

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-110

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF POMONA, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING A REQUEST FOR A FINDING OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY AS REQUIRED FOR AN OFF-SALE BEER AND WINE LICENSE IN CONJUNCTION WITH AN EXISTING MICROBREWERY LOCATED 281 S THOMAS STREET.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 23958.4 (2) of the Business and Professions Code of the State of California, the local governing body (City Council) has the discretion to determine when public convenience or necessity would be served by allowing an alcohol license in an area where there is an over concentration of licenses and/or where there is high crime;

WHEREAS, the project is located in Census Tract 4088.00, and the State Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) allows two off-sale licenses in this census tract;

WHEREAS, there are currently four active off-sale licenses in Census Tract 4088.00 and therefore the area is designated as having undue concentration under the definitions of the ABC;

WHEREAS, the subject property is located in Pomona Police Reporting District No. 4, which experienced 185 Part I and Part II arrests, where the threshold to determine a high crime District is 98 Part I and Part II arrests, as currently reported by the Police Department. Thus, it is classified as a “High Crime District”;

WHEREAS, the City Council has carefully considered all pertinent testimony offered in the case as presented.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Pomona as follows:

SECTION 1. That the Pomona City Council hereby finds and determines that the requested off-sale beer and wine ABC license is necessary to provide for the public convenience or necessity for area residents.

SECTION 2. That based upon the above findings, the City Council of the City of Pomona hereby approves the Finding of Public Convenience or Necessity for the proposed convenience market located at 281 S. Thomas Street.

SECTION 3. If any part, provision, or section of this resolution is determined by a court or other legal authority with jurisdiction over the subject matter of this resolution to be unenforceable or invalid, the remainder of the entirety of this resolution shall not be affected and shall continue in full force and effect. To this end, the provisions of this resolution are severable.

SECTION 4. That the City Clerk shall attest and certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 1st day of August, 2022

CITY OF POMONA:

Tim Sandoval
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Sonia Carvalho
City Attorney

ATTEST:

Rosalia A. Butler, MMC
City Clerk

I, HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Pomona at a regular meeting thereof held on August 01, 2022 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

Rosalia A. Butler, MMC
City Clerk