

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B

May 28, 2023

Chair Donovan Anderson Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Board Reeves Center 2000 14th Street NW Washington, DC 20009 abra.legal@dc.gov

RE: 1629 Connecticut Avenue NW – "Bustoss, Inc." – ABRA-124318 – Application to Transfer the Establishment's Retailer's Class "C" Restaurant License from 1724 Connecticut Avenue NW to a New Location at 1629 Connecticut Avenue NW

Dear Chair Anderson,

At its regular meeting on May 10, 2023, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC 2B" or "Commission") considered the above-referenced matter. With 9 of 9 Commissioners in attendance, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (7-0-2):

WHEREAS, Alero Restaurant, currently located at 1724 Connecticut Avenue NW in single member district 2B01 of ANC 2B, holds a Retailer's Class "C" Restaurant license,

WHEREAS, the establishment has operated at 1724 Connecticut Avenue NW for more than twenty years without complaint from the neighborhood,

WHEREAS, the establishment is proposing to relocate to 1629 Connecticut Avenue NW,

WHEREAS, there are no changes sought to the terms of the license, and

WHEREAS, a settlement agreement was approved for a former occupant of the 1629 Connecticut Avenue NW space and it remains applicable to successor occupants.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports the transfer of Alero Restaurant's license from 1724 Connecticut Avenue NW to 1629 Connecticut Avenue NW.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports the issuing of a stipulated license to permit the establishment to continue operation at the 1629 Connecticut Avenue NW location without interruption.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 2B will work with the establishment to review and, as may be necessary, to revise the existing settlement agreement to accommodate differences between the new and former business formats.

Commissioner Meg Roggensack (<u>2B01@anc.dc.gov</u>) is the Commission's representative in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

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Sincerely,

Meg Roggensack

Chair