MEMORANDUM

TO:	Johni Blankenship, Borough Clerk
THRU:	Melanie Aeschliman, Planning Director MA
FROM:	Bryan Taylor, Planner
DATE:	August 31, 2021
RE:	Brewery License Application for Naptowne Brewing

Upon measuring the shortest pedestrian routes from the public entrance of the proposed brewery, the Planning Department found that the distance to the Sterling Elementary school grounds required protest of the license pursuant to (KPB 7.10.020(A)(2)(c)) when using the north driveway of the property that directly accesses the Sterling Highway.

Through subsequent correspondence, the applicant indicated that pedestrian access through the north driveway would be closed off by the gate at all times. The pedestrian route would then be via the south driveway exiting onto Greenwood Court. A pedestrian route through the south driveway would increase the distance to both the school grounds and the neighboring Sterling Baptist Church public entrance and no protest by KPB would be required (see enclosed map).

It is recommended that a condition be placed on the license to ensure that the north driveway is obstructed for pedestrian access. The condition is recommended because the State of Alaska's Alcohol and Marijuana Control Office review standards for pedestrian route distances are shorter than those or KPB and would not require that the licensee operate with the north driveway obstructed. Adding the condition would ensure the pedestrian route out of the north driveway would remain obstructed as a matter of compliance with the license.

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Kenai Peninsula Borough Review of State Application for Brewery License

Parcel: 063-680-10 Applicant: Naptowne Brewing Property Owner: Naptowne Holdings LLC

