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 2848547 issued to 4027 Thirsty Drive Thru Inc., which is doing business as Thirsty Drive Thru, located at 4027 E. Livingston Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43227. The record owner of said permit is Kamal Alshalabi.

The City of Columbus has also objected to a permit transfer request at this location, new permit number **2596135**, requesting party, **Express Carryout Columbus LLC**, and requesting to do business as the same at the same location.

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, C2, and D6** 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**:

## May 11, 2021

SALE OF BEER TO A PERSON UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE FURNISHING BEER TO A PERSON UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE

## August 17, 2021

DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION DO NOT PROCEED LETTER

A review of the Columbus Division of Police records revealed the Division of Police has created (14) fourteen official police reports concerning incidents at the listed liquor establishment between January 2020 and November 2021. These reports referenced homicide, liquor law offenses, trespassing, assault, and motor vehicle theft, including:

June 22, 2020

## **ASSAULT**

**November 1, 2020**MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

**December 15, 2020** HOMICIDE

April 26, 2020

LIQUOR LAW OFFENSE - SALE OF ALCOHOL TO UNDERAGE PERSON

October 7, 2021

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

In addition, the Columbus Division of Police have been dispatched to **4027 E. Livingston Avenue**, **Columbus**, **Ohio 43227** on **(12) twelve** calls for service, **(6) six** in 2020, and **(6) six** in 2021 at **Thirsty Drive Thru**. These calls for service include responses to a shooting, a robbery, disturbances, intoxicated persons needing assistance, burglary, and motor vehicle theft.

Respectfully submitted,

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P.A.C.T. Unit