

**From:** Deidre  
**To:** [Verbick, Jim](#)  
**Subject:** Divine Order Catering Licensing  
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Hello Mr. Verbick,

Please forward this message to the members of the LRC, if you would be so kind. I'm not aware of your role in the committee but you're listed as the contact for this board. Thanks in advance for your assistance.

I'm a resident at \_\_\_\_\_, an apartment building adjacent to Divine Orders Catering in Madison. Last evening the LRC began a hearing to determine if DOC would be granted the right to expand their hours of operation and operate out of doors. I'm a nursing student, and was attending a clinical practicum, so was unable to attend that meeting. It's my understanding that any decisions about DOC's operational limits have now been postponed until December 20th.

I'd like to ask that DOC not be allowed to increase their hours of operation to any extent, as the establishment has already proven to be a great nuisance to those in our neighborhood. This can be confirmed by simply looking at the data regarding noise complaints called in to the police by various residents in the immediate vicinity.

I myself have called several times, regarding excessive musical noise, loud verbal altercations, and outdoor revelry, all emanating from the parking lot of DOC. There is often not only loud noise coming continuously from the lot (late into the evening), but noise from vehicles making their way to and from the lot. Specifically, the musical noise issues involve music played at extremely high volumes, often amplified by "sub woofer" bass components.

An event establishment of this type has no place in a residential neighborhood in the first place, and I hope the owner will make the decision to relocate (soon). For the time being, I ask that the LRC decline DOC's request to expand its hours and grounds of operation.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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