

**LICENSES AND CONSUMER SERVICES
LICENSE INSPECTOR'S REPORT**

License Number: L247-50449 **Police File Number:** F13556

Date of Application: June 30, 2014

Inspector: Julie Casey

Applicant/Legal Entity: Francois Vo, Inc.

DBA/Trade Name: Vo's Vietnamese Restaurant

Complete Address: 3450 Lyndale Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN 55408

License Requested: On Sale Wine with Strong Beer, Class E

Current License: Restaurant

Purpose of Application: The applicant is applying to add wine and beer to his full service restaurant.

Responsible person within 75 miles of Minneapolis City Hall: Francois Vo

Public Hearing Requirement: Not required.

Neighborhood/Ward: CARAG/ Ward 10

Zoning: C1

7 acre requirement: Not meet. Charter wine required.

Off-Street Parking: Four spaces

Schools within 300 feet of the proposed premises: None

Seating: Interior: 50
Exterior: 10

Food Service requirement: 70/30 Food to alcohol ratio

Hours of operation proposed: Monday to Friday 11:00 a.m to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 12:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Sunday: 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Metropolitan Council Service Availability Charges: None

History of Location

This location was previously El Meshon Restaurant. They had an On Sale Wine with Strong Beer, Class D.

Applicant

The applicant is Francois Vo, Inc, is registered under Minnesota Statute 302A.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Shares</u>
Francois Vo	President	100%

Francois Vo has operated two Vo's Restaurant in the City of Minneapolis. His previous restaurant was located at 648 Broadway Street NE from 1995 to 2005. The current application is the only one for an alcohol related license.

Police Review

Minneapolis Police License and 5th Precincts have reviewed the financial, criminal and security plans for this applicant. They have determined that the applicant meets minimum ordinance requirements.

Premises

The premise is a one story building with 2000 square feet. The interior has seating for 52 people. There is seating for 30 at seven tables and seating for 22 at seven booths. The exterior is a patio located on private property. The exterior has seating for ten people at five tables.

Business Plan/Operations

The restaurant is a full service restaurant serving Vietnamese food. Their entertainment plan is for prerecorded music on speakers in the interior. There will be no outdoor speakers. The owner, Francois Vo will also serve as the restaurant manager. Hours of operation will be Monday to Friday, 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Saturday, 12:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Sundays from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Licenses and Consumer Services Division recommends approval of an On Sale Wine with Strong Beer, Class E.