



STAFF REPORT ON PROPOSED LEGISLATION

To: Mayor Gavin Buckley

From: Michael Mallinoff

Date: July 19, 2023

Subject: R-38-23: FY 2024 Annual Fees Schedule - Art Establishment Liquor License Fee

Purpose of legislation

The purpose of this legislation is to specify the fee for the new Art Establishment liquor license.

Impact of legislation on operations

This legislation and the State legislation affects Maryland Hall and other arts organizations in the City. Currently, these organizations seek one-time licenses and pay fees incrementally with each license. Under this legislation, a new annual license would be created with an attendant annual fee. Operationally, this would require a one-time effort to add this license and its fee into the City's systems. Once implemented, this would decrease the volume of licenses and fees that the Office of Law processes slightly.

Impact of legislation on staffing

The decrease in the volume of fee licenses processed as a result of this legislation is not sufficient to impact staffing requirements in that office.

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