CITY OF WEST DES MOINES
CITY COUNCIL MEETING COMMUNICATION

ITEM: Approval of Liquor Licenses **DATE:** August 20, 2018

FINANCIAL IMPACT: None

BACKGROUND: In accordance with the Iowa Code Section 123.1 and the West Des Moines City Code Title 3, Business and Licensing, Chapter 2, Beer and Liquor Control, the following licenses have been investigated and reviewed by the WDM Police Department and, when necessary, by Building Inspection and/or Fire Department staff, and are presented to the City Council for approval. Copies of license applications are available, for your review, in the Office of the City Clerk.

1. 515 bar&grill, LLC d/b/a 515 bar&grill, 165 South Jordan Creek Parkway, Suite 120 & 125 - Class LC Liquor License with Sunday Sales and Outdoor Service - Renewal
2. Embassy Club West, LLC, d/b/a Embassy West - Class LC Liquor License with Carryout Wine, Sunday Sales, Outdoor Service, and Catering Privileges - Renewal
3. Fox Brewing, LLC d/b/a Fox Brewing, 103 South 11th Street - Class B Beer Permit with Sunday Sales, Brew Pub, High Proof Brew Pub, and Outdoor Service Privileges - Renewal
4. G.O.C.C. Investments, LLC, d/b/a Glen Oaks Country Club, 1401 Glen Oaks Drive - Class LC Liquor License with Carryout Wine, Sunday Sales, Outdoor Service, and Catering Privileges - Renewal
5. Fall Foods, Inc., d/b/a Godfathers Pizza, 5919 Ashworth Road - Class B Beer Permit with Sunday Sales - Renewal
6. KRG JCS, LLC d/b/a Joe's Crab Shack #10739, 130 South Jordan Creek Parkway - Class LC Liquor License with Sunday Sales and Outdoor Service - Renewal
7. Mac Shack, LLC d/b/a Mac Shack, 1551 Valley West Drive, Suite 253 - Class LC Liquor License with Sunday Sales - New

   *The City Attorney's Office and the Police Department have expressed concern regarding approval of the application of Darin Mitchell for a liquor license for Mac Shack, indicating that the applicant's history negatively reflects upon the requirement that the applicant be of "good reputation" or "good moral character." Given this concern, each Department is recommending approval of the liquor license with the understanding that if, at the time of renewal, additional events have occurred which negatively reflect upon the applicant's good character, a recommendation of denial may be made.

8. Miranda Family Corporation d/b/a Mi Patria, 1410 22nd Street - Class LC Liquor License - New
9. International Event Center, Inc., d/b/a Val Air, 301 Ashworth Road - Class LC Liquor License Extension of Outdoor Service - September 2-5, 2018

OUTSTANDING ISSUES (if any): None

RECOMMENDATION: Motion to approve the issuance of liquor licenses in the City of West Des Moines.

Lead Staff Member: Ryan T. Jacobson, City Clerk RTJ

STAFF REVIEWS

Department Director	Ryan T. Jacobson, City Clerk
Appropriations/Finance	
Legal	
Agenda Acceptance	RTJ