

April 14, 2017

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 appeared before the TLNA Council on April 13, 2017, seeking support for a change to licensed premises for Pasqual's Cantina at 1344 E. Washington Ave. for one day, June 10, 2017. Pasqual's has partnered with Isthmus for a Margarita & Taco Festival in the parking lot behind the restaurant. The event is planned from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM. It is our understanding that the event is ticketed, will be fenced, and security provided by Madison Police and also from a private company. Music is planned for the event, but not broadcast through the neighborhood. Transportation alternatives will be encouraged.

Pasqual's held a neighborhood meeting to introduce the festival and responded positively to the concerns and questions that were discussed at that meeting.

The TLNA Council voted unanimously to support the change to licensed premises, for the 2017 date only, so that we have an opportunity to review the impact on the neighborhood before 2018. We request the condition that alcohol be served only during the four hours of the event, ending at 7:00 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