RESOLUTION NO. 7-03

DECISION ON APPLICATION FOR A RETAIL 3.2% BEER (OFF PREMISES) LICENSE BY WAL-MART STORES INC. UNDER THE TRADE NAME OF WALMART SUPERCENTER #5099 LOCATED AT 2545 RIMROCK AVENUE, GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

A public hearing was held on October 1, 2003, by the Local Licensing Authority for the City of Grand Junction (hereinafter "City"), on the application submitted by Wal-Mart Stores Inc., (hereinafter "Applicant") for a Retail 3.2% Beer (Off Premises) license under the trade name of "Wal-Mart Supercenter #5099" located at 2545 Rimrock Avenue, Grand Junction, Colorado. The Local Licensing Authority having duly considered the evidence adduced at said hearing FINDS:

- 1. The hearing on October 1, 2003 on the application was held after proper notice thereof, as required by 12-47-136 C.R.S., et. seq.
- 2. The survey of the neighborhood conducted by the applicant revealed that 145 persons believed the needs of the neighborhood were not being met and 28 persons believed the needs are being met, and 126 inhabitants residing in the neighborhood desire the Local Licensing Authority grant the requested license; and 30 either marked not applicable or were not eligible to answer the question.
- 3. There are one (11) similar-type outlets in the surveyed area. There are no other similar-type outlets in a one-mile radius.
- 4. There were no counterpetitions or letters of opposition filed in regards to this application.
- 5. The moral character and reputation of the applicants for this application is good as determined by a check performed by the Grand Junction Police Department.

In light of all the evidence presented at the hearing, the documents and survey placed in the file, and the statements the applicant, it is determined that the statutory requirements for the issuance of the license have been met.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LOCAL LICENSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION;

That the application submitted by Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. for a Retail 3.2% Beer (Off Premises) license, under the trade name of "Wal-Mart Superstore #5099", located at 2545 Rimrock Avenue, Grand Junction, Colorado, be approved.

DONE , this 1 st day	of October 2003.
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Office of the City Clerk

ATTEST:	Phil Coebergh, Hearing Officer Local Licensing Authority for the City of Grand Junction
Juanita Peterson Deputy City Clerk	