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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chair and Members of the Board DATE: June 20, 2022

FROM: Jane P. Sawyer, Regulations Specialist RE: The Blazin' Salmon lic. 30107

This is an application for a Retail Marijuana Store in the City of Palmer, MSB, by Sammie Investments, LLC doing business as The Blazin' Salmon.

Determined Complete/Notices Sent: 6/08/2022

Public Objection Period Ends: 7/08/2022 – will need delegation

Local Governments Responses/Date: both City of Palmer and MSB are pending as of the date of this memo. The deadline is 8/07/2022. – will need delegation.

Fire Marshal Response: deferred to city

Background check status: Complete

Objection(s) Received/Date: not as of 6.20.22

Other Public Comments Received: not as of 6.20.22

Staff Questions/Issues for Board: AMCO recently received information that this proposed retail marijuana store might be too close to Mat-Su Central School, Palmer Campus. The same school AMCO enforcement's investigation determined High Society Cannabis lic. 30395 to be too close to under 3 AAC 306.010(a).

If the board decides to approve this application with delegation to the director to issue the license, staff requests to include in the delegation to investigate proximity of this proposed retail marijuana store to Mat-Su Central School, Palmer Campus, with findings of that investigation determining this retail marijuana store would not be in violation of 3 AAC 306.010(a). Alternatively, the board may table the application to the next regularly scheduled meeting to bring enforcement's report back to the board.