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Subject: Re: ALRC Regent St Mini-Mart
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To whom it may concern:

The issue isn't one of consuming alcohol on premises, notwithstanding any mistake that had been made with the initial application.

The applicant met with the Vilas Neighborhood Association in conjunction with this application. I informed them at that time that their plan to open a mini-mart at the location of the long-vacant convenience store would be most welcome by the neighborhood, with the one exception that I did not think the residents of Vilas wanted hard liquor to be on the shelves. The VNA Council did vote in favor of the application with conditions that no hard liquor be sold.

The previous business operating at this site, from what I understand, did not sell hard liquor, only beer and wine. Similarly, the nearby Quik Trip does not sell hard liquor. Regent Liquor is just down the street and the proximity to the UW campus provides sufficient reasons to restrict the number of locations where carryout hard liquor can be purchased.

I respectfully ask that you grant this license with the condition supported by the district alder, the neighborhood, and the district MPD captain.

Thank you.

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