



**AGENDA ITEM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

**Agenda Item Number: 5a**

**Title:**

Recommendation to Modify City Code with the Following Revisions to Title 5 “Business Licenses and Regulations”, Chapter 5.08 “Alcoholic Beverages”, Section 5.08.090 “License Classifications” of the St. Charles Municipal Code

**Presenter:**

Police Chief Keegan

**Meeting:** Government Operations Committee      **Date:** September 20, 2021

Proposed Cost: \$

Budgeted Amount: \$

Not Budgeted:

**Executive Summary** *(if not budgeted please explain):*

A new business to the City of St. Charles, Gindo’s Spice of Life, is a specialty store that would like to sell packaged alcohol. The current A-6 liquor classification best suits this request with a few adjustments made to allow “specialty stores” to be included under this classification.

Please see the attached document for the proposed changes to the City of St. Charles City Code.

*Before this item's presentation at the September 20, 2021, Government Operations Meeting to seek approval, it was discussed at the Liquor Control Commission meeting scheduled at 4:30 pm the same day and moved forward to this Committee. The City Council will give their final approval at the City Council meeting scheduled on October 4, 2021.*

**Attachments** *(please list):*

Changes highlighted in ordinance format

**Recommendation/Suggested Action** *(briefly explain):*

Recommendation to modify City Code with the listed revisions to Title 5 “Business Licenses and Regulations”, Chapter 5.08 “Alcoholic Beverages”, Section 5.08.090 “License Classifications” of the St. Charles Municipal Code.

## **Recommended Changes to License Classification A-6:**

A-6 Class A-6 licenses shall authorize the retail sale of alcoholic liquors in original packages only, and not for consumption on the premises in **specialty stores**, convenience stores, or gas stations containing convenience stores where the retail sale of packaged alcoholic liquor is secondary to the sale of gasoline products and/or miscellaneous convenience store items and the square footage devoted to the retail sale of alcoholic liquor is ten percent (10%) or less of the gross square footage.