

Bristol Police Department



November 23, 2021

TO:

Steven Contente, Town Administrator

FROM:

Kevin M. Lynch, Chief of Police

SUBJECT:

Courtney and Oliver Poissant for JB's LLC, 588 Wood Street—

Request for One Additional Class BV Liquor License

Mr. Contente:

Lieutenant Wozny has reviewed the petitioner's request, and I agree with his recommendation. Please see attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Kevin M. Lynch Chief of Police

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Attachment

STEVEN CONTENTE
TOWN Administrator

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TOWN COUNCIL

MEETING



Bristol Police Department

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MEMORANDUM

TO

: CHIEF KEVIN M. LYNCH

DATE: 11-22-2021

VIA

:PROPER CHANNELS

FROM

: LIEUTENANT ROMAN WOZNY

SUBJECT: JB'S LLC, 588 WOOD ST. REQUEST FOR ONE

ADDITONAL CLASS BV LIQUOR LICENSE.

Sir,

Courtney Poissant and Oliver Poissant are in the process of purchasing the property located at 588 Wood St., formally, PIC Club and they are requesting a class BV liquor license for the establishment. Currently the establishment has a class D license for a private club, which they are looking to relinquish.

I spoke to Courtney Poissant regarding her request for a BV license for the establishment. Ms. Poissant advised that she is looking to open the establishment bar area from Wednesday to Sunday from 3pm to 1am. Currently the bar area has 15 seats, and the bar room holds a maximum of 50 people. The bar area will also have a small food menu for its customers. Additionally, the establishment has a full kitchen and a function room with a small service bar. The function room holds a maximum of 120 people. Ms. Poissant is looking to rent the function room for small parties and have the ability to sell alcohol during the functions.

It should be noted that 588 Wood St. is situated in a residential area, Wood St. at Roma St. where residents live in a very close proximity to the establishment. Additionally, the establishment does not have off-street parking and street parking is very limited. If this establishment is allowed to remain open past 11pm, it may negatively affect families who reside in that area.

I also spoke to the Director of Community Development, Diane Williamson regarding this establishment. Ms. Williamson informed me that this establishment is located in a limited business zone, therefore, Ms. Poissant would need to apply for a special use permit from the zoning board prior to proceeding with this BV license request petition.

If the Town Council approves this additional license, I recommend a 6-month review be conducted of the establishment to ensure that all laws and town ordinances area followed.

Respectfully submitted,

Lt. Roman Wozny
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