City Council Formal Meeting



Report

Agenda Date: 6/6/2018, **Item No.** 3

Liquor License - Rosati's Pizza

Request for a liquor license. Arizona State License Application 13994.

Summary

Applicant
Jason Clouse, Agent

<u>License Type</u> Series 12 - Restaurant

Location
28325 N. Tatum Blvd., Ste. 7 & 8
Zoning Classification: C-1
Council District: 2

This request is for a new liquor license for a restaurant. This location was previously licensed for liquor sales and may currently operate with an interim permit.

The 60-day limit for processing this application was May 27, 2018. However, the applicant submitted a written request for more time.

Pursuant to A.R.S. 4-203, a spirituous liquor license shall be issued only after satisfactory showing of the capability, qualifications and reliability of the applicant and that the public convenience and the best interest of the community will be substantially served by the issuance. If an application is filed for the issuance of a license for a location, that on the date the application is filed has a valid license of the same series issued at that location, there shall be a rebuttable presumption that the public convenience and best interest of the community at that location was established at the time the location was previously licensed. The presumption shall not apply once the licensed location has not been in use for more than 180 days.

Other Active Liquor License Interest in Arizona

This applicant does not hold an interest in any other active liquor license in the State of

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Public Opinion

No protest or support letters were received within the 20-day public comment period.

Applicant's Statement

The applicant submitted the following statement in support of this application. Spelling, grammar and punctuation in the statement are shown exactly as written by the applicant on the City Questionnaire.

I have the capability, reliability and qualifications to hold a liquor license because: "I am a US Navy veteran who lives in the local community & volunteers for the local high school. I am a construction business owner of my own company for over 15 years. I believe I can perform all duties necessary to conduct business with a liquor license."

The public convenience requires and the best interest of the community will be substantially served by the issuance of the liquor license because: "I live in the community and have for 24 years. My children attend the local schools and I volunteer with the high school athletic non profit organization. I also sponsor the local school teams."

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of this application.

Attachments

Liquor License Data - Rosati's Pizza Liquor License Map - Rosati's Pizza

Responsible Department

This item is submitted by Acting Deputy City Manager Toni Maccarone and the City Clerk Department.