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Jonathan Mintz  
Commissioner  
City of New York  
Department of Consumer Affairs  
42 Broadway  
New York, NY 10004

**Re: New Unenclosed Sidewalk Café**

**Applicant: BM Café Inc. d/b/a Hummus**  
**Location: 768 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue (51/52)**  
**Type: Re-Apply Application – Unenclosed Sidewalk Café**  
**Tables/Seats: 4 tables/8 seats**

Dear Ms. Gotay:

Manhattan Community Board 4 recommends approval of renewal application for an unenclosed sidewalk café submitted by the above applicant.

This was subsequent to a review of the site by the Business License & Permits Committee South and an appearance before the Committee by the applicant or a spokesperson for the applicant. No one appeared in opposition to the application.

We continue to request that the outer boundaries of cafes be marked on the sidewalk, as required by Department of Consumer Affairs' sidewalk café regulations.

Sincerely,

John Weis  
Chair  
Manhattan Community  
Board 4

John Owens  
Co-Chair  
Business License & Permits  
Committee - North

Chuck Spence  
Co-Chair  
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