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REQUEST FOR GOVERNMENT RECORDS
(N.J.S.A. 47:1A – 1, et seq.)
GOVERNMENT RECORDS REQUEST RESPONSE

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DATE: July 20, 2020

The Town of Westfield received your Open Public Records (OPRA) request on July 15, 2020, for which a response is due on or before July 24, 2020.

Your request sought access to the following;

- Urban Table, Addams Tavern, UT Westfield LLC, License No.
- 2020-33-028-005, 115 Elm Street, Westfield, NJ 07090
- For each of the above referenced businesses/licenses, please provide the following documents:
 - Their “long-form” 12-page Liquor License Application
 - Any amendments to the 12-page Liquor License Application
 - Any attachments to items 1 or 2 evidencing or identifying the owners, members, shareholders, partners, parent companies, subsidiaries, affiliates, or any other person having a direct or indirect interest in the business or license
 - Any other documents on file evidencing or identifying the owners, members, shareholders, partners, parent companies, subsidiaries, affiliates, or any other person having a direct or indirect interest in the business or license
 - Resolutions approving the transfer of the license to each of the above referenced businesses/licensees.

A response to your request is as follows:

The following records are being provided in their entirety and are responsive to your request:

1. Town of Westfield Resolution 2013-315 dated November 26, 2013 (1 page)

The following records are being provided with redactions and are responsive to your request:

1. State of New Jersey Retail Liquor License Application Person to Person Transfer dated June 10, 2013 (14 pages)
2. State of New Jersey Retail Liquor License Application Amendment dated June 14, 2018 (3 pages)
3. State of New Jersey Retail Liquor License Application Amendment dated November 29, 2018 (3 pages)

Redactions have been made pursuant to the following authorities:

- Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1, Exemption No. 25, in order to safeguard reasonable expectations of privacy, information pertaining to date of birth, age & addresses have been redacted. These redactions are noted as “REP” (reasonable expectation of privacy) within the documents.
- Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1 Exemption No. 17, personal identifying information [is exempt from disclosure under OPRA]. Specifically, social security numbers, drivers license number and unlisted telephone numbers. These redactions are noted as “PII” (personal identifying information” within the documents.

This response is being provided to you via email as per your request.

If your request for access to a government record has been denied or unfilled within seven (7) business days required by law, you have a right to challenge the decision by the Town of Westfield to deny access. At your option, you may either institute a proceeding in the Superior Court of New Jersey or file a complaint with the Government Records Council (GRC) by completing the Denial of Access Complaint Form. You may contact the GRC by toll-free telephone at 866-850-0511, by mail at P.O. Box 819, Trenton, NJ 08625, by e-mail at grc@dca.state.nj.us, or at their web site at www.state.nj.us/grc. The GRC can also answer other questions about the law. All questions regarding complaints filed in Superior Court should be directed to the Court Clerk in your County