

North Fair Oaks Council

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Re: North Fair Oaks Council recommendations regarding off-sale licenses at 743 Marsh Road and 2701A El Camino Real in North Fair Oaks

Dear Mr. John Nibbelin:

This letter is in response to your request where you asked for a recommendation from the North Fair Oaks Council (NFOC) with regards to the businesses in the North Fair Oaks area seeking a license to sell alcohol at their current establishments. The NFOC heard the matter on the January 20th during a regularly scheduled meeting. They heard directly from the applicants of such establishments and from the public. During the public meeting on January 27th, the NFOC made the following recommendations regarding off-sale licenses at 743 Marsh Road and 2701A El Camino Real in North Fair Oaks:

In regards to the application by DT McKee Petroleum Corporation located at 743 Marsh Road, Menlo Park the NFOC voted on the following motion:

The NFOC does not support the issuance of a license to sell alcohol to the DT McKee Petroleum Corporation at 743 Marsh Road, Menlo Park. The NFOC in full quorum voted: Seven in favor of the motion and zero against the motion. Therefore, the motion passed unanimously.

In regards to the application by The Little Store located at 2701A El Camino Real, Redwood City, The NFOC voted on the following motion:

The NFOC does not support the issuance of a license to sell alcohol to the Little Store at 2701A El Camino Real, Redwood City. The NFOC in full quorum voted: Six in favor of the motion and one against the motion. The motion passed on a 6 to 1 vote.

The NFOC felt that based on the fact that the number of alcohol outlets currently exceeds the allowed number for each of the respective census tracts and that neither of these licenses would serve either the public's convenience, or necessity, no more licenses should be issued to either of these census tracts.

Sincerely,



Manuel Ramirez, Jr.
North Fair Oaks Council Chair