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The Honorable Mayor Rich Hofeld Mayor and Liquor Commissioner
Village of Homewood
2020 Chestnut Road
Homewood, IL 60430

Dear Mayor Hofeld,

My name is William Davis, and I am an owner of Bergstein's NY Deli in Homewood.

I am writing to formally request consideration for a liquor license for Bergstein's NY Deli as part of our efforts to thoughtfully expand our business and further enhance our role as a community gathering place. Our goal is to responsibly offer a limited selection of beer and/or wine to complement our menu and to support community-focused programming.

Specifically, we are interested in hosting family-friendly events such as trivia nights, open mic nights, and other small community gatherings that would provide additional opportunities for residents to connect locally. We are committed to operating in full compliance with all Village of Homewood regulations and to maintaining the high standards of professionalism and responsibility that our customers and the Village expect.

Bergstein's NY Deli has always taken pride in being a positive and engaged member of the Homewood business community. We believe this addition would allow us to further contribute to the vibrancy of the village while continuing to operate in a safe, controlled, and community-oriented manner.

I would welcome the opportunity to discuss this request with you or the appropriate members of the Village staff and to provide any additional information needed as part of the review process.

Thank you for your time, consideration, and continued service to the Homewood community.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Will Davis", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

William Davis
Owner, Bergstein's NY Deli

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