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TO: Mayor Ann Campbell and Ames City Council Members

FROM: Lieutenant Jeff Brinkley – Ames Police Department

DATE: February 26, 2015

SUBJECT: Beer Permits & Liquor License Renewal Reference City Council Agenda
March 24, 2015

The Council agenda for March 24, 2015, includes beer permits and liquor license renewals for:

- Class E Liquor, C Beer, & B Wine – Wal-Mart #749, 3015 Grand Ave
- Class C Liquor – Sips/Paddy’s Irish Pub, 126 Welch Ave

A routine check of police records for the past twelve months found no violations for Wal-Mart #749. The police department would recommend renewal of these licenses.

Sips has had three incidents where violations were found in the past year. One was an arrest for public intoxication, one a citation for on premises, and one a citation for possession of alcohol underage, fake ID, and on premises. Paddy’s had one arrest for public intoxication and was cited twice for fire code violations related to maximum occupancy. We are continuing to monitor compliance. We recommend renewal of this license at this time.