



Memo

Police Department

TO: Ann Campbell, Mayor and Ames City Council Members

FROM: Jeff Brinkley, Lieutenant – Ames Police Department

DATE: February 2, 2009

SUBJECT: Beer Permits & Liquor License Renewal Reference City Council Agenda
February 10, 2009

The Council agenda for date of council meeting, includes beer permits and liquor license renewals for:

- Class C Liquor & Outdoor Service Privilege - West Towne Pub, 4518 Mortensen Road
- Class C Liquor & Outdoor Service Privilege - Dublin Bay, 320 South 16th Street
- Class C Liquor - Papa's Corner, 2428-2430 Lincoln Way
- Class C Liquor & Outdoor Service Privilege - Cy's Roost, 121 Welch Avenue
- Class E Liquor, C Beer & B Wine - Wal-Mart Supercenter #4256, 534 S. Duff Avenue

A review of the Ames Police Department's records found no violations for West Towne Pub, Dublin Bay, and Papa's Corner. The Police Department would recommend renewal.

A search of records for Cy's Roost showed that the establishment was cited on 07-12-2008 for serving after hours and one of the after hours occupants was cited for minor in possession. Police issued 10 on premises violations – four of those minors were in possession of a fake ID. The bar also received a warning for one occupancy violation.

Walmart Supercenter was cited for selling alcohol to minors in December 2008.

In each of these cases, the police department would recommend renewal. Our department will continue to provide ID training to establishments and conduct enforcement operations in order to make sure that they are complying with legal statutes.

The Police Department would also support any approval necessary to re-approve the liquor license for Tobacco Outlet to 204 South Duff Avenue. The only violation of record is selling alcohol to a minor in May 2008.