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## Wine bar lined up for MARRS building in Midtown Sacramento

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A wine bar with a retail component is filling a former pizza shop space in Midtown Sacramento.

Good News Wine plans to open at 1050 20th St., Suite 150, according to records from the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control. That's the address of a space in the MARRS building, which most recently was occupied by Pizzeria Urbano.

Records from the city of Sacramento show plans are in the works to remodel the space into a wine bar and small-plate dining venue.

The new business will have a wine shop and a wine bar, said Good News Wine owner Bennett Cross. A schedule for opening Good News Wine is still being determined, Cross said.

Customers will be able to drink wine on-site and food will also be offered, Cross said. He's still finalizing the food menu. The retail portion of the business could include not only wine, but food-related items as well.

The space is just over 2,400 square feet, Cross said.

He's worked at a variety of cafes and restaurants. Cross said he was on the opening team for Urban Roots Brewing & Smokehouse in Sacramento, and also worked for Blue Bottle Coffee Inc. and Equator Coffees LLC in the Bay Area.

In an email to the Business Journal, MARRS building developer Mike Heller said the new wine bar will complement other businesses in the project. "I am particularly excited about Good News because I think their interior design will be really cool and the whole overall experience is a great add for that neighborhood," Heller said.

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