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Public Notice
June 9, 2025

To Whom It May Concern:

The Department of Licensing and Consumer Affairs (DLCA) invites the public to a hearing to discuss community concerns about the issuing of "Tavern Keeper A" liquor licenses to conduct business at the following locations:

- **Caribbean Essence Cuisine:** 1E (96) Cruz Bay, St. John
- **Clayton Williams, Clarice Williams dba In the Sand Food Van:** No. 8 Coki Point, Charlotte Amalie, VI
- **Lyve Lyfe, LLC:** 761 Barren Spot, Kingshill, St. Croix
- **Carlos Castillo Padilla dba De Carlos Car Wash Bar & Restaurant:** #365 Peter's Rest, Christiansted, St. Croix
- **William Trinidad dba Deh Rumors Grill:** 299 Peter's Rest, Christiansted, St. Croix
- **Albeli Mojica De Tejada dba Mana' Deli Restaurant:** #18 Peter's, Christiansted, St. Croix
- **Andrea G. DeCastro dba D' Caolina Bar:** 293 Peter's Rest, Christiansted, St. Croix

This hearing is scheduled for **Thursday, June 12, 2025, at 10:00 AM** via the following **Zoom** meeting link:

- <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84438574316?pwd=HmVxI7raV4nXDyBRbXyqJ7tvNlpCAL1>
- **Meeting ID: 84438574316 / Passcode: 145898**

Property owners whose properties are located within 500 feet of the proposed alcohol license locations - especially those near residential areas, schools, or churches - are encouraged to share their support or objections during the public hearing process. After providing public notice and holding a fair hearing, the DLCA may suspend or revoke an alcohol license if it is deemed to be in the public interest, as outlined in Title 8, Virgin Islands Code, Section 13(c). Your input is valuable and will help guide the decision-making process.

Alternatively, prior to the hearing, you may submit your questions, comments, objections, or approvals by:

- **Hand-delivery:** DLCA Alcohol Control Unit, Property & Procurement Bdg., 8201 Subbase, Ste. 1, St. Thomas, VI 00802
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Thank you,

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