



Greetings David McDonald,

I would like to inform you of a proposed established in your neighborhood, **Wildflower Café, 207 W York St** has applied for an Alcohol Beverage License. The City of Savannah understands the importance of a positive working relationship between businesses and the community they serve. For that reason, we encourage new business owners to meet with neighborhood leaders and residents to discuss expectations and the business's plan. As **Downtown Neighborhood President**, you are free to contact the business owner, **Ryan Williamson: 912-398-2741** to facilitate that discussion.

**If you do not need to meet with the applicant, please respond to this email indicating no meeting is required.**

The following will go before the Savannah City Council tentatively scheduled for November 9, 2023.

Company Name	Location
Wildflower Cafe	207 W York St

If there are any concerns, please contact the City of Savannah at (912) 651-6520

Kind Regards,

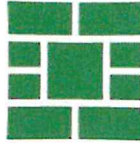
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MEMO

To: Judee Jones, Revenue Administrator  
From: Aislee Jackson, Zoning Use Coordinator  
Date: October 27, 2023  
Re: Zoning Review of Alcoholic Beverage License Request 23-005527-ABL

In reference to the application of **Ryan Williamson c/o Wildflower Café on Telfair Square** who is requesting an alcoholic beverage license at **207 W. Oglethorpe Ave** (PIN 20016 37010), I have determined that the **Proposed Use, Restaurant and Ancillary retail dealer (off-premises consumption of alcohol)** within the current **D-CBD (Downtown-Central Business District) zoning district:**

I have determined that the **Proposed Use(s):**

- Are Permitted by Right.**
- Is Not Permitted
- Requires a Special Use Permit from The Mayor and Aldermen
- Is Permitted as a Limited Use with Standards
- Is Permitted as a Non-conforming Use

Further, I have determined that **Parking** at the property:

- The parking is met.**
- The proposed use(s) are deficient in the parking standards.

Additionally, I have determined that the **Proposed Use:**

- Is an Existing use/occupancy, but new ownership, management, or request.**
- Is a New use/occupancy

Additionally, I have determined that the **Location** has:

- Zoning Ordinance violations that need to be corrected prior to the issuance of the Alcoholic Beverage License
- Business Location Approval:** Business Location Approval approved January 4, 2023 for a Restaurant (22-005572-BA). Alcoholic Beverage License issued for on premises consumption (23-000724-ABL).



**AGENDA ITEM TITLE:**

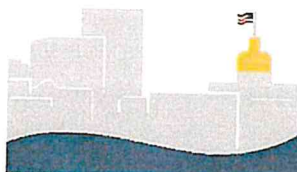
Agenda Date:	11/9/23
Notification Date from Revenue:	9/29/23
Business Name:	WILDFLOWER CAFÉ'
Business Address:	207 W. York Street
Compliant:	YES
Code Violations:	NO
Code Case #	23- 007019
Re-Inspection Date:	N/A

**Photographs:**



Officer's Name Judy Stewart

Date: \_\_9/29/2023

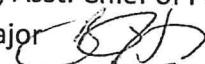




# SAVANNAH POLICE

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**TO:** Joseph A. Melder, City Manager

**THRU:** Lenny Gunther, Chief of Police  
Devonn Adams, Asst. Chief of Police  
Ben Herron, Major   
Alex Tobar, Captain   
Eric Smith, Lieutenant 

**FROM:** Sgt. William Barnett, ABC Supervisor

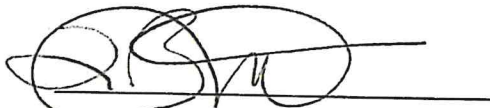
**DATE:** October, 25 2023

**Subject:** Wild Flower Cafe/207 W. Oglethorpe Ave

The purpose of this memorandum is to submit recommendations effective 10/25/2023. The following information concerns the Alcohol Business Responsible Party, **Ryan Williamson**.

The petitioner is requesting business licensing of a **Class E3 Ancilliary Retail Package Store** at Common Thread located at **207 W. Oglethorpe Ave.**

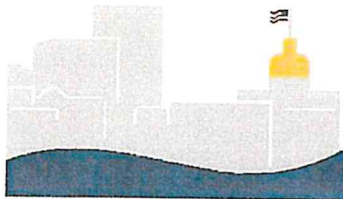
A review of the criminal history of **Mr. Ryan Williamson** was completed in February 2023 and is on file with the Alcohol Beverage Compliance Unit, revealed no disqualifying information as outlined in the City of Savannah Code of Ordinances, Section 6-1207, b.6. Based solely on the applicant's criminal history, the Savannah Police Department recommends approval of the above petition.



Sgt. William Barnett, Savannah Police Department







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**TO:** Dr. Jennifer Blalock, Interim Revenue Director

**THRU:** Ben Herron, CID Major  
Alex Tobar, CID Captain  
Eric Smith, CID Lieutenant

**FROM:** William Barnett, ABC Sergeant

**DATE:** October 25, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Wildflower Café/207 W. Oglethorpe Ave.

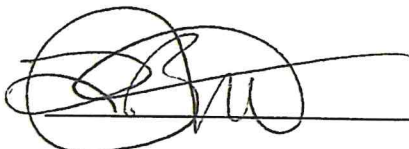
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The purpose of this memorandum is to submit recommendations effective 10/25/23. The following information is being supplied on an official basis concerning a new Alcoholic Beverage License for **Mr. Ryan Williamson**. A security plan has been submitted by the applicant and reviewed by the Savannah Police Department.

The security plan was examined to ensure it properly addressed all mentioned concerns in the City of Savannah's Alcohol Beverage Ordinance, Section 6-1206, Subsection D, Paragraph 4, Items A-I (as applicable).

In reference to the petition for **Mr. Ryan Williamson** requesting a **Class E3 (Ancillary Retail Package Store)** permit at **Wildflower Café/207 W. Oglethorpe Ave.** I submit the following:

**Mr. Ryan Williamson's** security plan has been reviewed. Note that this is the same as the original security plan submitted on 1/23/2023 and no changes were submitted. It should be noted the security plan addresses all applicable concerns set forth by the governing sections of the City of Savannah's Alcohol Ordinance. The Savannah Police Department has no reason(s) for recommending denial of this security plan.



Sgt. William Barnett

Savannah Police Department



**\*\*PUBLIC NOTICE\*\***

**OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COUNCIL  
ALCOHOL BEVERAGE LICENSE HEARING  
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

Ryan Williamson for Wildflower Café LLC t/a Wildflower Café on Telfair Square is requesting to add Class E (Beer, Wine) (By the Package) to their existing Class C (Beer, Wine) (By the Drink) Alcohol License with Sunday Sales at 207 West Oglethorpe Avenue. The establishment is located between Jefferson and Barnard Streets in Aldermanic District 2. The applicant plans to continue to operate a restaurant. (New Request/ Existing Business). The applicant will be heard at the meeting of the City Council at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, November 9, 2023, in Council Chambers, second floor of City Hall, 2 E. Bay Street.

Anyone objecting to the issuance of this license may appear at that time and be heard.

City of Savannah  
Mark Massey  
Clerk of Council

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**SAVANNAH MORNING NEWS  
SPECIAL NOTICE COLUMN**

Please insert the above notice in the SPECIAL NOTICE column of the Savannah Morning News: **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2023.**

Please let the City's Purchasing Department have two copies of the affidavit of publication.

**OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COUNCIL**

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**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2023.**