November 16, 2020

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' 2020 annual objection to the renewal of liquor permit **983225** issued to **YMA LLC**, which is doing business as **Pay Less Auto Service (aka Marathon)** located at **744 East Hudson Street, Columbus, Ohio 43211**. The recorded owners of said permit are **Mohammad Mouneimne and Yoko Takahashi**.

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 a **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 **2019** and **2020**:

September 14, 2019 AFTER HOURS SALE

March 17, 2020 FAILURE TO PAY BUREAU OF WORKERS' COMP

September 21, 2020 SALE AND/OR FURNISHING TO A PERSON UNDER 21

A review of the Columbus Division of Police records revealed the Division of Police has created (72) **seventy-two** official police reports concerning incidents at the listed liquor establishment between **January 2019** and **November 2020**. These reports referenced prostitution, weapons offenses, robberies, drug trafficking, possession and paraphernalia, accidental overdoses, menacing, and intoxicated persons needing assistance, including:

February 1, 2019 INTOXICATED PERSON NEEDING ASSISTANCE **February 21, 2019** DRUG PARAPHERNALIA

May 18, 2019 ASSAULT

June 18, 2019 ACCIDENTAL OVERDOSE

July 19, 2019 PROSTITUTION, NARCOTICS TRANSACTIONS

August 4, 2019 ACCIDENTAL OVERDOSE, ASSAULT

September 18, 2019 PROSTITUTION

September 20, 2019 FELONY ASSAULT

September 21, 2019 MENACING

December 2, 2019 ROBBERY

February 3, 2020 WEAPONS OFFENSE, ROBBERY, DRUG POSSESSION

February 27, 2020 DRUG TRAFFICKING

March 20, 2020 ROBBERY

March 21, 2020 ASSAULT

April 10, 2020 SHOTS FIRED

April 13, 2020 ROBBERY

June 22, 2020 ROBBERY **July 22, 2020** ROBBERY

August 17, 2020 MENACING

September 4, 2020 DRUG POSSESSION, PARAPHERNALIA

September 30, 2020 ACCIDENTAL OVERDOSE

October 15, 2020 WEAPONS OFFENSE, DRUG PARAPHERNALIA

In addition, the Columbus Division of Police have been dispatched to **744 East Hudson Street**, **Columbus, Ohio 43211** on **(180) one hundred eighty** calls for service, **(80) eighty** in 2019, and **(100) one hundred** in 2020 at **Marathon**. These calls for service include responses to persons with a gun, persons with a knife, shots fired, robberies, stabbings, accidental overdoses, assaults, solicitation, fights and disturbances, O.V.I., persons needing medical assistance, car on fire, motor vehicle thefts, and narcotics complaints.

Respectfully submitted,

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