## **MEMORANDUM**

Memo # 14-039-01

**TO:** Chief Kevin Treadway

FROM: Sgt. Matt Wright

**DATE:** May 5, 2014

**REF** Series 12 Liquor License for "The Patio"

On May 5, 2014, I initiated an investigation into an application for a new series 12 (restaurant) liquor license. The liquor license application has been filed by Danny Thomas, the listed agent on behalf of, Jason Peck the owner of The Patio. Also listed on the application is manager, Francisco Rafael Salcido-Gamboa. Danny is the listed agent for administrative purposes only and has no responsibility for the day to day operations of the business.

The Patio is located at 409 S. San Francisco in Flagstaff. The restaurant location is currently under renovations with plans to open in the near future. This was the previous location of El Charro. The license number being applied for is 12033358 a series 12 restaurant license.

I conducted a query through local systems and public access on Danny Thomas, Jason Peck and Francisco Salcido-Gamboa. No derogatory records were located for Danny Thomas. Jason Peck was found to have been arrested for misdemeanor criminal damage and disorderly conduct in 2012. Jason stated he plead guilty to the disorderly conduct and completed his court obligations. Francisco Salcido-Gamboa was arrested in Tucson on misdemeanor charges but the charges were dropped by Tucson Municipal Court in July of 2013. No liquor violations have been recorded by the Department of Liquor License and Control for The Patio as this is the first license at this location under the new restaurant name and ownership.

In speaking with Danny Thomas I confirmed Jason and Francisco would be operating the day to day operations. Jason and Francisco had not completed the required liquor law training courses but planned to do so prior to the license being issued.

As a result of the investigation, I can find no reason to oppose the series 12 restaurant liquor license application. Recommendation to council would be for approval.