November 1, 2021

City of Columbus Mitchell J. Brown, City Council Member 90 W. Broad St. Columbus, Ohio 43215 c/o Denise Friend Foster, Legislative Aide

Sir,

The following investigation was conducted concerning the City of Columbus' 2021 annual objection to the renewal of liquor permit **0023900** issued to **Abdullah Mart Inc.**, which is doing business as **Save Way Mini Mart**, located at **2585 W. Broad Street**, **Columbus**, **Ohio 43204**. The record owner of said permit is **Adullah Qasim Ansar**.

After reviewing the State of Ohio, Franklin County, and City of Columbus records regarding the above liquor permit establishment, the following information has been compiled to support the objection to the renewal of the aforementioned permit issued by the State of Ohio.

The above listed liquor establishment has been issued **C1 and C2** permits by the Division of Liquor. This permit grants the permit holder the privilege to sell alcoholic beverages at the above listed address.

An inquiry of liquor violations revealed that the permit holder has received the following violations in **2021**:

#### July 21, 2021

IMPROPER CONDUCT (DRUG and DRUG PARAPHERNALIA POSSESSION BY THE PERMIT HOLDER)

A review of the Columbus Division of Police records revealed the Division of Police has created (49) forty-nine official police reports concerning incidents at the listed liquor establishment between January 2020 and November 2021. These reports referenced felony assault, robberies, shots fired, weapons offenses, recovered firearms, assaults, drug offenses, overdoses, menacing, intoxicated persons needing assistance, arrest of persons with outstanding warrants, and motor vehicle theft, including:

April 3, 2020 ASSAULT

**April 4, 2020**SHOTS FIRED/SHOT SPOTTER

June 9, 2020 ACCIDENTAL OVERDOSE

## July 9, 2020

ACCIDENTAL OVERDOSE

#### September 5, 2020

WEAPONS OFFENSE

# September 24, 2020

**ROBBERY** 

## December 12, 2020

**RECOVERED FIREARM** 

#### January 11, 2021

**FELONY ASSAULT** 

## January 20, 2021

ROBBERY

## March 4, 2021

**ASSAULT** 

#### March 14, 2021

WEAPONS OFFENSE

## April 5, 2021

**DRUG POSSESSION** 

## April 22, 2021

ACCIDENTAL OVERDOSE

#### April 30, 2021

**ASSAULT** 

## May 14, 2021

WEAPONS OFFENSE

## May 16, 2021

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

# June 22, 2021

WEAPONS OFFENSE

# June 23, 2021

**WEAPONS OFFENSE** 

## July 14, 2021

**ROBBERY** 

July 16, 2021 DRUG POSSESSION & PARAPHERNALIA

July 24, 2021 ROBBERY

July 25, 2021 ASSAULT

July 30, 2021 ASSAULT

August 11, 2021 WEAPONS OFFENSE

September 18, 2021 WEAPONS OFFENSE

**September 22, 2021** ASSAULT

October 7, 2021 MENACING

In addition, the Columbus Division of Police have been dispatched to **2585 W. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43204** on **(114) one-hundred fourteen** calls for service, **(42) forty-two** in 2020, and **(72) seventy-two** in 2021 at **Save Way Mini Mart**. These calls for service include responses to a stabbing, persons with a gun or knife, robberies, shots fired, fights, assaults, narcotics complaints, overdoses, intoxicated individuals needing assistance, disturbances (including disturbances with a high risk of violence and disturbances involving intoxicated individuals and open containers), arrest of persons with felony warrants, trespassing, domestic violence, a trash fire, property destruction, and motor vehicle theft.

The Columbus Division of Fire was also dispatched to the location (21) twenty-one times from October 2020 through October 2021, including for (7) seven overdoses.

Respectfully submitted,

Detective Joshua Gantt, # 1/63 Columbus Division of Police

P.A.C.T. Unit