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POLICE DEPARTMENT

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ANTHONY W. BATTS
Chief of Police

August 5, 2008

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file the application of Town Center Buffet Incorporated, dba Zen Buffet, for an original Alcoholic Beverage Control license, at 7503 East Carson Boulevard, with conditions. (District 5)

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 August 7, 2008. Accordingly, City Council action is required at the August 5, 2008 City Council meeting.

FISCAL IMPACT

None.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY W. BATTS
CHIEF OF POLICE

APPROVED:

PATRICK H. WEST
CITY MANAGER

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attachments

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Council District: 5

Applicant: Town Center Buffet Incorporated
DBA: Zen Buffet
Address: 7503 East Carson Boulevard

Type of Application: An original application for an On-Sale Beer and Wine for bonafide eating place license.

Bases for possible protest: High crime.
Over concentration.

PUBLIC CONVENIENCE DETERMINATION: A determination by the City of public convenience and necessity **is not** required for this application.

Census Tract: 5739.01

Boundaries: City Limits to the North
County Line to the South
City Limits/San Gabriel River Freeway/County Line to the East
San Gabriel River to the West

Number of licenses allowed: 0
Number of licenses existing: 8

Police Reporting District: 695

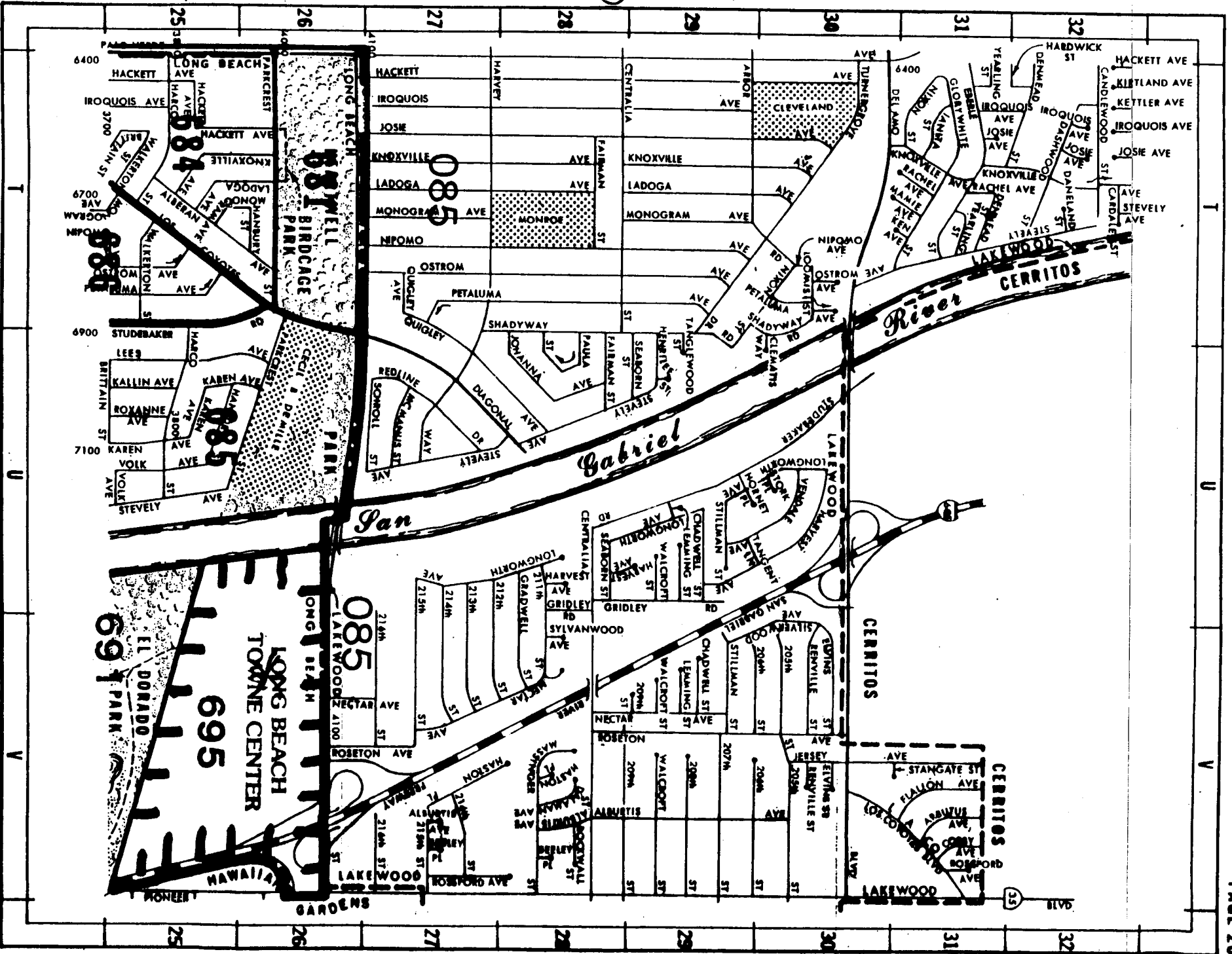
Boundaries: City Limits to the North
El Dorado Park to the South
City Limits to the East
San Gabriel River to the West

Reported crimes in this district for ABC purposes are 305. Crime in a reporting district must be at least 198 to qualify for a high crime protest.

Type of business: A restaurant.

Last day to request
conditions and protest: August 7, 2008

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Date: August 5, 2008
To: File
From: Dana Smith, Detective, Vice Investigations Section
Subject: **ZEN BUFFET, 7503 EAST CARSON BOULEVARD**

CALLS FOR SERVICE/ARRESTS AND INVESTIGATIONS (07/08/07-07/08/08)

1	961	Miscellaneous Police Report	Filed
1	Ast	Assist Call	Advised

- The above incidents occurred during the previous ownership of the business.

ABC INSPECTIONS (past three years)

None

RESIDENCE WITHIN 100 FEET

None

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

None

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