

CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CLERK

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September 22, 2010

Vincent Cravens
District Administrator
Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control
3950 Paramount Boulevard, Suite 250
Lakewood, California 90712

Re: Application of Broadlind Lounge LLC, dba Basement Lounge, to Determine the Application Serves the Public Convenience and Necessity for an exchange of an Alcoholic Beverage Control License at 149 Linden Avenue.

Dear Mr. Cravens:

Please be advised that the Long Beach City Council, at its meeting held Tuesday, September 21, 2010, received and filed the subject application with conditions, as requested by Vice Mayor Suja Lowenthal, Councilmember Second District. Transmitted for your files is a copy of the conditions, and this request that the conditions be applied to the license, as applicable under ABC rules and regulations.

At the same meeting, the Long Beach City Council took the concurrent action to determine and find that the subject application would serve the public convenience and necessity.

Enclosed is a copy of the City Council documentation for your file.

Respectfully submitted,

LARRY G. HERRERA
CITY CLERK

Prepared by:
Carolyn Harris

Attachments

cc: Vice Mayor Suja Lowenthal, Councilmember Second District
City Prosecutor
Police Department (2) Chief & Vice
Referral File
FAX forwarded to ABC, (562) 982-1396



CITY OF LONG BEACH

POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Jim McDonnell
Chief of Police

September 21, 2010

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Determine that the application serves the public convenience and necessity, and receive and file the application of Broadlind Lounge LLC, dba Basement Lounge, for an exchange of an Alcoholic Beverage Control license, at 149 Linden Avenue, with conditions. (District 2)

DISCUSSION

It is City Council policy to review applications for Alcoholic Beverage Control licenses to determine if a basis for protest against the issuance of the license exists. The attached application lists the possible bases for protest.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council response is due to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control by September 22, 2010. Accordingly, City Council action is required at the September 21, 2010 City Council meeting.


FISCAL IMPACT

None.

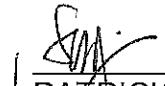
SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,


JIM McDONNELL
CHIEF OF POLICE

APPROVED:


PATRICK H. WEST
CITY MANAGER

JM:DBS:dbs

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September 21, 2010

Council District: 2

Applicant: Broadlind Lounge LLC
DBA: Basement Lounge
Address: 149 Linden Avenue

Type of Application: An exchange application for an On-Sale General for public premises license. This license is changing from an On-Sale General Eating Place to an On-Sale General Public Premises. This business Will no longer be providing food services.

Basis for possible protest: Over concentration.
Residence within 100 feet.
Church within immediate vicinity.
School within 600 feet.

PUBLIC CONVENIENCE DETERMINATION: A determination by the City of public convenience and necessity **is** required for this application.

Census Tract: 5761.00

Boundaries: Broadway to the North
Shoreline Village/Downtown Long Beach Marina to the South
Alamitos Avenue/Shoreline Drive/Downtown Long Beach
Marina to the East
Pine Avenue/Pacific Terrace Harbor to the West

Number of licenses allowed: 3
Number of licenses existing: 34

Police Reporting District: 151

Boundaries: Broadway to the North
Ocean Boulevard to the South
Atlantic Avenue to the East
Long Beach Boulevard to the West

Reported crimes in this district for ABC purposes are 184. Crime in a reporting district must be at least 199 to qualify for a high crime protest.

Type of business: A bar.

Last day to request

Conditions and protest: September 22, 2010



Date: September 21, 2010
To: File
From: Dana Smith, Detective, Vice Investigations Section
Subject: **BASEMENT LOUNGE, 149 LINDEN AVENUE**

CALLS FOR SERVICE/ARRESTS AND INVESTIGATIONS (8/23/09-8/23/10)

1	Fight	Fight	Assisted Citizen
2	415	Disturbance	Advised
1	415	Disturbance	Gone on Arrival
4	Group	Group	Gone on Arrival
6	Group	Group	Advised
1	647F	Intox Person	Released not Booked
1	647F	Intox Person	Advised
3	459A	Audible Alarm	Bad Order Alarm
1	Unwelc	Unwelcome Subject	Unable to Locate
1	417A	Person with a knife	Advised
1	459R	Burglary Report	Filed

ABC INSPECTIONS (past three years)

6 1 Entertainment Violation

RESIDENCE WITHIN 100 FEET

132 Linden Avenue	Multi-Unit Complex
140 Linden Avenue	Multi-Unit Complex
149 Linden Avenue	Multi-Unit Complex
426 East Broadway	Multi-Unit Complex
445 East Broadway	Single Family Residence
447 East Broadway	Single Family Residence
435 East Broadway	Single Family Residence
437 East Broadway	Single Family Residence

CHURCHES, SCHOOLS, PARKS, HOSPITALS AND PLAYGROUNDS WITHIN 600 FEET

515 East 3 rd Street	First Methodist Episcopal Church
408 East 1 st Street	EPHS Continuation High School



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Memorandum

To: Mayor and City Council

September 21, 2010

From: Suja Lowenthal, Second District

Subject: Broadlind Lounge LLC, dba Basement Lounge

I respectfully request Council concurrence and ABC approval of the following conditions:

- 1) Entertainment provided shall not be audible beyond the area under the control of the licensee(s) as defined on ABC-257.
- 2) A single jukebox or stereo may be maintained upon the premises; however, music shall not be audible outside the premises.
- 3) The petitioner(s) shall be responsible for maintaining free of the litter the area adjacent to the premises over which they have control, as depicted in ABC-257.
- 4) No pool or billiard table may be maintained on the premises.
- 5) The sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption off the premises is strictly prohibited.
- 6) Live entertainment shall be limited to a single disc jockey and no more than a five piece band.
- 7) Petitioner shall not require an admission charge or a cover charge prior to 9:00 pm, nor shall there be a requirement to purchase a minimum number of drinks.
- 8) The licensee shall not maintain or construct any type of enclosed room intended for use by patrons or customers for any purpose.
- 9) Trash shall not be emptied into outside containers between the hours of 12:00 am – 7:00 am.
- 10) Petitioners shall provide uniformed security guards in keeping with the conditions outlined in their Entertainment Permit with Dancing by Patrons.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have additional questions at (562) 570-6684.

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