

## DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT CITY OF CHICAGO

March 13, 2023

John J. George Akerman LLP 71 S. Wacker Drive 47<sup>th</sup> Floor Chicago, IL 60606

Re: 8137-8147 S. Racine Ave.

Dear Mr. George:

In response to your revised request, please be advised that the subject property is currently zoned C2-2 Motor Vehicle-Related Commercial District. On October 26, 2022, you were issued a denial for the address of 8151 S. Racine Ave. Your client, Racine Product Inc., is seeking to establish a cannabis infuser at 8137-8147 S. Racine, rather than at 8151 S. Racine. You have provided consent from the property owner with your request.

Pursuant to Section 17-3-0207-AAA4 of the Zoning Ordinance ("Ordinance"), a cannabis infuser requires special use approval from the Zoning Board of Appeals. Before a public hearing is held by the Zoning Board of Appeals to consider the special use application, the applicant must hold at least one community meeting in the ward in which the use is proposed. Please refer to Section 17-13-0905-G of the Ordinance for more information about the community meeting process.

This letter may be used as your official denial to file for the required special use with the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Sincerely/

Patrick Murphey Zoning Administrator Bureau of Zoning

C: Victor Resa, Susan Perry