

Date: April 17, 2013

To: Mayor Walter B. Duke, III  
Vice Mayor Albert C. Jones  
Commissioner Chickie Brandimarte  
Commissioner Patricia Flury  
Commissioner Bobbie H. Grace

From: Robert Baldwin, City Manager

By: Thomas Ansbro, City Attorney  
Colin Donnelly, Assistant City Manager



Subject: Sale of Alcohol on the beach by the Quarterdeck Restaurant

The Quarterdeck Restaurant approached the city administration about its desire to provide restaurant service on the beach to large parties, including the sale of alcohol (see attached letter of February 4, 2013). Currently, the lease allows for food sales in designated areas north and south of the pier.

Mr. Paul Flanigan will be present for the discussion.



# QUARTERDECK

— Come for the food • Stay for the fun —

February 4, 2013

City of Dania Beach Commissioners;

I hereby request a modification of our Quarterdeck restaurant service area to include the service of alcohol on the beach in a designated area on the north side of the Quarterdeck. Presently, we can serve food 100 yards north of the pier, but no alcohol. We have placed a number of our trademarked sliding tables and chairs on the beach for public use, and they are presently being used by the public. We would like to use these tables and that area for large parties of guests. We have received and declined the following specific requests:

1. Birthday party for a 50 year old woman on the beach. Wine and sushi for 30-40 of her girlfriends;
2. Birthday party for 12 year old boy. Hot dogs, hamburgers and wings. Great except parents wanted beer and wine too;
3. Family reunion for 40-50. Small buffet of food with beer and wine.

Presently, we are unable to handle parties of 20 or more. We are always busy and cannot segregate an area large enough for these parties without upsetting existing customers. This area is presently in use by the general public, and our use would not further infringe on the public's use of beach property.

We recognize that any "event" would require coordination with City staff and issuance of a Special Event Permit.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of my request.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Flanigan.