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Hello Council Member Goodman and the DMNA,

Hope all is well with everyone.

Ling & Louies on the Mall is looking to upgrade to a class B liquor license to add live entertainment. Their experience has been that many of their guests leave after dinner/meal time and gravitate to other local venues offering live entertainment. In an effort to keep guests on-site, they are requesting a license class upgrade for to offer some live entertainment.

They intend to offer DJ services on the rooftop deck, typically on Thursday – Saturday nights (but also at other times for special events, occasions, private parties, etc). If guests request such, they may move a few tables to allow for dancing.

In the restaurant interior, DJ services may also be offered in the basement and mezzanine levels, as well as an occasional live ensemble/band with typically no more than 4 members, and tables may be cleared for patron dancing if guests are interested in such. A rooftop deck manager is always present during peak times; they will add a minimum of one staff member dedicated to security at times of any live entertainment on the rooftop. Management/supervisory/security staff all have radio communication with the interior restaurant during peak times.

There will be no live entertainment on/at the street level mall patio at the front of the restaurant.

While their application is processing for the regular license class upgrade, they are seeking temporary upgrade approval to offer the DJ services (and dancing, if requested) for the following dates:

June 16 & 17; June 23 & 24; June 30 & July 1; July 7 & 8; July 14 & 15; July 21 & 22

Misty Saxton (who previously managed Crave), opened as the GM for Ling & Louies, and continues to serve in that capacity. She may be reached at [\(763\) 567-8399](tel:7635678399) if there are any concerns or issues.

Please let me know if the DMNA would like us to come to a meeting to make a brief presentation on the license class upgrade and answer any questions you may have. Also, please contact me directly if I can answer any questions for you.

All the Best,

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