

May 14, 2018

To: Alcohol License Review Committee

CC: TLNA Council  
Ledell Zellers, Alder District 2  
Rigina MacNaughton, Pasqual's Cantina  
Courtney Lovas, Isthmus Magazine

Re: TLNA Support for Margarita & Taco Festival

To the ALRC,

Rigina MacNaughton and Courtney Lovas appeared before the TLNA Council on May 10, 2018, seeking support for a change to licensed premises for Pasqual's Cantina at 1344 E. Washington Ave. for one day, July 21, 2018. Pasqual's has partnered with Isthmus for a Margarita & Taco Festival in the parking lot behind the restaurant, as they did in 2017. The event is planned from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM. The number of vendors is being increased to 20 taco vendors and 20 margarita vendors. The entire parking area behind Pasquals will be fenced for the event. A DJ will play music near the restaurant, but will not be broadcast through the neighborhood. They are partnering with Union Cab for safe taxi rides and anticipate having a bike corral within the festival for expanded bike parking. There was no negative feedback from neighbors after the 2017 event.

The TLNA Council voted unanimously to support the change to licensed premises, for the 2018 date only, so that we have an opportunity to review the impact on the neighborhood before 2019. We request the condition that alcohol be served only during the four hours of the event, ending at 8:00 PM.

If you have any questions or if I can provide any additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Patty Prime, president  
Tenney-Lapham Neighborhood Association