



To: Mayor John Haila and Ames City Council Members
From: Lieutenant Mike Arkovich, Ames Police Department
Date: May 21, 2024
Subject: Beer Permits & Liquor License Renewal Reference City Council Agenda

The following licenses are eligible for renewal:

- a. Iowa State @ Fisher Theater, (1930 Center Drive Fisher Theater), Class C Retail Alcohol License with Catering Privilege
- b. Iowa State @ Scheman Building, (1805 Center Street Scheman Building), Class C Retail Alcohol License with Catering Privilege
- c. Texas Roadhouse, (519 South Duff Avenue), Class C Retail Alcohol License with Catering Privilege
- d. Courtyard by Marriott Ames, (311 S. 17th Street), Class C Retail Alcohol License with Outdoor Service and Catering
- e. Jethro's BBQ, (1301 Buckeye Avenue), Class C Retail Alcohol License with Catering Privilege
- f. Northcrest Inc, (1801 20th Street), Special Class C Retail Alcohol License with Outdoor Service, Pending Dramshop Review
- g. Morning Bell Coffee Roasters, (111 Main Street), Class C Retail Alcohol License, Pending Dramshop Review
- h. Main 3326 LW, (3326 Lincoln Way), Special Class C Retail Alcohol License
- i. Bottom's Up Bar & Lounge, (398 Main Street) Class C Retail Alcohol License

A review of police records for the past 12 months found no liquor law violations for Iowa State Fisher Theater and Iowa State Scheman Building. Iowa State University Police has advised they did not have any liquor law violations. The Ames Police Department recommends the license renewal for these businesses.

A review of police records for the past 12 months found no liquor law violations for Texas Roadhouse, Courtyard by Marriott, Jethro's BBQ, Northcrest Inc, Morning Bell Coffee Roasters, and Main 3326 LW. The Ames Police Department recommends the license renewal for these businesses.

A review of the police records for the past 12 months found one compliance check failure for Bottoms Up Bar and Lounge. They have passed two follow-up compliance checks. The Ames Police Department will encourage this establishment to better identify patrons

and check IDs. The police department will also encourage them to use scanners, attending training, and conduct their own compliance checks. The police department will continue to monitor this establishment by conducting regular foot patrols, bar checks, and evaluating their safeguards. The Ames Police Department recommends the license renewal for the business.