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Hello:

We are all aware of the tragedy surrounding the former cook at the Red Rooster. We do not condone any excess use of alcohol by anyone and Tim of all people knows this more than most. As a recovering alcoholic and twenty four years sober, I have seen Tim's life change for the better as he has faced his own alcohol challenges and after a year of sobriety has become a model citizen. He brings great music and great people together, and gives all of us as musicians, a location where we are able to live out our dreams of playing live in front of crowds. Please think about what good he has done and NOT what one former employee did while Tim was busy taking care of his family. He is an outstanding man that has overcome more adversity than most and by not renewing his licenses you are not only taking away the livelihood of many but also the chance for a former alcoholic to do the right thing by continuing to educate people with drinking problems, to become part of a recovery program known as Alcoholics Anonymous. He has been instrumental in helping to so many people that to revoke his licenses is not only the wrong thing to do but at the cost of so many trying to put their lives in order.

I thank you for taking the time to read this and to do the right thing.

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