------ Forwarded message ------From: **Garm Beall** <garm.beall@gmail.com Date: Wed, Oct 31, 2018 at 8:46 AM Subject: Streamline Alcohol Permits, Case No.: CPC-2018-4660-CA, Council File: 17-0981 To: <<u>esther.ahn@lacity.org</u>>, <<u>CityClerk@lacity.org</u>>

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Sidestepping useful, reasonable and long standing regulations to increase City revenue is not good policy.

Liquor permits have been density-regulated for decades -- and for good reasons. Public input should always be part of the democratic process, and this regulation directly limits citizen participation.

Please do not modify the existing permitting process just to fast-track bars, restaurants and liquor stores so the City can collect more revenue -- at the expense of our quality of life in Los Angeles.

Sincerely,

Garm Beall Woodland Hills resident.