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TO: Members of the Licensing Board

Joery's Inc., d/b/a Lindberg's by the River, experienced the death of its owner, Josephine Lindberg, earlier this year. The trustees of the estate did not notify the City of the change in ownership status, which has resulted in a delay in the liquor license renewal process.

If the Licensing Board recommends approval of the successor agent, staff recommends such approval be conditioned upon verification that the corporation remains properly structured and that the applicants have the legal authority to operate the business on behalf of the corporation.

Additionally, if the Licensing Board recommends renewal of the liquor license, staff recommends the renewal be conditioned upon:

1. A satisfactory health inspection; and
2. Verification that the corporation remains properly structured and that the applicants have the legal authority to operate the business on behalf of the corporation.

Please note that the renewal application is subject to the statutory 15-day waiting period from the date a complete application is submitted. As a result, the renewal will not be eligible for Common Council consideration until the July 7, 2026, meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Megan Dunneisen
City Clerk