



Plymouth Liquor License Review Committee Meeting Agenda

Monday, March 16, 2026 6:00 p.m.

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1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Minutes of March 17, 2025 - LLRC Meeting
4. Discussion of Current Status of Liquor License Operations Reviews and Past Due Payments
5. Discussion of Liquor License Cap – Annual Review per Ordinance
6. Adjournment



Plymouth Liquor License Review Committee Meeting Minutes

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1. Call to Order – Chair Pobur
2. Roll Call – Colleen Pobur, Nick Moroz, Alanna Maguire.
Also present: Economic Development Director John Buzuvis, City Manager Sincock & members of the public.
3. Approval of Minutes of February 27, 2025 - LLRC Meeting – Moved by Moroz and seconded by Maguire.
No comments and MOTION PASSED.
4. Discussion/Recommendation of Renewal, Non-Renewal, Revocation Recommendation of current Liquor License Operators – City Manager Sincock presented the Administrative Recommendation related to the annual review of liquor license holders. He indicated that the LLRC is required to meet prior to a City Commission meeting and make a recommendation to the City Commission. He reported that all of license holders were in compliance with the Ordinance. He indicated that some of the establishments came in last week to make final payments due to the City.

Maguire indicated that she had thought about the issue of removing the cap on the number of liquor licenses in the city. After careful consideration, she indicated that she is not now in favor of removing the cap. She likes the language of the cap by Zoning Districts. She did indicate that she could entertain raising the cap by three or four.

Board members discussed the issue and the City's history of resetting the cap to accommodate new establishments. Attorney Marzano indicated that if you are going to raise the cap every time you have a developer, you may want to proceed with caution.

Pobur reminded the group that the requirement for a Special Land Use permit for alcohol establishment was added to the Zoning Ordinance in 2013. Special Land Use approvals are discretionary, and the Planning Commission will review a complete site plan, including parking and lighting for any for a new establishment application.

The following Resolution was offered by Moroz and seconded by Maguire:

WHEREAS The City of Plymouth has a Liquor Management Ordinance related to the operation of all Class C Type Liquor Licenses in the City, and

WHEREAS On February 27, 2025, and again on March 17, 2025, the City Administration presented the Liquor License Review Committee with information about the various liquor licensed establishments in the City, and

WHEREAS The Local Liquor License Review Committee is required to make a recommendation to the City Commission related to the Renewal, non-renewal or revocation of all liquor licenses in the City.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Local Liquor License Review Committee does hereby recommend to the City Commission that the following establishments be recommended to the State of Michigan Liquor Control Commission for renewal.

- 1) Aqua Fine Dining (VNB LLC) – 413 N. Main
- 2) Barrio Cocina Y Tequileria 555 Forest
- 3) Buon Vno Winery, LLC, Pizza E Vno 849 Penniman
- 4) Bearded Lamb Brewing Company – 149 W. Liberty – Two Licenses – Microbrew/Small Wine Maker –
- 5) Bigalora/Arbor Brewing – 777 W. Ann Arbor Trail – Two establishments/one license
- 6) Chicane – 885 Starkweather
- 7) Compari's/Fiamma/Sardine Room – 350, 370 & 380 S. Main – Three establishments one license –
- 8) E.G. Nicks – 500 Forest Ave
- 9) Hermann's Olde Town Grille – 195 W. Liberty
- 10) Highline Spirits – 380 S. Main.
- 11) Ironwood Grill – 840 W. Ann Arbor Trail
- 12) Ledger/Ebenezer – 306 S. Main – Two Establishments one license
- 13) Mayflower Lt. Gamble Post – VFW – 1426 S. Mill.
- 14) Mayflower Meeting House – 499 S. Main
- 15) Nico & Vall – 744 Wing
- 16) Pakwaan Restaurant – 447 Forest
- 17) Parkside Gastro Pub (Piano Bar of Plymouth) – 336 S. Main
- 18) Penn Grill – (VWS Holdings) – 820 Penniman
- 19) Plymouth – Ann Arbor Elks – 110 W. Ann Arbor Trail
- 20) Plymouth Cultural Center – City of Plymouth – 525 Farmer Street
- 21) Plymouth Knights of Columbus Council 3292 – 150 Fair
- 22) Plymouth ROC/Framo Enterprise, LLC – 1020 W. Ann Arbor Road (License in Escrow
- 23) Post Local Bistro – 844 Penniman
- 24) Red Ryder – 584 Starkweather
- 25) Sean O'Callaghan's – 821 Penniman
- 26) SideCar – 340 N. Main
- 27) Tai Basil – 983 W. Ann Arbor Trail
- 28) The Downtown Pourhouse – 860 Fralick
- 29) Westborn Market – 860 – 870 Penniman

MOTION PASSED - Unanimously

5. Public Comment – None

6. Adjournment – There being no further business to come before the board, it was moved by Moroz and seconded by Maguire to adjourn the meeting. MOTION PASSED – Unanimously

2026 REPORT OF ALCOHOL RELATED POLICE INCIDENTS

TO: CHRIS PORMAN, CITY MANAGER
FROM: A.L. COX, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SAFETY *A.L. Cox*
SUBJECT: ALCOHOL RELATED INCIDENTS FOR PERIOD 1/1/2025-12/31/2025
DATE: 3/3/2026

Current MLCC Licenses in the City of Plymouth

Alcohol by the Glass: 29 Active, 1 In Escrow (1 for every 312 residents)
 Packaged Liquor: 11 Active, 1 In Escrow (1 for every 780 residents)

Total MLCC inspections by Officers to every MLCC regulated establishment

- Officers are required to perform MLCC inspections of all MLCC regulated establishments. This occurs monthly, at minimum, for alcohol by the glass establishments and our packaged beer, wine, and liquor stores. Inspections consist of an Officer's walk-thru/observation of the establishment's employees, patrons, and service practices. A written checklist/report may also be completed.

MLCC Police Officer Inspections	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	355	357	357	423	433

Total alcohol related Disorderly Conduct Calls For Service (CFS)

- The following table displays all alcohol related Disorderly Conduct CFS for the referenced time period. Total CFS of this type are listed first, followed by those dispatched directly to the address of any licensed establishment. The last category is all other alcohol-related Disorderly Conduct CFS around town. One felony (Aggravated Assault) and one high misdemeanor (Criminal Sexual Conduct-4th Degree) were included in this year's numbers.

Alcohol Related Disorderly Conduct CFS	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	32	33	26	26	27
Local Establishments	11	12	5	13	6
Other Areas Around Town	21	21	21	13	21

Total alcohol related driving/motor vehicle CFS

- All drunk driving incidents, including OWI 1st Offense, Repeat Offenders (OWI II & OWI III), Super Drunk, and Child Endangerment cases.

Alcohol/Motor Vehicle related CFS	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	31	31	17	23	18

- In an effort to give you a better understanding of our total number, the following table breaks down the specifics regarding the types of drunks we encounter and in some cases an idea of their condition (Blood Alcohol Content over .17). One of this year's arrests involves a drunk driver who refused to stop and led officers on a vehicle pursuit until he crashed.

Year	OWI 1st Offense MISDEMEANOR	OWI 2nd Offense MISDEMEANOR	OWI 3rd Offense FELONY	"Super Drunk" Law .17 BAC or higher MISDEMEANOR	Total OWI Arrests	OWI Crashes
2021	18 (58%)	4 (13%)	1 (3%)	8 (26%)	31	5
2022	19 (61%)	2 (6.5%)	2 (6.5%)	8 (26%)	31	5
2023	8 (47%)	1 (6%)	1 (6%)	7 (41%)	17	5
2024	19 (83%)	1 (4%)	0 (0%)	3 (13%)	23	2
2025	12 (66%)	1 (5%)	1 (5%)	4 (22%)	18	3

Total other alcohol related incidents

- Includes such incidents as Minor in Possession, Open Intoxicants/Public Intoxication, Urinating in Public, and other CFS involving alcohol not otherwise captured.

Other alcohol related incidents	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	4	8	1	3	4

Total alcohol related Malicious Destruction of Property (MDOP) CFS

- Incidents involving MDOP in which the suspect is intoxicated or had been drinking.

Alcohol related MDOP CFS	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	0	2	2	2	0

Total alcohol related referrals to Hegira Health Inc.- Community Outreach for Psychiatric Emergencies (COPE)

- This includes all alcohol-related incidents in which a referral was made to COPE for either an immediate crisis situation or one in which a person is seeking help with alcohol or substance abuse.

Alcohol related COPE Referrals	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	3	1	1	4	2

Total Violation Reports Involving City MLCC Licensed Establishments

MLCC Violation Reports	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	5	1	0	0	1

Sidecar Plymouth, LLC (Sidecar Slider Bar)

- 4/5/2025: The licensee:
 - Allowed the annoying and/or molesting of an employee,***, by a customer,***, contrary to Rule 436.1011(6)(a).-**PLEAD RESPONSIBLE**
 - Sold or furnished alcoholic liquor to ***, who was in an intoxicated condition, contrary to Sections 707(1) and/or Section 1025(4) of the Michigan Liquor Control Code, MCL 436.1707(1) and/or MCL 436.2025(4).- **PLEAD RESPONSIBLE**
 - Allowed ***, who was in an intoxicated condition, to consume alcoholic liquor upon the licensed premises, contrary to Section 707(2) of the Michigan Liquor Control Code, MCL 436.1707(2).- **PLEAD RESPONSIBLE**
 - A Negotiated Settlement was reached with total fines of \$900.

Total Police Notifications to MLCC regulated establishments

- These notifications may be telephone calls, emails, or face to face meetings with bar owners or management anytime Officers respond to an incident involving a subject(s) that consumed in their establishment (i.e. a visibly intoxicated subject that was arrested for drunk driving after having been served at a local bar).
- It is important to note that the information as to where a subject(s) was drinking is generally provided by an intoxicated person that, in the same breath, will tell us he/she had "two beers" when it is obvious they had much more.

Establishment	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Aqua	0	0	0	0	0
Barrio Cocina Y Tequileria	0	0	0	0	0
Bearded Lamb	0	0	0	0	0
Bigalora	0	0	0	0	0
Chicane				0	0
Compari's/Fiama/Sardine Room	0	0	0	0	0
Cultural Center	0	0	0	0	0
E.G. Nicks	0	0	0	0	0
Greek Islands/The Ebenezer/The Ledger	4	1	0	0	0
Herman's Olde Town Grille	0	0	0	0	0
Highline Spirits					0
Ironwood	0	1	0	0	0
Mayflower Meeting House	0	0	0	0	0
Nico & Vali	0	0	0	0	0
Pakwaan Restaurant	0	0	0	0	0
Park Place Gastro Pub	0	0	1	0	0
Penn Grille	1	0	0	0	0
Pizza E Vino	0	0	0	0	0
Plymouth-Ann Arbor Elks			0	0	0
Plymouth Knights of Columbus	0	0	0	0	0
Plymouth ROC	0	0	0	0	0
Sean O'Callaghan's	0	0	0	0	0
Sidecar Slider Bar			0	0	1
The Downtown Pourhouse	0	0	0	0	0
Thai Basil			0	0	0
The Honey Hole/Red Ryder	0	0	0	0	0
The Post Local Bistro	1	0	3	1	0
VFW	0	0	0	0	0
Westborn Market	0	0	0	0	0
Total	6	2	4	1	1

City of Plymouth MLCC Licenses

DBA Name	License Type	Bus. ID	Owner/Licensee	Address	Date Opened
Alcohol By The Glass Establishments					
Aqua	C SDM	226180	VNB, LLC.	413 N Main	Greecian Cafe 2011
Barro Cocina Y Tequileria	C SDM	236468	The Locale, LLC	555 Forest	2006- Grape Expectations
Bearded Lamb Brewing Company	Micro-Brewer/Small Wine Maker	272804	Bearded Lamb LLC	149 W Liberty	2009- Liberty St Brewing Co.
Bigalora	C SDM	260089	Bigalora Plymouth, LLC	777 W Ann Arbor Tr	Pre-1998
Chicane	C SDM	279752	Trackside Plymouth, LLC	885 Starkweather	Pre-1998
Compart's On The Park/Flamma/Sardine Room	C SDM	130622	Paisley, Inc.	350, 370, & 380 S Main	2000/Sardine-2011
Cultural Center	C	1315	City of Plymouth Parks & Rec	525 Farmer	Pre-1998
E.G. Nick's	C	98834	T. Belli & Assoc., Inc.	500 Forest	1998
Hermann's Olde Town Grille	C-Resort SDM	260437	Hermann Hospitality Corporation	195 W Liberty	Pre-1998
Highline Spirits	Tasting Room	279082	Highline Spirits Co., LLC	330 S Main	2024
Ironwood Grill	C SDM	216563	Ironwood of Plymouth, LLC	840 W Ann Arbor Tr	2010
Mayflower Lt. Gamble Post 6695 of VFWUS	Club	8784	Mayflower-Lt. Gamble Post No. 6695 VFWUS	1426 S Mill	Pre-1998
Mayflower Meeting House	C	369	Exclusive Catering, Inc.	499 S Main	Pre-1998
Nico & Vail	C SDM	217164	Nico & Vail, LLC	744 Wing	2010
Pakwaan Restaurant	C-DDA	261375	Pakwaan, LLC	447 Forest	1999 Tavern-2006
Park Place Gastro Pub	C SDM	132112	Piano Bar of Plymouth, Inc.	336 S Main	2000 (Formerly 336)
Penn Grill	C SDM	192104	VWS Holdings, LLC	820 Penniman	2006/2007
Pizza E Vino	C SDM	226382	Buon Vino Winery, LLC	849 Penniman	2011
Plymouth Ann Arbor Elks	Club	8213	Plymouth Ann Arbor M Lodge No. 325 Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks	110 W Ann Arbor Trail	2022
Plymouth KOC Bldg Council #3292	Club	8119	Plymouth K of C Bldg, Inc.	150 Fair	Pre-1998
Plymouth ROC Restaurant	C SDM	272107	Straight Family Hospitality Inc	1020 W Ann Arbor Rd	Pre-1998
Red Ryder	C SDM	281803	Milly Holding, LLC	584 Starkweather	2018
Sean O'Callaghan's Public House	C SDM	135112	Sean O'Callaghan's Ltd.	821 Penniman/345 Fleet	2001
Slidecar	C SDM	276453	Slidecar Plymouth, LLC	340 N Main	Pre-1998 (Jack Dunleavy's)
Thal Basil	C	279625	T&W Investment, Inc.	983 W Ann Arbor Tr	2023
The Downtown Pourhouse	C SDM	233687	TBD Advisors Inc.	860 Fralick	Pre-1998
The Ledger/The Ebenezer	C	243776	G.I. Poros, Inc.	306 S Main	2018
The Post Local Bistro	C SDM	232456	409, Inc.	844 Penniman	RB6-2010
Westborn Market	C SDM	241888	Westborn of Plymouth, LLC	860-870 Penniman	2016
Packaged Alcohol - Stores					
Bellybusters Liquor	SDM/SDD	140657	J&D Prizza, Inc.	574 S Mill	
Main Street Quick Stop	SDM/SDD	9664	Valde, Inc.	480 N Main	
Mayflower Market	SDM/SDD	142078	J.B.N.A., Inc.	824 S Main	
Old Village General	SDM	290981	Old Village General LLC	689 N Mill #101	1/13/2026
Old World Olive Press	SDM	228753	Old World Olive Press-Plymouth LLC	467 Forest	
Plymouth Prime Meats	SDM	274196	Plymouth Prime Meats, LLC	614 S Main	
Rite Aid #3657	SDM/SDD	141512	Rite Aid of Michigan, Inc.	800 W Ann Arbor Rd	
Snell Gas Station	SDM/SDD	286698	BA & A Plymouth Inc	129 W Ann Arbor Tr	
Speedway #8820 Gas Station	SDM	246381	Speedway LLC (A Delaware LLC)	1066 N Mill	3/1/2017
Starvin Marven, Inc (Marathon Gas Station)	SDM	264666	Starvin Marven, Inc	402 N Mill	7/30/2019
USA Gas & Go	SDM/SDD	271492	Plymouth Business Ventures, LLC	400 W Ann Arbor Rd	7/13/1905
Westborn Market	SDM	246614	Westborn of Plymouth, LLC	860-870 Penniman	1/26/2017

Updated: 3/3/2026

Allowable Alcohol by the Glass= 20/14

DDA (18)

OUTSIDE DDA (12)

ESCROW LICENSE

OFF PREMISE LICENSE (12)



Liquor License Review Committee Administrative Recommendation

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To: Liquor License Review Committee
From: Chris S. Porman, City Manager
CC: *S:\Manager\Porman Files\Memorandum - LLRC Annual Review Memo for Mtg - 03-16-26.docx*
Date: March 13, 2026
RE: Annual Review & Recommendation of Liquor License Holders

Background

The City Commission is anticipated to hold a Public Hearing during their first meeting in April on the Annual Review and Recommendation of current liquor license holders, related to renewal, non-renewal, or revocation recommendation to the State of Michigan.

Preparing for this agenda item is a normal part of our liquor workload during this time of year. We are required to review all our records related to each establishment. Often, we find that a few establishments owe the city either past due taxes, utility bills or other invoices. This year we are working to let establishments know if they owe the city any money or have outstanding issues prior to the Public Hearing.

During our agenda preparations we have found **ALL** our establishments are now in compliance with our ordinance and there are no significant issues with a couple exceptions on paying taxes, water bills and permits.

This agenda item deals only with the Renewal, Non-Renewal, or Revocation recommendations to the City Commission and ultimately the State of Michigan Liquor Control Commission. This is for discussion only at this point and we will reconvene prior to the City Commission meeting on April 6, 2026, to make the final recommendation to the City Commission.

Recommendation

Administrative recommendations are updated and current as of March 13, 2026, and are subject to changes pending additional information, corrections, adjustments, or payments that have been made. This notice may be added to, changed, or amended.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS ARE CURRENT AS OF 03/13/26 AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE PENDING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

Open Public Hearing – As a part of the Regular City Commission Agenda

- 1) Aqua Fine Dining (VNB LLC) – 413 N. Main - Administrative Recommendation to approve renewal.
- 2) Barrio Cocina Y Tequileria 555 Forest – Administrative Recommendation to approve renewal.
- 3) Buon Vino Winery, LLC, Pizza E Vino 849 Penniman - Administrative Recommendation to approve renewal.
- 4) Bearded Lamb Brewing Company – 149 W. Liberty – Two Licenses – Microbrew/Small Wine Maker – Administrative Recommendation to approve renewal.
- 5) Chicane – 885 Starkweather – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 6) Compari's/Fiamma/Sardine Room – 350, 370 & 380 S. Main – Three establishments one license – Administrative Recommendation for Approval.
- 7) E.G. Nicks – 500 Forest Ave. – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 8) Hermann's Olde Town Grille – 195 W. Liberty – Administrative Recommendation for approval
- 9) Highline Spirits – 380 S. Main - Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 10) Ledger/Ebenezer – 306 S. Main – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 11) Mayflower Lt. Gamble Post – VFW – 1426 S. Mill – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 12) Mayflower Meeting House – 499 S. Main – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 13) Nico & Vali – 744 Wing – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 14) Plymouth – Ann Arbor Elks – 110 W. Ann Arbor Trail – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 15) Plymouth Cultural Center – City of Plymouth– 525 Farmer Street – Administrative Recommendation to approve renewal.
- 16) Plymouth Knights of Columbus Council 3292 – 150 Fair – Administrative Recommendation for approval.

- 17) Plymouth ROC/Framo Enterprise, LLC – 1020 W. Ann Arbor Road (License in Escrow) – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 18) Red Ryder – 584 Starkweather – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 19) SideCar – 340 N. Main – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 20) Westborn Market – 860 – 870 Penniman – Administrative Recommendation for approval.
- 21) Plymouth Cultural Center – 525 Forest - Administrative Recommendation for approval
- 22) The Downtown Pourhouse – 860 Fralick – Administrative Recommendation for approval

The following establishments are in escrow

- 23) Plymouth ROC/The Drift – 1020 W Ann Arbor Road – No Action Recommended

The following establishments are recommended for NON-RENEWAL OR REVOCATION as outlined here:

- 24) **Bigalora/Arbor Brewing – 777 W. Ann Arbor Trail** – Two establishments/one license – Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$1,816.00 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on April, 6, 2026, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.
- 25) **Ironwood Grill – 840 W. Ann Arbor Trail** —Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$2,353.00 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on April, 6, 2026, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.
- 26) **Pakwaan Restaurant – 447 Forest** - Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$127.22 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on March 17, 2025, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.
- 27) **Park place Gastro Pub – 336 S. Main** - Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$3020.69 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing

is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on March 17, 2025, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.

- 28) **Penn Grill – (VWS Holdings) – 820 Penniman** - Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$5819.12 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on March 17, 2025, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.

- 29) **Sean O’Callaghan’s – 821 Penniman** – Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$1896.32 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on March 17, 2025, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.

- 30) **Thai Basil – 983 W. Ann Arbor Trail** – Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$234.00 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on March 17, 2025, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.

- 31) **Post Local Bistro – 844 Penniman** – Administrative Recommendation for non-renewal and revocation for failure to pay outstanding bills due to the City estimated at \$23,196.12 and is a violation of City Ordinance. A hearing before the Local Liquor License Review Committee in accordance with Section 9 of the City of Plymouth Liquor Management Ordinance. LLRC Hearing is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on March 17, 2025, at the Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI.



LLRC Administrative Recommendation

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To: Liquor License Review Committee
From: Chris S. Porman, City Manager
CC: *S:\Manager\Porman Files\Memorandum - LLRC - Annual Review of Liquor Licenses & License Cap for 2026 - 03-16-26.docx*
Date: March 13, 2026
RE: Annual Review of Liquor Licenses Cap – 2026

Background

Each year the Local Liquor License Review Committee makes a recommendation to the City Commission related to the “Cap” on the number of liquor licenses both inside the DDA as well as outside the DDA. There are a total of 34 licenses (20 in the DDA and 14 outside). This increased last year by 2 in both the DDA as well as outside the DDA.

While the “Cap” was increased, those licenses were not filled and there are still 2 licenses inside and outside the DDA available should someone look to transfer one in. This year there is only one establishment that is not currently open.

- The old ROC, now the Drift on Ann Arbor Road and Harvey

There does not seem to be demand for licenses currently.

The City Administration does recommend that the LLRC discuss and make recommendations to either keep the cap as is, increase the cap, or delete the cap. The DDA Board has recommended no increase in the “Cap” of licenses inside the DDA.

Should you have any questions in advance of the meeting please feel free to contact either Chief Al Cox or myself.

LLRC Resolution
Liquor License Cap

The following Resolution was offered by _____ and seconded by _____.

WHEREAS The City of Plymouth has a Liquor Management Ordinance related to the number of allowable liquor licenses in a particular zoning district; and

WHEREAS Annually, the Local Liquor License Review Committee must make a recommendation to the City Commission related to the number of allowable liquor licenses per zoning district.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Liquor License Review Committee of the City of Plymouth does hereby recommend to the City Commission that no changes in the number of available liquor licenses (34) under the cap in the City of Plymouth, based on Zoning Classification. The Liquor License Review Committee confirms that the number of licenses remain the same as in the current Liquor Management Ordinance, which is a cap of 20 licenses, as defined in the Liquor Management Ordinance for the B-2 Zoning District (DDA Area), and a cap of 14 licenses in total (*for all three zoning districts*) in any of the following the B-1, ARC and B-3 Zoning Districts.