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MEMORANDUM

To: Honorable Mayor, Chuck Nickolay; Members of the City Council, Shawn Ryan, Maggie Bass, Bruce Wolf, Rik Seiler and City Administrator, Joshua Tetzlaff

From: Tim Applen, Police Chief / Emergency Manager

Date: Thursday, July 16th, 2026

Subject: Temporary Patio Extension for Giesenbräu Bier Co

Giesenbräu Bier Co LLC made a request for a premises extension for consumption of alcohol and wine for Brex Prague Tasting Event & Pilsner Cup on August 15th, 2026. The event will be in a fenced-in area on the west side of the building with access from the double doors on the west side of building.

Erin Franklin Hutton provided a certificate of insurance as proof of extended liquor liability insurance for the outside property and provided the permit fees for the event. Consumption of alcoholic beverages in non-glass containers would be allowed inside the fenced-in area. Serving of alcohol will be contained within the building. Attached is a map which indicates the fence placement. This event will have the same layout as the previously approved Oktoberfest, ALS, and Dollars for Deb fundraiser events.

The following conditions are set forth to control alcohol access for underage consumption:

- Outdoor event will take place during business hours Saturday, August 15th, 2026.
- Consumption of alcoholic beverages in non-glass sealed containers would be allowed in the fenced in area. All other serving of alcohol will be contained within the building.
- The fence will be installed prior to event, with contact points to the building (or semi-permanent structure) affixed in a manner that does not allow for easy access through that contact point.
- The "fenced in area" will be accessible through the business entrance. The business entry will be monitored by employees to aid in monitoring for unlawful consumption and maintaining control of the consumption area.
- All guests will be identified by photo id, to prevent underage sale of alcohol.

Action recommended: Approval of Temporary Patio Extension for Giesenbräu Bier Co with the above conditions.

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