voluntarily wish to enter into this Settlement Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the terms of the Settlement Agreement, herein incorporated as Exhibit 1, include the following terms:

1. "The City agrees to the requested revocation of the Cigarette/Tobacco Product Shop License from Maryland Tobacco.
2. Maryland Tobacco agrees to sign the License Conditions and agrees to the imposition of the following license condition upon its Cigarette/Tobacco Product Shop license:
 - a. No further subsequent violations, this includes but not limited to:
 - i. No late night deliveries between the hours of 11:00pm- 6:00am,
 - ii. License is issued for a retail use only, and the Licensee shall conduct retail cigarette/tobacco business in compliance with the "Minnesota Clean Indoor Air Act" (MN Stat. 144.411-144.417),
 - iii. Licensee acknowledges per the Ramsey County Clean Indoor Air

Ordinance resolution B2015-302 sec 5.02 prohibits the use of electronic cigarettes (or e-cigarettes) in public spaces where cigarette smoking is currently prohibited under the Minnesota Clean Indoor Act, as well as prohibiting vaping or smoking within 25 feet of public building entrances,

- iv. Licensee agrees to operate the business in a manner that is consistent with the Business Summary submitted by the Licensee dated 10/05/2018 and floor plans submitted with DSI. Licensee agrees to obtain prior written approval from DSI before making any substantive changes to their approved method of operation,
- v. No sampling of tobacco products is permitted unless the space is made compliant with applicable code discipline requirements including the mechanical ventilation code,
- vi. Licensee agrees to provide a detailed breakdown of all items sold, including total dollar amounts for individual items by category, at the time of license renewal if requested by DSI,
- vii. Licensee agrees to take appropriate measurements to ensure that no person under eighteen (18) years of age is permitted to enter, compliance with age limitations in accordance with the City of St. Paul legislative code chapter 324 tobacco, which include age restrictions of who may enter the establishment,
- viii. Temporary window signs placed between the height of four (4) to seven (7) feet above grade shall not cover more than thirty (30) percent of this window space area, and cannot block views into the clerk or cashier station,
- ix. Licensee acknowledges that the interior door between the Tobacco Product Shop and other adjoining retail space (currently grocery store) shall remain locked at all times. The clerk/cashier of the Tobacco Product Shop shall have a key with the ability to unlock the door only to allow customers/patrons of the Tobacco Product Shop access to use of the restroom in the adjoining retail space at all times the Tobacco Product Shop is open for business,
- x. Maintain landscaping on licensed premises,
- xi. Maintain the property clean from trash on a daily basis,
- xii. The sale of blunts and single cigarettes is not permitted. Tobacco products must be sold in the original packaging,
- xiii. Licensee must comply with all federal, state and local laws,
- xiv. No sale or possession of unauthorized THC products, including edible marijuana products in the licensed premises, or
- xv. No sell of tobacco products to a person under the age of twenty-one (21) years.

3. Failure to comply with any conditions listed in paragraph 2 above, will result in an immediate revocation of the Cigarette/Tobacco Product Shop license prior to the April 30, 2025 revocation.
4. The Parties agree that this is a subsequent violation, which warrants a revocation of license under the Saint Paul Legislative Code Chapter 310.03(3) penalty matrix.
5. By executing this agreement, Licensee acknowledges that this Settlement Agreement and Release has been read by him, and his attorney, which he understands and fully agrees to each and every provision within this document."

and;

WHEREAS, the Council finds that the terms and license conditions agreed upon by the parties will improve safety and help ensure that the Licensed Premises stays in compliance with the Saint Paul Legislative Code, and Minnesota law; and now, therefore, be it,


RESOLVED, that the Department of Safety and Inspections is authorized to enter into the Settlement Agreement; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the execution of the agreement will be considered the final adverse action of Council and the revocation of the license will be imposed.


At a meeting of the City Council on 1/22/2025, this Resolution was Passed.

Yea: 7 Councilmember Noecker, Councilmember Jalali, Councilmember Yang, Councilmember Kim, Councilmember Bowie, Councilmember Jost, and Councilmember Johnson

Nay: 0

Vote Attested by 
Council Secretary Jay Willms

Date 1/22/2025

Approved by the Mayor 
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Date 1/28/2025

Ordinance Violations

Chapter 324. Tobacco

Sec. 324.03. Definitions.

(5) *Flavored product* means any tobacco product, tobacco-related device, electronic delivery device, or nicotine or lobelia delivery product that contains a taste or smell, other than the taste or smell of tobacco that is distinguishable by an ordinary consumer either prior to or during the consumption of the tobacco product, electronic delivery device, or nicotine or lobelia delivery product, including, but not limited to, any taste or smell relating to menthol, mint, wintergreen, chocolate, cocoa, vanilla, honey, fruit or any candy, dessert, alcoholic beverage, herb, or spice. A public statement or claim, whether express or implied, made or disseminated by the manufacturer of a tobacco product, tobacco-related device, electronic delivery device, or nicotine or lobelia delivery product, or by any person authorized or permitted by the manufacturer to make or disseminate public statements concerning such product or device, that the product or device has or produces a taste or smell other than tobacco will constitute presumptive evidence that the product or device is a flavored product.

Sec. 324.07. Sales prohibited.

- (j) No person may sell, offer for sale, or otherwise distribute any flavored products, unless excepted under section 324.07(l) of this chapter.
- (l) *Exceptions.*
 - (3) Retail stores holding a tobacco products shop license are permitted to sell and offer for sale flavored tobacco products.

Chapter 310. Uniform License Procedures

Sec. 310.03. Hearing procedures.

(m) *Presumptive penalties for certain violations*

3. Tobacco presumptive penalties matrix.

Tobacco presumptive penalties. Penalties for convictions or violations are presumed to be appropriate for every case; however, the council may deviate therefrom in an individual case where the council finds and determines that there exist substantial and compelling reasons making it more appropriate to do so. When deviating from these standards, the council must provide written reasons that specify why the penalty selected was more appropriate (unless specified, numbers below indicate consecutive days' suspension):

Type of Violation	Appearance			
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
(2) Display, possession or multiple incidents of sales of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single cigarettes, • menthol tobacco products, or • flavored tobacco products. 	10-day suspension	Revocation		

Sec. 310.04. Revocation; suspension; adverse actions; imposition of conditions.

(c) *Imposition of reasonable conditions and/or restrictions.*

- (1) A limitation on the hours of operation of the licensed business or establishment, or on particular types of activities conducted in or on said business or establishment;
- (6) Any other reasonable condition or restriction limiting the operation of the licensed business or establishment to ensure that the business or establishment will harmonize with the character of the area in which it is located, or to prevent the development or continuation of a nuisance.

Minnesota Statutes

For State Definitions of Place of Business, Storage & USE - for your references of definitions

297F.01 Definitions

Subd. 13. Place of business. "Place of business" means a place where cigarettes or tobacco products are sold or where cigarettes or tobacco products are manufactured, stored, or kept for the purpose of sale or consumption, including any vessel, vehicle, airplane, train, or vending machine.

Subd. 18. Storage. "Storage" means any keeping or retention of cigarettes or tobacco products for use or consumption in this state.

Subd. 22. Use. "Use" means the exercise of a right or power incidental to the ownership of cigarettes or tobacco products.