

**PUEBLO LIQUOR & BEER LICENSING BOARD**  
**MINUTES -- REGULAR MEETING**  
**CITY HALL -- COUNCIL CHAMBERS**  
**NOVEMBER 4, 2015 – 6:00 P.M.**

The Pueblo Liquor & Beer Licensing Board convened the Regular Meeting of November 4, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. with Chairwoman Doris Harrison presiding.

**ROLL CALL**

**Present:** Board Members Doris Harrison, Charles Pullaro, and Tom Rose.

**Absent:** Board Members Don DiFatta and Mike Ferris.

**Also Present:** Assistant City Attorney Lisa Macchietto and Deputy City Clerk Brenda Armijo.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Mr. Pullaro, seconded by Mr. Rose, moved to dispense with the reading and approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of October 21, 2015. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

- 1 HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – RENEWALS – ONE RENEWAL**  
Tian Jin, Inc. d/b/a Tian Jin Oriental Cuisine, 3400 W. Northern Avenue
- 2 TAVERN LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – RENEWALS – TWO RENEWALS**  
Club Ice, LLC d/b/a Club Ice, 2430 Lake Avenue  
Global Spectrum Colo, L.P. d/b/a Pueblo Convention Center, 320 Central Main Street
- 3 3.2% BEER LICENSE APPLICATION FOR OFF PREMISES CONSUMPTION – RENEWALS – ONE RENEWAL**  
7-Eleven, Inc. d/b/a 7-Eleven No. 17127, 905 W. Northern Avenue
- 4 CLUB LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – RENEWALS – ONE RENEWAL**  
American Legion Post 2 d/b/a American Legion Post 2, 701 West 9<sup>th</sup> Street
- 5 RETAIL LIQUOR STORE LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATIONS – RENEWALS – FOUR RENEWALS**  
Vintage Wine & Liquors, Inc. d/b/a Double Barrel Wine & Liquor, 1765 S. Pueblo Boulevard  
CJEM LLC d/b/a 80/Twenty Wines, 415 N. Greenwood, Suite C  
Hancor Investments, Inc. d/b/a J.R.'s Liquors, 721 N. Grand Avenue  
Spanky's Wine & Liquor LLC d/b/a Spanky's Liquor World, 1415 Highway 50 W
- 6 ALCOHOL BEVERAGE TASTINGS PERMIT APPLICATION – RENEWALS – ONE RENEWAL**  
CJEM LLC d/b/a 80/Twenty Wines, 415 N. Greenwood, Suite C
- 7 CABARET LICENSE APPLICATIONS – RENEWALS – THREE RENEWALS**  
A&D Billiards, Inc. d/b/a Classic Q's, 1715 S. Prairie Avenue  
Club Ice, LLC d/b/a Club Ice, 2430 Lake Avenue  
Global Spectrum Colo, L.P. d/b/a Pueblo Convention Center, 320 Central Main Street

Mr. Pullaro, seconded by Mr. Rose, moved to approve the Consent Agenda as read. Roll Call: Ayes – Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

**REGULAR AGENDA**

**8 HEARING: NEW CABARET LICENSE – WINE DOWN BY THE RIVER, LTD. D/B/A WINE DOWN BY THE RIVER, 105 S. UNION AVENUE**

Managing Member Michael Velarde, 12 Tamar Court, was sworn in and answered questions from the Board concerning the routing sheet provided with his Cabaret License application. Specifically, the limitation noted by Land Use Administration stating that dancing would be allowed only one day per month. Mr. Velarde stated that he would be submitting a revised routing sheet with the notation removed. Due to a family emergency, Mr. Velarde has been unable to complete the petition process and requested a continuance for this matter.

Mr. Pullaro, seconded by Mr. Rose, moved to continue the hearing to the December 2, 2015 regular meeting. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

**9 HEARING: NEW HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – CRYSTAL MARTINEZ D/B/A SANCHOS BAR & GRILL, 628 E. 4<sup>TH</sup> STREET**

The applicant, Crystal Martinez, 3405 Gem Drive, and Dan Corsentino, 1218 N. Main Street, Pueblo representing Dan Corsentino Private & Investigative Security Consultants were sworn in.

The moral character and financial questions were directed to Ms. Martinez. Ms. Martinez also explained and gave examples of valid identification. She has completed state approved liquor training. The moral character of Ms. Martinez is acceptable to the Board.

The Board then reviewed the petitions which were previously distributed. Mr. Corsentino explained how the petition process was conducted and how the results were calculated. Chairwoman Harrison gave specific information as to how the Board arrived at the number of valid signatures on the petitions. The petitions were entered into evidence and marked as Exhibit A.

Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Pullaro, moved to approve the new Hotel & Restaurant Liquor License. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

Ms. Macchietto read the proposed Findings and Order for the Board's consideration which indicates that issuance of this license is supported by at least 15 businesses and is opposed by at least three (3) businesses or other parties in interest; and it is supported by at least 71 residents of the neighborhood or other parties in interest and is opposed by at least nine (9) residents or other parties in interest. Additionally, the application is approved on the condition of receipt of an amended lease that is valid for full term of the license.

Mr. Rose, seconded by Ms. Harris, moved to approve the Findings and Order. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

**10 HEARING: NEW CABARET LICENSE APPLICATION – CRYSTAL MARTINEZ D/B/A SANCHOS BAR & GRILL, 628 E. 4<sup>TH</sup> STREET**

Crystal Martinez remains under oath. The Board took Administrative Notice of the testimony already given by Ms. Martinez.

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Mr. Rose, seconded by Ms. Harrison, moved that the new Cabaret License application be approved. Roll Call: Ayes – Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

Ms. Macchietto read the proposed Findings and Order for the Board's consideration which indicates that issuance of this license is supported by at least 15 businesses and is opposed by at least three (3) businesses or other parties in interest; and it is supported by at least 71 residents of the neighborhood or other parties in interest and is opposed by at least nine (9) residents or other parties in interest.

Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Pullaro, moved to approve the Findings and Order. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

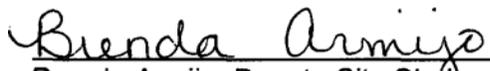
**11 HEARING: TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP APPLICATION – HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE – DJ'S STEAKHOUSE, INC. D/B/A DJ'S STEAKHOUSE, 4289 N. ELIZABETH STREET, (CURRENTLY LICENSED TO DJ'S STEAKHOUSE, LLC D/B/A DJ'S STEAKHOUSE, LICENSE EXPIRES OCTOBER 13, 2016)**

The applicant did not appear.

Mr. Pullaro, seconded by Mr. Rose, moved to continue the matter to the December 2, 2015 hearing. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 3-0.

**ADJOURN** – With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 6:37 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Brenda Armijo, Deputy City Clerk  
City Clerk's Office