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Dennis Rosen Chairman New York State Liquor Authority 80 S. Swan Street, 9th Floor Albany, New York 12210

Re: 606 Café LLC d/b/a Lasagna Restaurant 606 Ninth Avenue (43rd/44th)

Dear Chairman Rosen:

Manhattan Community Board 4 (MCB4) recommends <u>denial</u> of a new full operating liquor license for 606 Café LLC d/b/a Lasagna Restaurant, unless the following stipulations, agreed to by the applicant, are part of the method of operation for this establishment:

- Hours of operation will be 9:00 am to 12:00 am, 7 days per week.
- There will be no use of any outdoor spaces (rooftop, patio or sidewalk café).
- The operator is not applying for a cabaret license.
- The applicant stated they will have background music playing in the restaurant.
- There will be no French doors or windows that open to the street front.
- Delivery bikes will be stored on racks provided by the city at the corner.
- Applicant will not install a storm vestibule enclosure. Applicant noted they have a double door system inside already and have no need for a storm vestibule.

• Kitchen exhaust will exit through ventilation above the highest floor of surrounding buildings and be constructed in a manner to not disturb neighboring residents or offices. Additionally it will be compliant with NY DOB code.

A signed copy of the stipulations agreed to by the applicant is enclosed. This application is for a restaurant with one standup bar that will seat 4 patrons. Total capacity is 74 patrons with 40 seated at 20 tables.

Sincerely,

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