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 **0079740** issued to **Ahmads Petroleum Inc.**, which is doing business as **Sunoco** located at **2725 W. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43204**. The record owner of said permit is **Ahmad Aldamen**.

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.

A review of the Columbus Division of Police records revealed the Division of Police has created (30) thirty official police reports concerning incidents at the listed liquor establishment between January 2020 and November 2021. These reports referenced a shooting, felony assault, robberies, shots fired, weapons offenses, drug offenses, intoxicated individuals needing assistance, overdoses, menacing, domestic violence, assaults, underage tobacco sales, and motor vehicle theft, including:

March 28, 2020 MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

May 5, 2020 ROBBERY

**July 13, 2020** ROBBERY

September 7, 2020 SHOTS FIRED/SHOT SPOTTER

September 25, 2020 DRUG POSSESSION & PARAPHERNALIA December 31, 2020 PERSON WITH GUN

February 18, 2021 ROBBERY

March 15, 2021 MENACING

April 7, 2021 WEAPONS OFFENSE

April 8, 2021 RECOVERED FIREARM

May 18, 2021 UNDERAGE TOBACCO SALE

**June 11, 2021** ROBBERY

June 27, 2021 MENACING

August 4, 2021 FELONY ASSAULT/SHOOTING

August 20, 2021 ACCIDENTAL OVERDOSE

October 25, 2021 ROBBERY; ASSAULT

In addition, the Columbus Division of Police have been dispatched to **2725 W. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43204** on **(144) one hundred forty-four** calls for service, **(73) seventy-three** in 2020, and **(71) seventy-one** in 2021 at **Sunoco**. These calls for service include responses to shots fired, persons with a gun or knife, robberies, narcotics complaints, overdoses, intoxicated persons needing assistance, fights, assaults, sexual assault, indecent exposure, disturbances (including disturbances with a high risk of violence and disturbances involving intoxicated individuals and open containers), trespassing, domestic violence, property destruction, O.V.I.'s, and motor vehicle thefts. The Columbus Division of Fire was also dispatched to the location **(25) twenty-five** times from October 2020 through October 2021, including for **(8) eight** overdoses.

Respectfully submitted, e xto

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