APPLICATIONS ZA-2025-3795-CUB



CITY PLANNING APPLICATION

THIS BOX FOR CITY PLANN	ING STAFF USE ONLY
☐ ED1 Eligible ☐ AB 2097 Eligible	
Case Number:	
Env. Case Number:	
Application Type:	
Case Filed With (Print Name):	Date Filed:
Application includes letter requesting:	
☐ Waived Hearing ☐ Concurrent hearing ☐ F	learing not to be scheduled on a specific late (e.g. vacation hold)
Related Case Number(s):	
THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLE	TED BY THE APPLICANT
Provide all information requested. Missing, incomplete All terms in this document are applicable to the singular Refer to the City Planning Application Filing Instru	ular as well as the plural forms of such terms.
1. PROJECT LOCATION	
Street Address¹:	Unit/Space Number:
Legal Description ² (Lot, Block, Tract):	
Assessor Parcel Number:	Total Lot Area:
2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION	
Present Use:	
Proposed Use:	
Project Name (if applicable):	

¹ Street Addresses must include all addresses on the subject/application site (as identified in ZIMAS—http://zimas.lacity.org).

² Legal Description must include all contiguously owned properties (even if they are not a part of the proposed project site).

Describe in detail the characteristics, scope and/or operation of the proposed project:

Additional Information Attached:	☐ YES ☐ NO		
EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS			
Complete and check all that apply:			
 ☐ Site is undeveloped or unimproved (i.e., vacant) ☐ Site has existing buildings (provide copies of building permits) ☐ Site is/was developed with uses that could release hazardous materials on soil and/or groundwater (e.g., dry cleaning, gas station, auto repair, industrial) 	 Site is located within 500 feet of a freeway or railroad Site is located within 500 feet of a sensitive use (e.g., school, park) Site has special designation (e.g., National Historic Register, Survey LA) 		
PROPOSED PROJECT INFORMATION			
Check all that apply or could apply:			
 □ Demolition of existing buildings/structures □ Relocation of existing buildings/structures □ Removal of any on-site tree □ Removal of any street tree □ Removal of protected trees onsite/in public right-of-way □ Grading □ Haul Route 	 New construction: square feet Additions to existing buildings Interior tenant improvement Exterior renovation or alteration Change of use and/or hours of operation Uses or structures in public right-of-way Phased project 		
HOUSING COMPONENT INFORMATION			
Number of Residential Units: Existing Demolish Number of	(ed) ³ + Adding = Total		
Affordable Units ⁴ : Existing Demolish(Number of Market	(ed) + Adding = Total (ed) + Adding = Total		
-	loor Area: square feet		

Number of units to be demolished and/or which have been demolished within the last five years.
 As determined by the Los Angeles Housing Department.

PARKING INFORMATION			
ls the project utilizing AB 2097?		☐ YES	\square NO
If Yes, provide a date-stamped ZIMAS Parcel Profil	e Report including AB 2097 E	Eligibility inforn	nation.
Provided # of Parking Spaces:	Required # of Parking Space	ces:	
Parking Minimum Checklist			
The following checklist will determine if parking mini Parking minimums cannot be imposed if the propos	•	•	
Check all that apply:			
 Include a minimum of 20 percent of the total dw households, students, the elderly, or persons wi Contain fewer than 20 dwelling units Are subject to parking reductions of any other a requirements) 	th disabilities		
PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY INFORMATION			
Have you submitted the <u>Planning Case Referral For</u> ls the project required to dedicate land to the public of so, what is/are the dedication requirement(s)?	right-of-way?		
3. ACTION(S) REQUESTED			
Provide the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Sapplicable) the LAMC Section or the Specific Plan/Gand follow with a description of the requested action	Overlay Section from which re	•	
Does the project include Multiple Approval Requests LAMC Section 13A.2.10. of Chapter 1A?	per	☐ YES	□ NO
Authorizing Code Section:			
Code Section from which relief is requested (if a			
Action Requested: A Conditional Use Permit to allow beverages for on-site and off-site lounge/tavern, with a 201 SF out [CPIO]. Hours of operations from entertainment.	consumption in conjunction will door patio dining area in Zones	tn an existing 1 [DM3-CHC1-5]	,919 SF] [CX2-FA]

Authorizing Code Section:				
Code Section from which relief is requested (if any):				
Action Requested:				
Additional Requests Attached:		☐ YES	☐ NO	
4. RELATED CITY PLANNING O	CASES			
Are there previous or pending cases/decion the project site?	sions/environmental clearances	☐ YES	□ NO	
If YES, list all case number(s):				
If the application/project is directly related below and complete/check all that apply (•	pertinent case r	numbers	
Case No.:	Ordinance No.:			
☐ Condition Compliance Review	Clarification of Q (Qualified)	Condition		
☐ Modification of Conditions	Clarification of D (Developm	ent) Limitation		
☐ Revision of Approved Plans	Amendment to T (Tentative)	Classification		
☐ Renewal of Entitlement	☐ Plan Approval subsequent to	o Main Condition	onal Use	
For purposes of environmental (CEQA) a larger project?	nalysis, is there intent to develop a	☐ YES	□ NO	
Have you filed, or is there intent to file, a	Subdivision with this project?	☐ YES	□ NO	
If YES, to either of the above, describe th whether or not currently filed with the City		arger project be	elow,	
5. RELATED DOCUMENTS / RE	FERRALS			
To help assigned staff coordinate with oth project, provide a copy of any applicable	•		ed	
Are there any recorded Covenants, affida	vits or easements on this property?			
☐ YES (provide copy) ☐ NO				

6. PROJECT TEAM INFORMATION (COMPLETE ALL APPLICABLE FIELDS)

APPLICANT Applicant⁵ Name: Rachel Thomas Company/Firm: Mrs B LLC Address: 400 S Main Street Unit/Space Number: 502 City: Los Angeles State: CA **Zip Code**: 90013 Telephone: 310-403-4122 E-mail: Rachel@madstonegroup.com Are you in escrow to purchase the subject property?: ☐ YES X NO PROPERTY OWNER OF RECORD ☐ Same as applicant ☐ Different from applicant Name (if different from applicant): Linda Lea Distributing Company Address: 4580 East 49th Street Unit/Space Number: N/A City: Vernon State: CA Zip Code: 90058 Telephone: _____ E-mail: ____ AGENT / REPRESENTATIVE NAME: Elizabeth Gower Company/Firm: Place Weavers Inc Address: 16241 Askin Dr, 3rd Floor Unit/Space Number: #6620 City: Pine Mountain Club State: CA **Zip Code**: 93222

E-mail: elizabeth@placeweavers.com

Telephone: 661-221-9971

⁵ An applicant is a person with a lasting interest in the completed project such as the property owner or a lessee/user of a project. An agent/representative is someone filing an application on behalf of a client.

OTHER (E.G. ARCHITECT, ENGI	NEER, CEQA CONSU	LTANT):
Name:		
Company/Firm:		
Address:	Uni	it/Space Number:
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Telephone:	E-mail:	
Primary Contact for Project Informati	on ⁶	
(Select only one. Email address and	phone number required.)	
☐ Owner ☐ Applicant ☐ Agent/R	epresentative	
To ensure notification of any public hear an individual mailing label for each men the Abutting Property Owners List.	•	• •

⁶ As of June 8, 2022, the Primary Contact for Project is required to have an Angeleno Account and register with the Ethics Commission for Significant Project Entitlements, as defined in LAMC Section <u>49.7.37(A)(6)</u>. An email address and phone number shall be required on the DCP Application Form, and the email address provided shall match the email address used to create the Angeleno Account.

PROPERTY OWNER AFFIDAVIT

Before the application can be accepted, the owner of each property involved must provide a notarized signature to verify the application is being filed with their knowledge. Staff will confirm ownership based on the records of the City Engineer or County Assessor. In the case of partnerships, corporations, LLCs or trusts an officer of the ownership entity so authorized may sign as stipulated below.

- Ownership Disclosure. If the property is owned by a partnership, corporation, LLC or trust, a
 disclosure identifying an officer of the ownership entity must be submitted. The disclosure must
 list the names and addresses of the principal owners (25% interest or greater). The signatory
 must appear in this list of names. A letter of authorization, as described below, may be submitted
 provided the signatory of the letter is included in the Ownership Disclosure. Include a copy of the
 current partnership agreement, corporate articles, or trust document as applicable.
- Letter of Authorization (LOA). An LOA from a property owner granting someone else permission to sign the application form may be provided if the property is owned by a partnership, corporation, LLC or trust or in rare circumstances when an individual property owner is unable to sign the application form. To be considered for acceptance, the LOA must indicate the name of the person being authorized the file, their relationship to the owner or project, the site address, a general description of the type of application being filed and must also include the language in items A-D below. In the case of partnerships, corporations, LLCs or trusts the LOA must be signed and notarized by the authorized signatory as shown on the Ownership Disclosure or in the case of private ownership by the property owner. Proof of Ownership for the signatory of the LOA must be submitted with said letter.
- Grant Deed. Provide a Copy of the Grant Deed If the ownership of the property does not match
 City Records and/or if the application is for a Coastal Development Permit. The Deed must
 correspond exactly with the ownership listed on the application.
- **Multiple Owners.** If the property is owned by more than one individual (e.g. John and Jane Doe or Mary Smith and Mark Jones) notarized signatures are required of all owners.
 - a. I hereby certify that I am the owner of record of the herein previously described property located in the City of Los Angeles which is involved in this application or have been empowered to sign as the owner on behalf of a partnership, corporation, LLC or trust as evidenced by the documents attached hereto.
 - b. I hereby consent to the filing of this application on my property for processing by the Department of City Planning.
 - c. I understand if the application is approved, as a part of the process the City will apply conditions of approval which may be my responsibility to satisfy including, but not limited to, recording the decision and all conditions in the County Deed Records for the property.
 - d. By my signature below, I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing statements are true and correct.

Property Owner's signatures must be signed/notarized in the presence of a Notary Public. The City requires an original signature from the property owner with the "wet" notary stamp. A Notary Acknowledgement is available for your convenience on following page.

Signature:	Date:
Print Name: Linda Lea Distributing Company	
Signature:	Date:
Print Name:	

APPLICANT DECLARATION

A separate signature from the applicant, whether they are the property owner or not, attesting to the following, is required before the application can be accepted.

- a. I hereby certify that the information provided in this application, including plans and other attachments, is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, should the stated information be found false or insufficient to fulfill the requirements of the Department of City Planning, I agree to revise the information as appropriate.
- b. I hereby certify that I have fully informed the City of the nature of the project for purposes of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and have not submitted this application with the intention of segmenting a larger project in violation of CEQA. I understand that should the City determine that the project is part of a larger project for purposes of CEQA, the City may revoke any approvals and/or stay any subsequent entitlements or permits (including certificates of occupancy) until a full and complete CEQA analysis is reviewed and appropriate CEQA clearance is adopted or certified.
- c. I understand that the environmental review associated with this application is preliminary, and that after further evaluation, additional reports, studies, applications and/or fees may be required.
- d. I understand and agree that any report, study, map or other information submitted to the City in furtherance of this application will be treated by the City as public records which may be reviewed by any person and if requested, that a copy will be provided by the City to any person upon the payment of its direct costs of duplication.
- e. I understand that the burden of proof to substantiate the request is the responsibility of the applicant. Additionally, I understand that planning staff are not permitted to assist the applicant or opponents of the project in preparing arguments for or against a request.
- f. I understand that there is no guarantee, expressed or implied, that any permit or application will be granted. I understand that each matter must be carefully evaluated and that the resulting recommendation or decision may be contrary to a position taken or implied in any preliminary discussions.
- g. I understand that if this application is denied, there is no refund of fees paid.
- h. I understand and agree to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless, the City, its officers, agents, employees, and volunteers (collectively "City), from any and all legal actions, claims, or proceedings (including administrative or alternative dispute resolution (collectively "actions")), arising out of any City process or approval prompted by this Action, either in whole or in part. Such actions include but are not limited to: actions to attack, set aside, void, or otherwise modify, an entitlement approval, environmental review, or subsequent permit decision; actions for personal or property damage; actions based on an allegation of an unlawful pattern and practice; inverse condemnation actions; and civil rights or an action based on the protected status of the petitioner or claimant under state or federal law (e.g. ADA or Unruh Act). I understand and agree to reimburse the City for any and all costs incurred in defense of such actions. This includes, but is not limited to, the payment of all court costs and attorneys' fees, all judgments or awards, damages, and settlement costs. The indemnity language in this

- paragraph is intended to be interpreted to the broadest extent permitted by law and shall be in addition to any other indemnification language agreed to by the applicant.
- i. I understand that the City is protected by numerous statutory immunities from liability for damages that may be caused by its land use regulatory actions, as set forth in Government Code, section 818, et seq. For instance, the City cannot be held liable for personal or property injuries or damages allegedly caused by its approval and issuance of any discretionary permit, entitlement or approval (Gov. Code § 818.4), or its failure to inspect or its negligence in inspecting a property for the purpose of determining whether the property complies with or violates any permit, entitlement or approval or contains or constitutes a hazard to health or safety (Gov. Code § 818.6).
- j. By my signature below, I declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that all statements contained in this application and any accompanying documents are true and correct, with full knowledge that all statements made in this application are subject to investigation and that any false or dishonest answer to any question may be grounds for denial or subsequent revocation of license or permit.

need to be notarized.	
Signature:	Date:
Print Name:	

The City requires an original signature from the applicant. The applicant's signature below does not

NEIGHBORHOOD CONTACT SHEET (OPTIONAL)

7. SIGNATURES

Signatures of adjoining or neighboring property owners in support of the request are not required but are helpful, especially for projects in single-family residential areas. Signatures may be provided below (attach additional sheets if necessary).

NAME (Print)	SIGNATURE	ADDRESS	KEY#ON MAP

REVIEW of the project by the applicable Neighborhood Council is not required but is helpful. If applicable, describe, below or separately, any contact you have had with the Neighborhood Council or other community groups, business associations and/or officials in the area surrounding the project site (attach additional sheets if necessary).

FINDINGS/SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS



ALCOHOL & ENTERTAINMENT ESTABLISHMENTS Class 2 Conditional Use Permit (Chapter 1 Zoning)

Related Code Sections

This form applies to properties subject to zoning established in Chapter 1 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC). For properties subject to zoning established in Chapter 1A of the LAMC, please use form CP13-7773.A. For more information on a property's applied zoning, visit zimas.lacity.org.

Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 12.24 W.1 (Class 2 Conditional Use Permit) of Chapter 1 authorizes applications for alcohol establishments (CUB); and Section 12.24 W.18 (Class 2 Conditional Use Permit) of Chapter 1 authorizes applications for entertainment establishments (CUX). Procedures for a Class 2 Conditional Use Permit are governed by LAMC Section 13B.2.2. of Chapter 1A.

Public Hearing and Notice

Notification of a public hearing for the above process includes Property Owners and Occupants (i.e., tenants) within 300 feet from the boundaries of the subject site and the Certified Neighborhood Council representing the area in which the property is located, as well as on-site posting of the notice. This is for informational purposes only and not required at the time of filing, unless otherwise requested. Refer to the Mailing Procedures Instructions (CP13-2074) and Posting Instructions (CP-7762) for applicable requirements.

Specialized Requirements

When filing for the above application, the following items are required in addition to those specified in the City Planning Application Filing Instructions (CP13-7810).

Radius Map Requirements

Requests for alcohol establishments pursuant to LAMC Section 12.24 W.1 of Chapter 1 are required to include the following. Note that these requirements are separate from the Public Noticing requirements detailed in the Mailing Notification Procedures (<u>CP13-2074</u>), which will be requested by the Project Planner 6-8 weeks prior to the public hearing.

A 600-foot radius map showing land uses. See Radius Map Guidelines (<u>CP-7826</u>) for applicable additional requirements.
A list of alcohol establishments between 600 and 1,000 feet of the site. Include the type of license and address.

□ A lis	st of the following types uses within 600 feet:
•	Residential uses and type (e.g., single-family, apartment, hotel) Churches Schools, including nursery schools and child-care facilities Hospitals Parks, public playgrounds, and recreational areas Establishments dispensing, for consideration, alcoholic beverages for consumption on or off premises
Addi	tional Requirements for Main CUBs or CUXs
	eparate sheet containing a table identifying all CUB or CUX requests on the subject site, cating the:
•	Type of alcohol permit sought Square footage of each particular restaurant, bar, or event space Address or suite/unit number corresponding to each CUB or CUX request Tenant-operator of each alcohol or adult entertainment establishment (if known)
Spec	cialized Questions
reques submit	ms below cover important information which will help acquaint the decision maker with your t. The information is required but should not be considered as a limitation upon materials to be ted. The applicant is encouraged to include any additional relevant materials. In the space or on separate paper, if necessary, complete the following:
Physic	cal Development of the Site
1.	What is the total square footage of the building or center in which the establishment is located?
2.	What is the total square footage of the space the establishment will occupy?
3.	What is the total occupancy load of the space as determined by the Fire Department?
4.	What is the total number of seats that will be provided: Indoors? Outdoors?
5.	If there is an outdoor area, will there be an option to consume alcohol outdoors? ☐ YES ☐ NO ☐ N/A

6.	If there is an outdoor area, is it located on private property or the public right-of-way, or both?		
7.	If an outdoor area is within the public right-of-way, has a revocable		: been obtained? S □ NO □ N/A
8.	Is floor area being added?		☐ YES ☐ NO
	If YES, how much is enclosed? Outdoors?		
9.	Is the site located within 1,000 feet of any schools (public, private, or parks?	r nurs	ery), churches or ☐ YES ☐ NO
10.	For massage parlors and sexual encounter establishments, is the si other Adult Entertainment Businesses as defined by LAMC 12.70 B		Chapter 1?
Parkir	ng		
11.	How many parking spaces are available on the site?		
12.	Are they shared or designated for the subject use?		
13.	If adding floor area, what is the parking requirement as determined Building and Safety (LADBS)?	by the	Department of
14.	Have any arrangements been made to provide off-site parking?		□ YES □ NO
	If YES, is the parking secured via a private lease or a covenant/affic	davit a	pproved by LADBS?
	Note: Required parking must be secured via a covenant pursuant to of Chapter 1. A private lease is only permitted by a Variance.	o LAM	IC Section 12.26 E.5
15.	Provide a map showing the location of the off-site parking and the distance, in feet, for pedestrian travel between the parking area the use it is to serve.		e, in feet, for
16.	Will valet service be available?		□ YES □ NO
17.	Will the service be for a charge?	N/A	☐ YES ☐ NO

Operation	of the	Establis	hment
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18	Has the use been discontinued for more than a year?						☐ YES ☐ NO				
	If YES, it is not eligible for the Plan Approval process.										
	If NO, the applicant may be required to prove that the discontinuance of the use did not occur. See LAMC Section 12.23 B.9 or 12.24 Q of Chapter 1.										
19. What are the proposed hours of operation and which days of the week will the establishment be open?											
		M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Su]		
	Proposed Hours of Operation	7am-2am	7am-2am	7am-2am	7am-2am	7am-2am	7am-2am	7am-2am			
20	. Will there be entertainment such as a piano bar, dancing, live entertainment, movies, karaoke video game machines, etc.? □ YES □ NO										
	If YES, describe:										
	Note: An establishment that allows for dancing needs a Class 2 Conditional Use Permit pursuant to 12.24 W.18 of Chapter 1.										
21	. Will there	Will there be minimum age requirements for entry?							☐ YES ☐ NO		
	If YES, w	hat is the m	inimum age	requiremer	nt and how v	vill it be enfo	orced?				
22	. Will there	be any acc		□ YES □ NO							
	If YES, w	rhat will be s	old?								
Sec	urity										
23	. How man	ny employee	s will be on	the site at a	any given tin	ne?					
24	. Will secu	Will security guards be provided onsite?						☐ YES ☐ NO			
If YES, how many and when?											
25	. Has LAP	Has LAPD issued any citations or violations?							☐ YES ☐ NO		
If YES, provide copies.											

Alcoh	ol								
26.	Will there be beer & wine only, or a full line of alcoholic beverages available?								
27.	Will "fortified" wine (greater than 16% alcohol) be sold?	□ YES □ NO							
28.	Will alcohol be consumed on any adjacent property under the control of the	e applicant? □ YES □ NO							
29 . Food	 Will there be signs visible from the exterior that advertise the availability of alcohol? ☐ YES ☐ NO 								
	Will there be a kitchen on the site?	□ YES □ NO							
31.	Will alcohol be sold without a food order?	☐ YES ☐ NO							
32.	Will the sale of alcohol exceed the sale of food items on a quarterly basis? ☐ YES ☐ NO								
33.	Provide a copy of the menu if food is to be served.								
On-S	ite								
34.	Will a bar or cocktail lounge be maintained incidental to a restaurant?	□ YES □ NO							
	If YES, the floor plans must show the details of the cocktail lounge and the separation betwee the dining and lounge facilities.								
35.	Will off-site sales of alcohol be provided accessory to on-site sales ("Take								
	If YES, a request for off-site sales of alcohol is also required.	□ YES □ NO							
36.	Will discounted alcoholic drinks ("Happy Hour") be offered at any time?	□ YES □ NO							
Off-S	ite								
37.	7. Will cups, glasses or other containers be sold which might be used for the consumption of alcohol on the premises? ☐ YES ☐ NO								

Note: Contact the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) regarding its requirements at http://www.abc.ca.gov/.

38. Will beer or wine coolers be sold in single cans, or will wine be sold in containers less than 750

ml?

☐ YES ☐ NO

Caldera Bill (CA Business and Professions Code Section 23958 and 23958.4)

39.	Is this application a request for on-site or off-site sales of alcoholic beverages?	
	□ YES □ NO	
	If YES, is the establishment a bona-fide eating place (restaurant) or hotel/motel?	

If NO, contact ABC to determine whether the proposed site is located in an area where issuance of a license to serve alcohol on-site or off-site would tend to create a law enforcement problem, or if issuance would result in, or add to an undue concentration of licenses.

Notes: If ABC has determined that an eligible use is in an area of high crime or undue concentration of licenses, the City Council will need to make the finding that the issuance of the license is required for **public convenience** or **necessity**. This is <u>in addition to</u> obtaining the Conditional Use Permit or Plan Approval. Contact the ABC regarding its requirements at http://www.abc.ca.gov/.

Findings

The decision maker must decide if the facts presented in the record support the findings (i.e., criteria for approval) established in the LAMC. On a separate sheet, provide a detailed justification/explanation of how the proposed project conforms with the following:

- 1. The project will enhance the built environment in the surrounding neighborhood or will perform a function or provide a service that is essential or beneficial to the community, city, or region.
- 2. The project's location, size, height, operations, and other significant features will be compatible with and will not adversely affect or further degrade adjacent properties, the surrounding neighborhood, or the public health, welfare, and safety.
- **3.** The project substantially conforms with the purpose, intent and provisions of the General Plan, the applicable community plan, and any applicable specific plan.

Supplemental Findings

In addition to the above findings for approval, the decision maker must also consider the following matters. The information is required but should not be considered as a limitation upon materials to be submitted. The applicant is encouraged to include any additional relevant materials.

- 1. The proposed use will not adversely affect the welfare of the pertinent community.
- 2. The granting of the application will not result in an undue concentration of premises for the sale or dispensing for consideration of alcoholic beverages, including beer and wine, in the area of

the City involved, giving consideration to applicable State laws and to the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control's guidelines for undue concentration; and also giving consideration to the number and proximity of these establishments within a one thousand foot radius of the site, the crime rate in the area (especially those crimes involving public drunkenness, the illegal sale or use of narcotics, drugs or alcohol, disturbing the peace and disorderly conduct), and whether revocation or nuisance proceedings have been initiated for any use in the area.

3. The proposed use will not detrimentally affect nearby residentially zoned communities in the area of the City involved, after giving consideration to the distance of the proposed use from residential buildings, churches, schools, hospitals, public playgrounds and other similar uses, and other establishments dispensing, for sale or other consideration, alcoholic beverages, including beer and wine.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT - FINDINGS "Bar Franca" 438 South Main Street Los Angeles, CA 90013

Representative:

Elizabeth Peterson-Gower Place Weavers Inc 16241 Askin Dr, 3rd Floor #6620 Pine Mountain Club, CA 93222 (661) 221-9971 elizabeth@placeweavers.com **Applicant:**

Mrs. B, LLC c/o Rachel Thomas 400 South Main Street, Suite 502 Los Angeles, CA 90013

REQUEST:

Pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 12.24W,1, the applicant is requesting a new Conditional Use Permit to allow for the sale and dispensing of a full line of alcoholic beverages for on-site and off-site consumption and live entertainment, in conjunction with an existing 1,919 SF lounge/tavern, with a 201 SF outdoor patio dining area in Zone [DM3-CHC1-5] [CX2-FA] [CPIO]. Hours of operations from 7:00am to 2:00am, daily.

GENERAL CONDITIONAL USE FINDINGS:

1. The project will enhance the built environment in the surrounding neighborhood or will perform a function or provide a service that is essential or beneficial to the community, city, or region.

The requested conditional use for the on-site and off-site sale and consumption of a full-line of alcoholic beverages in an existing lounge/tavern will continue to provide an amenity that serves the workers, residents, and visitors of the Downtown community. The existing use is consistent with the type of developments found in areas that are undergoing revitalization. It will continue to provide a much-needed amenity to the area's workers, residents, and visitors, providing an appealing outlet for the area's diverse population to gather. Furthermore, the existing lounge/tavern attracts increased pedestrian activity which improves safety especially during the evening hours while enhancing the neighborhood's aesthetics, livability, and vibrancy.

2. The project's location, size, height, operations, and other significant features will be compatible with and will not adversely affect or further degrade adjacent properties, the surrounding neighborhood, or the public health, welfare, and safety.

The subject property totals 5,832 square feet, consisting of 3 lots (17-19) located on the corner of Main Street and Winston Street. The property is developed with a three-story approximately 38,000 square foot mixed-used building with ground floor commercial space. The applicants are

responsible operators having successfully maintained this existing ground-floor lounge/tavern for more than a decade in Downtown Los Angeles. This area in the Historic Core has improved significantly over the years as more restaurants, stores, bars, residential, and similar developments have opened. The existing lounge/tavern continues to contribute to revitalization efforts in the Downtown area. Lastly, as no additional floor area is being proposed with this application, the scale of the building has been and will continue to be in harmony with adjacent properties and the surrounding community.

3. The project substantially conforms with the purpose, intent and provisions of the General Plan, the applicable community plan, and any applicable specific plan.

The existing lounge/tavern adheres to the intent and provisions of the General Plan and Downtown Community Plan. The Downtown Community Plan identifies 8 core principles, and the existing project aligns with the following 3 core principles:

- Support and sustain Downtown's ongoing revitalization
- Grow and support the residential base
- Promote a transit, bicycle and pedestrian-friendly environment

The existing lounge/tavern has been operating for over a decade, contributing to revitalization efforts in the Arts District of Downtown. The project celebrates history, culture, community, and the arts with its live entertainment and focus on jazz performances, paying homage to Central Avenue and the historically significant jazz scene in Downtown.

The existing lounge/tavern will also continue to provide a residential-serving amenity, contributing to the growth and support of the residential base.

Lastly, the existing ground-floor commercial use continues to contribute to the need for vibrant, active streets, increasing pedestrian traffic and prioritizing pedestrian safety.

The combination of the applicant's track record of successful operation of the existing lounge/tavern and the conditions and limitations imposed by the Zoning Administrator ensures the continued use will operate in conformance with the intent, purpose, and provisions of the General Plan and Downtown Community Plan.

SUPPLEMENTAL FINDINGS:

1. The proposed use will not adversely affect the welfare of the pertinent community.

The continued use will not adversely affect the welfare of the pertinent community. The applicant has been committed to operating the establishment responsibly. The existing lounge/tavern has been successfully operating for over 10 years and the applicant has worked with the community, including the Los Angeles Police Department, to mitigate any adverse or potential impacts. The

intent of this project is to continue to provide a much-needed neighborhood amenity that will contribute to sustaining Downtown's ongoing revitalization. In conjunction with the conditions and limitations imposed by the Zoning Administrator, the continued use will only enhance the welfare and safety of the pertinent community.

2. The granting of the application will not result in an undue concentration of premises for the sale or dispensing for consideration of alcoholic beverages, including beer and wine, in the area of the City involved, giving consideration to applicable State laws and to the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control's guidelines for undue concentration; and also giving consideration to the number and proximity of these establishments within a one thousand foot radius of the site, the crime rate in the area (especially those crimes involving public drunkenness, the illegal sale or use of narcotics, drugs or alcohol, disturbing the peace and disorderly conduct), and whether revocation or nuisance proceedings have been initiated for any use in the area.

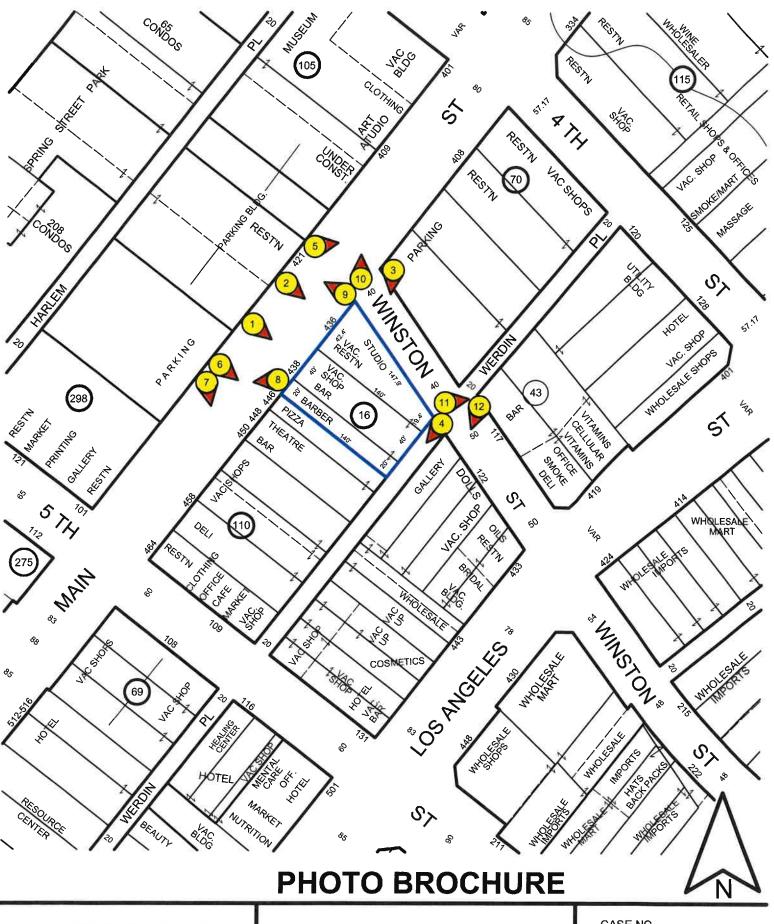
The approval of the existing use will not result in or contribute to an undue concentration of such establishments. The establishment has been operating successfully for over a decade and has an existing liquor license. Additionally, there are no violations on record with the Los Angeles Police Department. As residential occupancy increases, there is continued demand for establishments such as this. The existing use will continue to operate in harmony and continue to contribute to the desire for successful neighborhood-oriented, hospitality-based businesses.

3. The proposed use will not detrimentally affect nearby residential zoned communities in the area of the City involved, after giving consideration to the distance of the proposed use from residential buildings, churches, schools, hospitals, public playgrounds and other similar uses, and other establishments dispensing, for sale or other consideration, alcoholic beverages, including beer and wine.

The Downtown Community Plan recognizes the need for ground-floor commercial uses that provide neighborhood-supporting retail, services, and amenities for the rapidly growing residential community. As such, the existing use will continue to serve this need in an area densely populated by residents as well as working professionals and continue to provide a place to gather. The existing ground-floor use will also continue to increase safety for pedestrians especially during the evening and improve the streetscape.

The requested live entertainment will not detrimentally affect nearby residential uses. It is limited to non-amplified solo and trio live performances, dj sets, recorded music, and records.

The applicant is committed to providing a neighborhood amenity that takes into consideration the needs of the nearby residential community and will work with the Office of Zoning Admiration and the Los Angeles Police Department to develop a security plan for the premises and identify the appropriate conditions to mitigate foreseeable impacts of the existing lounge/tavern.



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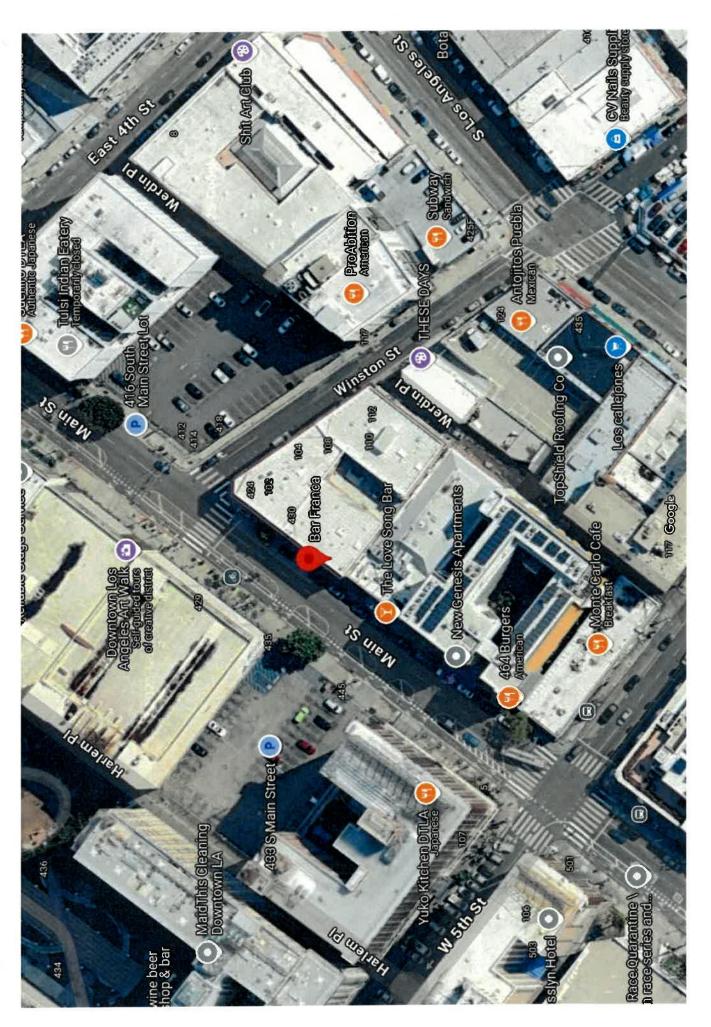
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