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## The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

February 17, 2015

Heather L Bermingham, Deputy Director of Licensing Licensing Department Department of Consumer Affairs 42 Broadway New York, New York 10004

RE: Ambiance Wine LLC, dba Vella Wine Bar, 1480 Second Avenue (@77th Street)-Renewal application for an Unenclosed Sidewalk Café for 20 tables and 40 chairs, DCA# 1449418-DCA. Due Date March 9, 2015

Dear Ms. Bermingham:

At the February 11, 2015 Land Use meeting of Manhattan Community Board 8, the following recommendation was adopted by a vote of 22 in favor, 5 opposed, and 4 abstentions.

WHEREAS there are no changes to the café, and

WHEREAS several members of the public raised issues concerning noise and food odors related to the interior operations of the establishment, and

WHEREAS these members of the public acknowledged that the noise issues did not appear connected to the operation of the outside sidewalk café specifically

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the application is approved.

Please advise this office of any action taken regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

James G. Clynes

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Chair

Jonathan Horn & Abraham Salcedo

Co-Chairs, Street Life Committee

Cc:

Honorable Bill de Blasio, Mayor of the City of New York

Honorable Gale Brewer, Manhattan Borough President

Honorable Liz Krueger, NYS Senator, 26th Senatorial District

Honorable Dan Quart, NYS Assembly Member, 73<sup>rd</sup> Assembly District

Honorable Rebecca Seawright, NYS Assembly Member, 76th Assembly District

Honorable Ben Kallos, NYC Council Member, 5th Council District

Honorable Daniel Garodnick, NYC Council Member, 4th Council District

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