

**Review of New Plan of Operation for
Blue Goat Royal Oak, LLC (321 S. Main St.)**

March 27, 2025

The Honorable Mayor Fournier and
Members of the City Commission

The Royal Oak Police Department has received a request from Blue Goat Royal Oak, LLC, located at 321 S. Main Street, to approve a new Plan of Operation in connection with a new full-service restaurant and bar to transfer a Class C and SDM liquor license with Sunday Sales (AM and PM) to that location.

The Applicant is proposing to open a new full-service restaurant and bar at 321 S. Main Street, and, if approved, will be purchasing a Class C and SDM liquor license with Sunday Sales, from Redsmoke Royal Oak, LLC, currently in escrow at 218 S. Main Street, Royal Oak, Michigan. The Applicant is *not* seeking an Entertainment Permit or Outdoor Service Area Permit with this proposed Plan of Operation and transfer, at this time.

The City Attorney's Office has reviewed the proposed Plan of Operation for this location and finds that it meets the requirements contained in the Royal Oak City Code of Ordinances, Section 430, for a plan of operation for the transfer of a liquor license for a Class C and SDM liquor license with Sunday Sales.

The City Attorney's Office and the Police Department have no objection to the proposed Plan of Operation and if approved, the application will be required to comply with all planning, zoning, and building requirements and all requirements of Section 430 of the City of Royal Oak Code of Ordinances.

Because this is a relocation of an existing license within the City, to a new location within the City, the City Commission is *not* required to conduct a public hearing per the Code of Ordinances.

If the City Commission agrees with the recommendations, a proposed resolution to approve is provided in the City Commission Agenda Item.

Respectfully submitted,



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