



## COMMUNITY BOARD NO. 2, MANHATTAN

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### **COMMUNITY BOARD 2 APPLICATION FOR A LIQUOR LICENSE**

Please fill out this questionnaire and return to the Community Board 2 office by fax or mail to arrive at least **5 business days** before the Committee meeting. In addition, bring **10 copies** plus supporting material requested to the SLA committee meeting.

**Failure to complete and return the questionnaire and supporting materials on time will result in your item being removed from the agenda.**

**Failure to provide a completed questionnaire or failure to present before CB2 will result in notifying the State Liquor Authority (SLA) of your noncompliance with the community review process.**

If you need to reschedule, please notify the Community Board 2 office no later than the Friday prior to the following months meeting. Speak to Florence Arenas at the Board Office. **A maximum of 1 layover request** will be granted per application. **Failure to reappear without notification will result in a recommendation to deny this application.**

The following supporting materials are **required** for this application:

1. A list of all other licensed premises within 500 ft. of this location including Beer and Wine.
2. Floor plans of the premise, including all tables and chairs and kitchen lay out to be licensed. Please also include any schematics for sidewalk café, backyard garden space and/or rooftop areas if applicable.
3. Provide any plans filed or to be filed with the Buildings Department.
4. Proposed menu, if applicable.
5. Certificate of Occupancy or Letter of No Objection for the premises.
6. Letter of Understanding or Letter of Intent from the Landlord.
7. Provide proof of community outreach with signatures or letters from Residential Tenants at location and from surrounding buildings. (i.e. a letter from the neighborhood block association or petition in support.)
8. A copy of your NYS Liquor Authority application as it will be submitted to the SLA. (excluding financial information)

**Meeting Date:** August 2, 2022

**APPLICANT INFORMATION:**

Name of applicant(s):  
Take Me to the River 22 LLC

Trade name (DBA):  
Next Door

Premises address:  
22 Greenwich Avenue

Cross Streets and other addresses used for building/premise:  
West 10th Street/Charles Street; no other addresses

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

**Principal(s) Name(s):** Christian Rowan

Office or Home Address: 11 Mercer Street, Apt. 5B

City, State, Zip: New York, NY 10013

Telephone #: [REDACTED] email : [REDACTED]

**Landlord Name / Contact:**  
[REDACTED]

Landlord's Telephone and Fax: [REDACTED]

**NAMES OF ALL PRINCIPAL(s):**      **NAMES / LOCATIONS OF PAST / CURRENT LICENSES HELD**

\*See attached  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe the proposed operation (i.e. "We are a family restaurant that will focus on..."):  
This will be a small raw bar with oysters and other fresh seafood. Applicant owns the restaurant next door at 22 Greenwich Ave d/b/a Marian's This is intended to supplement Marian's with a simple raw bar focused menu.  
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**WHAT TYPE(S) OF LICENSE(S) ARE YOU APPLYING FOR ( MARK ALL THAT APPLY):**

a new liquor license (  Restaurant  Tavern / On premise liquor  Other )

an UPGRADE of an existing Liquor License

an ALTERATION of an existing Liquor License

a TRANSFER of an existing Liquor License

a HOTEL Liquor License

a DCA CABARET License

a CATERING / CABARET Liquor License

a BEER and WINE License

a RENEWAL of an existing Liquor License

an OFF-PREMISE License (retail)

OTHER : \_\_\_\_\_

If upgrade, alteration, or transfer, please describe specific nature of changes:

(Please include physical or operational changes including hours, services, occupancy, ownership, etc.)

N/A

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If this is for a new application, please list previous use of location for the last 5 years:

Grocery store; date of establishment unknown

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Is any license under the ABC Law currently active at this location?  yes  no

If yes, what is the name of current / previous licensee, license # and expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Have any other licenses under the ABC Law been in effect in the last 10 years at this location?

yes  no Not according to the SLA database

If yes, please list DBA names and dates of operation:

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## **Principals of Take Me to the River 22 LLC**

1. Christian Rowan - Naive Melody 24 LLC d/b/a Marian's, 24 Greenwich Avenue, New York, NY 10011
2. John Rowan
3. Steven Glenn
4. Harsha Marti
5. Kevin Meyers
6. Rohan Narayan
7. Duke Punhong – 25 B Group Rest Ave LLC d/b/a Eastpoint, 25 Avenue B, New York, NY 10009
8. Pramit Sheth
9. Kathryn Rowan

## PREMISES:

By what right does the applicant have possession of the premises?

Own  Lease  Sub-lease  Binding Contract to acquire real property  other: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Building:  Residential  Commercial  Mixed (Res/Com)  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of floor: 3 Year Built : 1920

Describe neighboring buildings: Mixed residential/retail

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Zoning Designation: C1-6

Zoning Overlay or Special Designation (applicable) L - Landmark

Block and Lot Number: 606 / 6

Does the premise occupy more than one building, zoning lot, tax lot or more than one floor?  yes  no

Is the premise located in a historic district?  yes  no

(if yes, have all exterior changes or changes governed by the Landmarks Preservation Commission (LPC) been approved by the LPC?  yes  no, please explain : pending

Will any outside area or sidewalk café be used for the sale or consumption of alcoholic beverages? (including sidewalk, roof and yard space)  no  yes : explain Open Restaurants program; see attached addendum

What is the proposed Occupancy? 15 In, 12 Out

Does the premise currently have a valid Certificate of Occupancy (C of O) and all appropriate permits?

no  yes

If yes, what is the maximum occupancy for the premises? 15

If yes, what is the use group for the premises? 6

If yes, is proposed occupancy permitted?  yes  no, explain : \_\_\_\_\_

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If your occupancy is 75 or greater, do you plan to apply for Public Assembly permit?  yes  no N/A

Do you plan to file for changes to the Certificate of Occupancy?  yes  no  
(if yes, please provide copy of application to the NYC DOB)

Will the façade or signage be changed from what currently exist at the premise?  no  yes

(if yes, please describe: New sign will be erected with d/b/a "Next Door"

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## INTERIOR OF PREMISES:

What is the total licensed square footage of the premises? 1,300 square feet

If more than one floor, please specify square footage by floors: Basement - 650 square feet, first floor - 650 square feet

If there is a sidewalk café, rear yard, rooftop, or outside space, what is the square footage of the area?

80 square feet

If more than one floor, what is the access between floors? Interior stairs to basement

How many entrances are there? 1 How many exits? 1 How many bathrooms? 1

Is there access to other parts of the building?  no  yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

## OVERALL SEATING INFORMATION:

Total number of tables? 1 In Total table seats? 13 In  
6 Out 12 Out

Total number of bars? 1 Total bar seats? Alcohol will be served from food counter

Total number of "other" seats? 0 please explain : \_\_\_\_\_

Total OVERALL number of seats in Premises : 13 In  
12 Out

## BARs:

How many \* stand-up bars / bar seats are being applied for on the premises? Bars 1 Seats 13

\*Food and alcohol will be served from one counter, as above

How many service bars are being applied for on the premises? 0

Any food counters?  no  yes, describe : One counter with 13 seats

**For Alterations and Upgrades:** N/A

Please describe all current and existing bars / bar seats and specific changes: \_\_\_\_\_

\* A stand-up bar is any bar or counter (whether seating or not) over which a member of the public can order, pay for and receive food and alcoholic beverages.

## PROPOSED METHOD OF OPERATION:

What type of establishment will this be? (check all that apply)

Bar  Bar & Food  Restaurant  Club/ Cabaret  Hotel  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

What are the Hours of Operation?

Sunday:      Monday:      Tuesday:      Wednesday:      Thursday:      Friday:      Saturday:  
11am to 11pm   11am to 11pm   11am to 11pm   11am to 11pm   11am to 12am   11am to 12am   11am to 12am

Will the business employ a manager?  no  yes, name / experience if known : Pending hire; experience will be in fine dining and wine

Will there be security personnel?  no  yes( if yes, what nights and how many?) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have or plan to install French doors, accordion doors or windows that open?  no  yes

If yes, please describe : \_\_\_\_\_

Will you have TV's ?  no  yes ( how many? ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of MUSIC / ENTERTAINMENT:**  Live Music  Live DJ  Juke Box  Ipod / CDs  none

Expected Volume level:  Background (quiet)  Entertainment level  Amplified Music  
(check all that apply)

Do you have or plan to install soundproofing?  no  yes

IF YES, will you be using a professional sound engineer? Yes

Please describe your sound system and sound proofing: Can speakers installed in ceiling with back cans; soundproof drywall with insulation if needed

Will you be permitting:  promoted events  scheduled performances  outside promoters

any events at which a cover fee is charged?  private parties

Do you have plans to manage or address vehicular traffic and crowd control on the sidewalk caused by your establishment?  no  yes ( if yes, please attach plans) Staff will monitor traffic and prevent crowds from forming outside the premises

Will you be utilizing  ropes  movable barriers  other outside equipment (describe) No

Are your premises within 200 feet of any school, church or place of worship?  no  yes

***If there is a school, church or place of worship within 200 feet of your premises or on the same block, please submit a block plot diagram or area map showing its' location in proximity to your applicant premises ( no larger than 8 ½ " x 11").***

Indicate the distance in feet from the proposed premise: N/A

Name of School / Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

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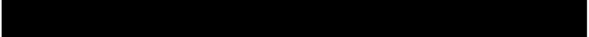
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School / Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Distance: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide contact information for Residents / Community Board and confirm that if complaints are made you will address it immediately.

Contact Person: Christian Rowan Phone: 

Address: 

Email : 

Application submitted on  
behalf of the applicant by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Print or Type Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your cooperation. Please return this questionnaire along with the other required documents as soon as you can. This will expedite your application and avoid any unnecessary delays. Use additional pages if necessary.

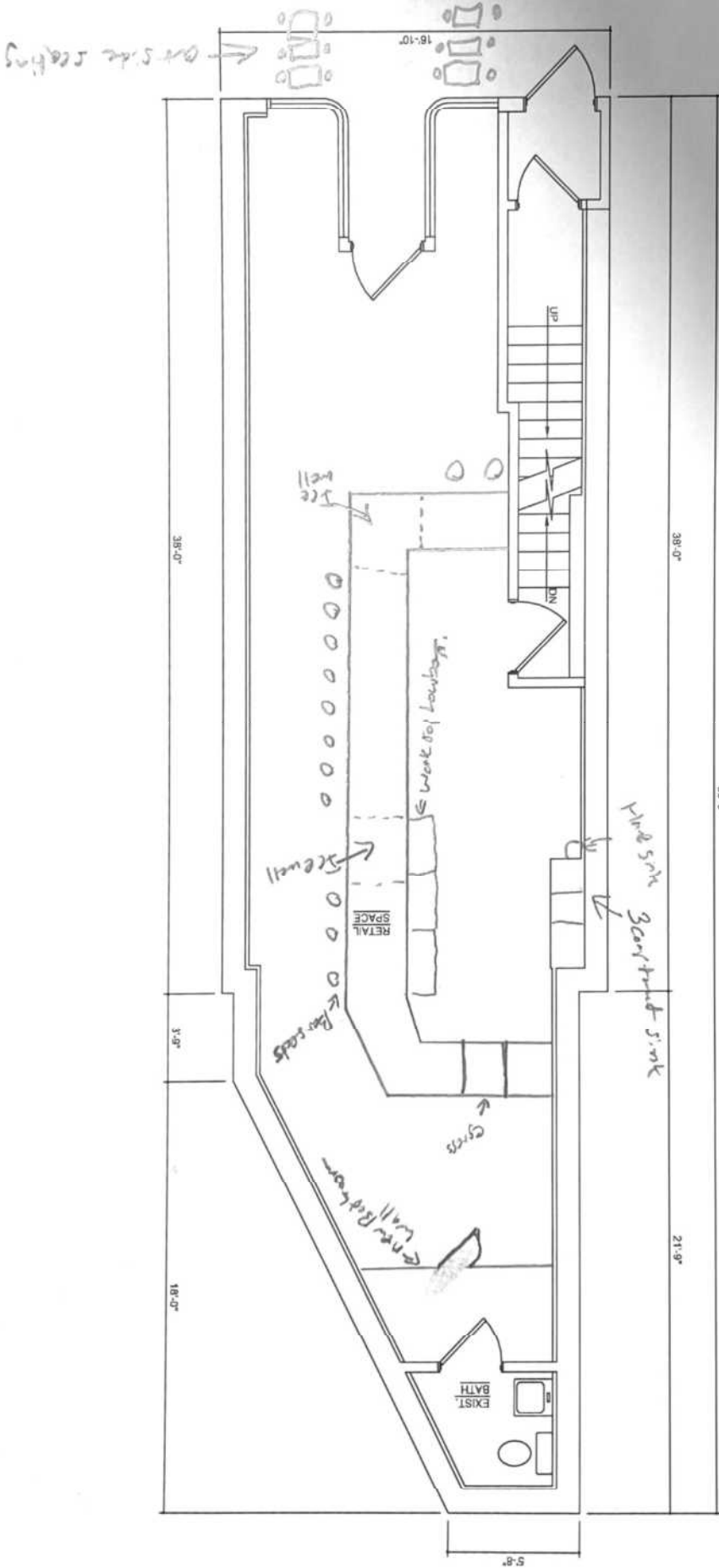


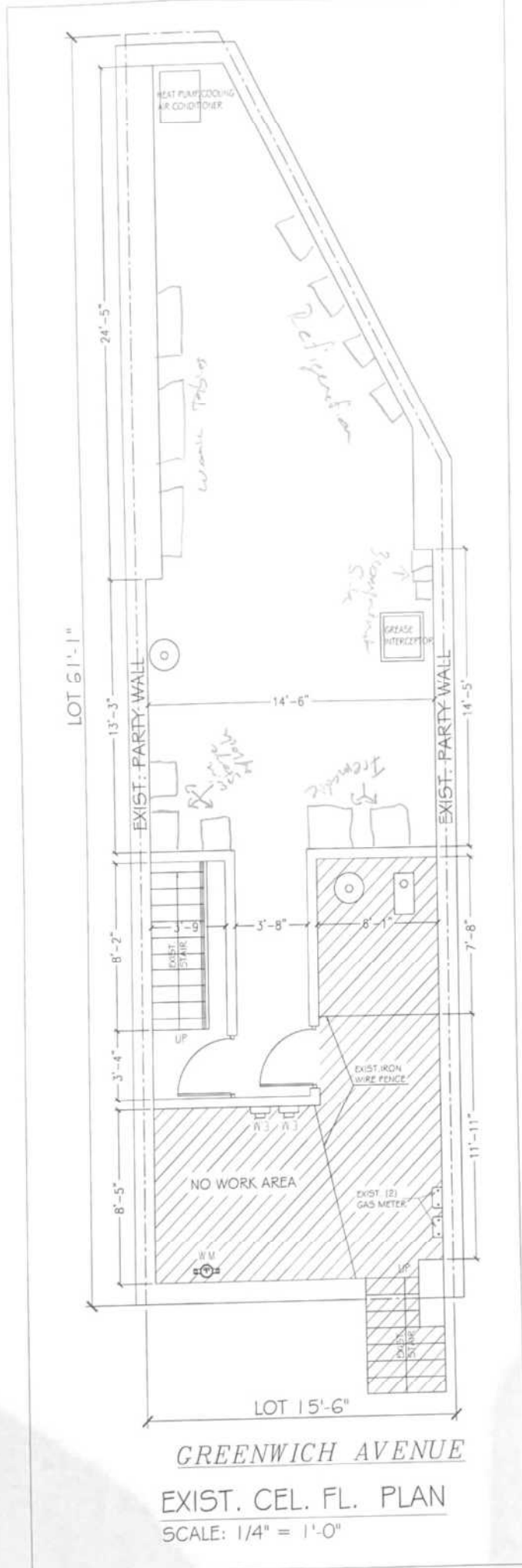
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Manhattan SLA Licensing Committee  
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EXISTING FIRST FLOOR PLAN

SCALE: 3/16" = 1'-0"





LOT 61'-11"

GREENWICH AVENUE

EXIST. CEL. FL. PLAN

SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"