



City of Cincinnati

801 Plum Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Agenda - Final

Public Safety & Governance

Councilmember Scotty Johnson, Chair
Vice Mayor Jan-Michele Kearney, Vice Chair
Councilmember Mark Jeffreys
Councilmember Liz Keating

Tuesday, April 4, 2023

9:30 AM

Council Chambers, Room 300

ANNUAL LIQUOR HEARING

PRESENTATIONS

2023 Liquor Permit Renewal

Introduction of Interim Fire Chief Steven A. Breitfelder
Sheryl M.M. Long, City Manager
Steven A. Breitfelder, Interim Fire Chief

AGENDA

- [202301059](#) PRESENTATION submitted by Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, dated 4/4/2023, regarding the 2023 Liquor Permit Renewal Objection.

Sponsors: City Manager

Attachments: [Transmittal](#)
[Presentation](#)
- [202300887](#) RESOLUTION (LEGISLATIVE) (EMERGENCY) submitted by Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager, on 3/22/2023, OBJECTING to the renewal of the C1 and C2 liquor permit number 4371715 applied for by John Street Market, LLC, 1715 John Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45214 to the Ohio Division of Liquor Control.

Sponsors: City Manager

Attachments: [Transmittal](#)
[Resolution](#)
[Attachment](#)

April 4, 2023

To: Members of the Public Safety & Governance Committee
From: Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager
Subject: Presentation – 2023 Liquor Permit Renewal Objection

Attached is the Law Department's presentation regarding the 2023 Liquor Permit Renewal Objection.

cc: Emily Smart Woerner

Date: March 22, 2022

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202300887
From: Sheryl M.M. Long, City Manager
Subject: **Emergency Legislative Resolution – Objection to Renewal of John Street Market, LLC’s Liquor Permit**

Transmitted herewith is an emergency legislative resolution captioned as follows:

OBJECTING to the renewal of the C1 and C2 liquor permit number 4371715 applied for by John Street Market, LLC to the Ohio Division of Liquor Control.

This resolution is necessary under R.C. 4303.271 for Cincinnati City Council to object to the renewal of John Street Market, LLC’s liquor permit as recommended by the Cincinnati Police Department.

cc: Emily Smart Woerner, City Solicitor



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EMERGENCY

Legislative Resolution

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RESOLUTION NO. _____ - 2023

OBJECTING to the renewal of the C1 and C2 liquor permit number 4371715 applied for by John Street Market, LLC, 1715 John Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45214 to the Ohio Division of Liquor Control.

WHEREAS, John Street Market, LLC has applied for the renewal of C1 and C2 liquor permit number 4371715 for the premises located at 1715 John Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45214; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Cincinnati objects to the application for the above permit for the reasons set forth in Section 1 hereof; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That the Council of the City of Cincinnati objects to the application of John Street Market, LLC located at 1715 John Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45214 for the annual renewal of C1 and C2 liquor permit number 4371715 for the following reasons:

- A. The applicant has operated the liquor permit business in a manner that demonstrates a disregard for the laws, regulations, and local ordinances of this state; and
- B. The permit premises are so located with respect to the neighborhood that renewal of the permit would cause substantial interference with the public decency, sobriety, peace, and good order of the neighborhood.

Section 2. That Council requests a hearing on the above application be held in the City of Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio, where the applicant's business is conducted and which is the county seat.

Section 3. That Council hereby designates the City Solicitor or any of her assistants to represent Council at any hearings pertaining to this application.

Section 4. That two certified copies of this resolution and the attached City Solicitor's statement that this objection is based upon substantial legal grounds be forwarded by the Clerk of Council by registered or certified mail to the Superintendent of the Ohio Division of Liquor Control, 6606 Tussing Road, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068.

Section 5. That this legislative resolution shall be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and general welfare and shall, subject to the terms of Article II, Section 6 of the Charter, be effective immediately. The reason for the emergency is the need to transmit this objection to the Ohio Division of Liquor Control at least thirty days prior to the permit's expiration on June 1, 2023.

Passed: _____, 2023

Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk

March 13, 2023

Re: John Street Market, LLC
1715 John Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45214

Liquor Permit #: 4371715
Class: C1 and C2

It is the opinion of the City Solicitor, as chief legal officer for the City of Cincinnati, that Cincinnati City Council's objection to the renewal of the above permit is based upon substantial legal grounds within the meaning and intent of division R.C. 4303.292(A).

Emily Smart Woerner
City Solicitor