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To: AMCO/Alcohol Control Board

From: Robert Barr, CBJ Deputy City Manager

Re: City/Borough of Juneau Request to AMCO for Additional REPL's

Dear Members of the Alcohol Control Board,

I am writing on behalf of the City & Borough of Juneau (CBJ) Assembly to formally request additional Restaurant/Eating Place Licenses (REPL's) for our community. The Assembly unanimously passed **Resolution 3051(am)** ***A Resolution Petitioning the Alaska State Alcoholic Beverage Control Board to Issue up to 8 Additional Restaurant or Eating Place Licenses within the City and Borough of Juneau Under Alaska Statute 04.11.405,*** to increase economic opportunities and growth for our community and to increase choices for locals and visitors alike.

CBJ holds a unique position as the lone U. S. Capital City that is accessible only by air or water. Juneau serves as a crucial year-round hub for outlying Southeast Alaska Communities, utilizing the Alaska Marine Highway System, Alaska Airlines and small regional airlines. We are also a major tourist destination, bringing in an influx of seasonal workers and large number of tourists as outlined in the resolution.

This REPL topic was first brought forward in November 2023 at an Assembly Human Resources Committee meeting. During 2024, a resolution was drafted and passed through multiple Assembly committees and received a significant amount of public testimony via email and during those meetings. Resolution 3051(am), which passed on November 18, 2024, is attached to this letter along with the public testimony received, meeting minutes adopting this resolution as well as Travel Juneau statistics on visitation numbers.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this request at your next Alcohol Control Board meeting. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Robert Barr
CBJ Deputy City Manager

Enclosures:
- Resolution 3051(am)
- Travel Juneau Visitation Numbers
- 11/18/2024 Regular Assembly Meeting Minutes
- 2/5/2024 Regular Assembly Meeting Minutes
- 1/8/2024 Assembly Human Resources Committee Meeting Minutes
- CBJ Public Notices
- CBJ Public Testimony Received via email

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