



Agenda Item: Licensing

Title: New Dispensing Area for Restaurant Liquor License No. R68 Movie Palace Inc dba Studio City

Recommended Council MOTION:

That City Council move to acknowledge the receipt of and approve the new dispensing area for Movie Palace Inc, dba Studio City UW Plaza Cinemas located at 2433 Grand Ave.

Background:

An updated dispensing area was presented to the City Clerk's office on April 3, 2023. The previous dispensing area was a locked cooler behind the counter in the food prep area. The new dispensing area will be a locked glass fridge behind the main counter to increase the visibility of the alcohol to the public. The cooler for storage and the dispensing cooler will remain locked until a manager or staff member over 21 years of age unlocks the cooler. The dispensing area has been reviewed by the City Clerk with no concerns from the City Clerk's Office.

W.S. 12-4-410(b) Alcoholic liquor and malt beverages shall be dispensed and prepared for consumption in the licensed building in areas approved by the local licensing authority. No consumption of alcoholic or malt beverages shall be permitted within the dispensing areas nor shall any person other than employees over eighteen (18) years of age be permitted to enter the dispensing areas.

W.S. 12-4-410(d) No restaurant liquor licensee shall promote or operate the restaurant as a bar and lounge.

Legal/Statutory Authority:

LMC 5.09.130.A. Business entity licensees and permittees shall advise city council within thirty days in writing of any change in the information in any application required under this chapter. The city clerk shall provide the council a copy of the notification of change.

BUDGET/FISCAL INFORMATION:

Responsible Staff:

Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk