

January 20, 2022

Mr. Brad D. Beach  
Supervising Agent In Charge  
Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control  
3950 Paramount Boulevard, Suite No. 250  
Lakewood, California 90712

Re: Application of Bite Catering Couture, LLC, dba Bite Catering Couture, for a person to person and premise to premise transfer of an Alcoholic Beverage Control License, at 440 Elm Avenue.

Dear Mr. Beach:

Please be advised that the Long Beach City Council, at its meeting held Tuesday, January 18, 2022, received and filed the subject application for a premise to premise and person to person transfer.

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

Respectfully submitted,



MONIQUE DE LA GARZA  
CITY CLERK

Prepared by:  
Kyle Smith

Attachment

cc: Mary Zendejas, Councilwoman, First District  
Mayor  
City Prosecutor  
Police Department (2) Chief & Vice  
Referral File  
FAX forwarded to ABC, (562) 982-1396

## **C-15**

January 18, 2022

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
City of Long Beach  
California

### RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file the application of Bite Catering Couture, LLC, dba Bite Catering Couture, for a person to person and premise to premise transfer of an Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) license, at 440 Elm Avenue. (District 1)

### DISCUSSION

It is City Council policy to review applications for ABC 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 action is requested on January 18, 2022, to respond to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control by the January 27, 2022 due date.

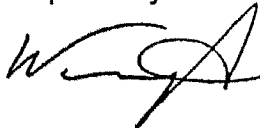
### FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this recommendation.

### SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



WALLY HEBEISH  
CHIEF OF POLICE

APPROVED:



THOMAS B. MODICA  
CITY MANAGER

ATTACHMENTS

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Council District: 1

Applicant: Bite Catering Couture, LLC

DBA: Bite Catering Couture

Address: 440 Elm Avenue

Type of Application: A Person to Person and Premise to Premise Transfer of an On-Sale General Bona Fide Eating Place license.

Bases for possible protest: High crime  
Over concentration  
Residences within 100 feet  
Church within 600 feet

**PUBLIC CONVENIENCE DETERMINATION:** A determination of Public Convenience and Necessity **is not** required for this application.

Census Tract: 5762

Boundaries: Seventh Street to the North  
Broadway to the South  
Alamitos Avenue/Martin Luther King Jr. to the East  
Pine Avenue to the West

Number of licenses allowed: 6

Number of licenses existing: 46

Police Reporting District: 161

Boundaries: Seventh Street to the North  
Fourth Street to the South  
Atlantic Avenue to the East  
Long Beach Boulevard to the West

Reported crimes in this district for ABC purposes are 278. Crime in a reporting district must be at least 97 to qualify for a high crime protest.

Type of business: A restaurant

Last day to request conditions and protest: January 27, 2022

Date: January 18, 2022

To: File

From: Jose Gonzalez, Detective, Vice Investigations Section

Subject: **BITE CATERING COUTURE - 440 ELM AVENUE**

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**CALLS FOR SERVICE/ARRESTS AND INVESTIGATIONS (12/8/20 - 12/8/21)**

(2) Unwelc	Unwelcome Guest	Checks Okay/Advised
927	Unknown Trouble	Gone on Arrival
245PC	Assault; Not Firearm	Report Filed

**ABC INSPECTIONS (Past three years)**

Not applicable

**RESIDENCES WITHIN 100 FEET**

441 Linden Avenue	Multi-Unit Complex
433 Linden Avenue	Multi-Unit Residence
421 East 4 <sup>th</sup> Street	Multi-Unit Complex
395 East 4 <sup>th</sup> Street	Multi-Unit Complex
408 Elm Avenue	Multi-Unit Complex

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

440 Elm Avenue	First Christian Church
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