

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 10/22/2019

File #: 19-1542

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Steve Madrone

Agenda Section: Consent

SUBJECT:

Letter in support of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) rescinding Dollar General (located across the street from McKinleyville High School) Liquor License (Supervisor Steve Madrone)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the chair to sign the letter of support.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

DISCUSSION:

Concerned for the safety and wellbeing of the students at McKinleyville High School and complaints from concerned McKinleyville residents, 5th District Supervisor Madrone and former 5th District Supervisor Sundberg wrote to ABC requesting they not approve Dollar General's liquor license application, expressing concerns for student safety and constituent concerns near the location. However, ABC chose to move forward and approved the conditioned liquor license application.

ABC's decision is now being appealed and a hearing has been scheduled on November 6, 2019 to consider rescinding approval of the liquor license.

The Board of Supervisors is in full support of rescinding this liquor license and is sending a letter to ABC requesting the license be revoked as it is in the best interest of public safety.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK:

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by creating opportunities for improved safety and health.

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OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC)

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Board discretion

ATTACHMENTS:

A. Letter of Support

B. Regulation of Liquor Licenses Near Schools Resolution

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: N/A

Meeting of: N/A File No.: N/A