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## MANHATTAN COMMUNITY BOARD FOUR

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## JOHN WEIS Chair

ROBERT J. BENFATTO, JR., ESQ. District Manager

July 22, 2010

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

Re: 440 Ninth Avenue Entertainment

440 Ninth Avenue (35th Street)

## Dear Chairman Rosen:

Manhattan Community Board 4 (MCB4) recommends denial of a new full liquor license for 440 Ninth Avenue Entertainment, unless the following stipulations, agreed to by the applicant, are part of the method of operation for this establishment:

- 1) Hours of operation will be no earlier than 12:00 noon and no later than 2:00 am Sunday through Tuesday and no earlier than 12:00 noon and no later than 4:00 am on Wednesday through Saturday.
- 2) The establishment will have a capacity of no more than 287 consisting of no more than 20 tables and 120 seats and two bars. The 287 capacity includes no more than 187 (1<sup>st</sup> floor), 49 (mezzanine), and 51 (cellar).
- 3) Only soft background music will be played and all doors and windows will be kept closed when music is being played.
- 4) The applicant is not applying for a cabaret license with this current application.
- 5) There will be no use of any outdoor spaces (rooftop, patio or sidewalk café) at this time for the sale or consumption of alcoholic beverages.
- 6) There will be absolutely no use of delivery bikes as the establishment does not plan to have delivery.
- 7) The applicant agrees to never use outside promoters.
- 8) There will be no French doors and/or windows that open to the street front.
- 9) Applicant will never install a storm vestibule enclosure since the entrance has an internal vestibule.

10) Kitchen exhaust will exit through an existing scrubber that has been 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 and community agreements is enclosed. This application is for a new restaurant.

Sincerely,

John Weis

Chair

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John Owens

Co-Chair

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