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Dear Jim and Review Committee members,

I am writing in reference to the changes that are under review for ZuZu Cafe to shift to a 21+ Entertainment license. Representatives of ZuZu Cafe attended the Greenbush Neighborhood Association monthly meeting tonight and presented their plan for hosting swing dancing events at the cafe. They walked us through the changes this might bring to neighborhood, and what kinds of impacts this would have to their business. It's clear that the effort to bring dancing to the venue is coming from the community (two hopeful dancers attended the meeting as well) and is likely to create minimal noticeable shifts in the tenor and tone of ZuZu in the neighborhood.

The neighborhood association hosts events at ZuZu and has always found them to be a responsible and thoughtful partner. ZuZu has a very clear process for handling alcohol sales and verifying that buyers are of age. The concerts currently hosted at ZuZu respect 'reasonable' quiet times and have never resulted in damage to property or spillover behavior that I'm aware of.

The Greenbush Neighborhood Council supports extending the scope of ZuZu's license and looks forward to seeing a broadened variety of events at the cafe.

Thanks,
Aris Blevins
President
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