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To:

Elsen, Nikki; Tami

Cc: Subject: Lehrke, Teri; Craig, Sondra Re: Class B Winery License

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## Hi Nikki.

Based on our application for a Manufacturer's license, we would not need a Class B winery license.

We would like to retract our application for a Class B Winery license.

We will be opening Turismo Fermentations in our Saint Andrew Street Location. We will produce wine and cider and perhaps distill in the future.

please let me know if you have any more questions or concerns.

Cheers,

Tami

On Aug 1, 2019, at 9:42 AM, Elsen, Nikki < <u>Elsenn@cityoflacrosse.org</u>> wrote:

Hi Tami,

Just a follow up to my voicemail that I left with you yesterday.

We have had email communications with the Department of Revenue pertaining to the state permitting of wineries, and it has come to our attention that Katchever & Co LLC dba Turismo Fermentations has applied for a manufacturing & rectifying permit. If that is the case, you do not need the municipal "Class B" winery license. The manufacturers state permit allows you to manufacture, bottle and sell your product retail for both on and off-premise consumption.

If you were only getting the winery permit from the state, then the municipal "Class B" winery license is required in order to sell your product retail.

Can you please either give me a call or respond to this email by Friday (tomorrow). I'd like to know what you propose to do and exactly what permit you are seeking at the state level. If it is determined that the "Class B" winery license is not necessary, we will ask that your application be withdrawn from Council and we will refund the application fee.

Please contact me as soon as you can. Thank you!

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