



Attachment # 2  
Letter of Support

**DOWNTOWN**  
**NEW WESTMINSTER**

June 7, 2022

Mayor Jonathan Cote and Members of City Council  
City of New Westminster  
511 Royal Avenue  
New Westminster, BC

**Re: Steel & Oak Patio**

Dear Mayor and Council,

On behalf of the Downtown New West BIA, I am writing to lend our support for the continued operation of the liquor service patio at Steel & Oak.

City staff and officials moved expeditiously to approve the parklet patios during the first year of the pandemic, and we commend you for considering the continued operation of these vital placemaking initiatives. Not only have they helped businesses like Steel & Oak continue to serve customers safely, but they also help to create a lively and positive atmosphere for our Downtown.

We strongly support our member, Steel & Oak Brewing, with the continued safe service of liquor on the Levi Street patio.

Sincerely,



Kendra Johnston  
Executive Director  
Downtown New West BIA

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