

AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

TO: FRUITA CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR

FROM: DEBRA WOODS, DEPUTY CITY CLERK

DATE: JULY 20, 2021

RE: LIQUOR LICENSE RENEWAL - APPROVING THE RENWAL OF A

BEER AND WINE – MALT & VINOUS LIQUOR LICENSE (ON-PREMISES) FOR BESTSLOPE COFFEE COMPANY LOCATED

AT 129 N. PEACH ST.

BACKGROUND

The Beer and Wine Liquor License for Bestslope Coffee Company located at 129 N. Peach St. is up for renewal. Their current license expires on **August 22**, **2022**.

The Police Department report indicates there has been nothing of concern that would hinder the renewal. There are no current TIPS certificates on file at the City Clerk's Office.

The following information is provided as background on the liquor license renewal process:

The licensing authority may refuse to renew any license for good cause, subject to judicial review. This item is placed on the agenda for the Council to determine if there is any cause for a hearing to be held on the renewal of the liquor license. If there is no cause for a hearing, the City Council should approve the renewal of the existing license. If there is cause for a hearing, the City Council should set a date to hold a quasi-judicial hearing to determine if there are sufficient grounds for suspension or revocation of the liquor license. The City Council may also temporarily suspend any license, without notice, pending any prosecution, investigation or public hearing. No such suspension shall be for a period of more than 15 days.

FISCAL IMPACT

None.

APPLICABILITY TO CITY GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

The City of Fruita is charged with protection of the public health, safety and welfare. The review and renewal of liquor licenses ensures that licensed establishments are operating by the rules and regulations adopted by the City and State concerning the sale or service of beer and alcoholic beverages.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE TO THE COUNCIL

- 1. Renew the Beer and Wine Liquor License.
- 2. Schedule a hearing date to determine if there is good cause for the license to be suspended or revoked.

RECOMMENDATION

It is the recommendation of staff that the Council move to:

RENEW THE BEER AND WINE LIQUOR LICENSE FOR BESTSLOPE COFFEE COMPANY LOCATED AT 129 N. PEACH ST.