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Sent: Thursday, June 03, 2010 3:30 PM
To: Tretow-Schmitz, Jean; 'John Koch'
Cc: Peng Her; EENA Council; Mayor; ALL ALDERS; cameron.birch@Walgreens.com
Subject: RE: Possible beer and wine sales at Walgreens at 2909 E. Washington Ave (Madison East Shopping Center)

None of the far east neighborhoods are supportive of this and will be sending letters noting same.

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From: Tretow-Schmitz, Jean
Sent: Thursday, June 03, 2010 2:35 PM
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Subject: RE: Possible beer and wine sales at Walgreens at 2909 E. Washington Ave. (Madison East Shopping Center)

John:

I just wanted to let you know that the following Walgreens locations have applied for liquor licenses which will be considered at the June 16, 2010 Alcohol License Review Committee meeting:

8302 Old Sauk Rd
4518 Cottage Grove Rd
606 S Whitney Way
108 Cottage Grove Rd
7810 Mineral Point Rd

Thank you,

Jean

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From: John Koch [<mailto:eenapres@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Thursday, June 03, 2010 2:12 PM
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Cc: Peng Her; EENA Council
Subject: Possible beer and wine sales at Walgreens at 2909 E. Washington Ave. (Madison East Shopping Center)

Dear Mr. Birch, Mayor Cieslewicz, and members of the Madison ALRC and Common Council:

We have been informed that Walgreens intends to file an application this month for licenses to sell beer and wine at several of its Madison locations.

The Emerson East Neighborhood Association has voted to oppose the issuance of a license for beer and wine sales to the Walgreens Store located at 2909 E. Washington Ave.

We oppose beer and wine sales at this particular Walgreens due to its close proximity to other liquor outlets. Part of the case for beer and liquor sales at Walgreens stores is a desire for "one-stop shopping." There is a liquor store directly across the street from the Madison East Shopping Center and another so close that its parking area abuts the Walgreens parking area. Not only would beer and wine sales at this Walgreens store over-saturate the E. Johnson St. - E. Washington Ave. intersection, it would also endanger the existence of two small, locally-owned and neighborhood-scale liquor stores.

We ask Walgreens not to include the store at the Madison East Shopping Center in its plans for beer and wine sales.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Koch
Co-Chair, Emerson East Neighborhood Association