

PUEBLO LIQUOR & BEER LICENSING BOARD
MINUTES -- REGULAR MEETING
CITY HALL -- COUNCIL CHAMBERS
May 2, 2018 – 6:00 P.M.

The Pueblo Liquor & Beer Licensing Board convened the Regular Meeting of May 2, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. with Chairperson Tom Rose presiding.

ROLL CALL

Present: Board Members Doris Harrison, Charles Pullaro, Jr., Tom Rose, Jan Shafer, and Ashley Sowinski.

Absent: None.

Also Present: Assistant City Attorney Kyle Aber, and Acting City Clerk Brenda Armijo.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Ms. Shafer, seconded by Ms. Sowinski, moved to continue approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 18, 2018 to May 16, 2018. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, Rose, Shafer, and Sowinski. Motion carried 5-0.

CONSENT AGENDA

MEETING NUMBER

- 1 HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – RENEWALS – TWO RENEWALS**
Grahams Grill, LLC d/b/a Grahams Grill, 115 E. Riverwalk, Suite 100
VZ2, LLC d/b/a Toni & Joe’s Pizzeria, 106 Colorado Avenue
- 2 TAVERN LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – RENEWAL – ONE RENEWAL**
Wrong Note, LTD d/b/a The Downtown Bar, 103 Central Plaza
- 3 3.2% BEER LICENSE FOR OFF PREMISES CONSUMPTION APPLICATION – RENEWAL – ONE RENEWAL**
CST Metro LLC d/b/a Diamond Shamrock Corner Store #1171, 430 W. Abriendo Avenue
- 4 BEER AND WINE LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – RENEWAL – ONE RENEWAL**
Eat Now, LLC d/b/a Bingo Burger, 405 N. Union Avenue
- 5 RETAIL LIQUOR STORE LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION – RENEWAL – ONE RENEWAL**
Nick’s Good Time Liquor Inc. d/b/a Nick’s Good Time Liquor, 3637 Baltimore Avenue
- 6 SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION – FERMENTED MALT BEVERAGE (3.2% BEER) – BANDIT SPORTS, INC., 1311 PALMER AVENUE, EVENT MANAGER JOSEPH C. SANTOS (EVENT TO BE HELD MAY 25, 26, 27, 28, 2018. ADDRESS OF EVENT: BESSEMER PARK, JOE SANTOS FIELD, 800 W. NORTHERN AVENUE)**
- 7 SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION – BEER, WINE & SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR – THE BISHOP OF PUEBLO, A CORPORATION SOLE, D/B/A ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH, 1725 SPRUCE STREET, EVENT MANAGER PATRICIA J. MUNIZ (EVENT TO BE HELD JUNE 1 AND 2, 2018. ADDRESS OF EVENT: 1725 SPRUCE STREET)**

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- 8 SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION – BEER, WINE & SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR – LA GENTE YOUTH SPORTS, INC., 2804 EAST 12TH STREET, EVENT MANAGER ZACHARY VALDEZ, (EVENT TO BE HELD MAY 18, 19, 20, 2018. ADDRESS OF EVENT: 1200 JUAN MADRID AVENUE)
- 9 TEMPORARY PERMIT APPLICATION: TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP APPLICATION — TAVERN LIQUOR LICENSE: COOPER INVESTMENT LLC D/B/A GUS’S PLACE, 1205 ELM STREET, (CURRENTLY LICENSED TO GUS’ PLACE LLC D/B/A GUS’ PLACE, LICENSE EXPIRES AUGUST 16, 2018)
- 10 TEMPORARY PERMIT APPLICATION: TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP APPLICATION — HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE: PAISANO’S DOWNTOWN, LLC D/B/A PAISANO’S DOWNTOWN, 727 N. MAIN STREET, (CURRENTLY LICENSED TO PAISANO’S LLC D/B/A PAISANO’S, LICENSE EXPIRES JANUARY 19, 2019)
- 11 REPORT OF CHANGES – CORPORATION, LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AND PARTNERSHIP – BEER AND WINE LIQUOR LICENSE – EAT NOW, LLC D/B/A BINGO BURGER, 405 N. UNION AVENUE (ROSALIE ORESKOVICH REMOVED FROM LLC AND STOCK TRANSFERRED TO RICHARD D. WARNER AND MARY K. ORESKOVICH)

Ms. Shafer, seconded by Ms. Harrison, moved to approve the Consent Agenda as read. Roll Call: Ayes – Harrison, Pullaro, Rose, Shafer, and Sowinski. Motion carried 5-0.

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- 12 SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION – BEER, WINE & SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR LICENSE – PUEBLO CRIME STOPPERS, INC., 200 S. MAIN STREET, EVENT MANAGER MARK MCMAHAN (EVENT TO BE HELD JUNE 8, 15, 22, 29, 2018. ADDRESS OF EVENT: 100 BLOCK OF B STREET)

Event Manager Mark McMahan, 4147 Outlook Boulevard, Unit 5, Pueblo, CO and Tom Bruss, 57 Caledonia Road, Pueblo, CO were sworn in and answered questions from the Board. There will be two – possibly three liquor distribution points with at least two servers per station. There will be bratwurst and hamburgers for sale, along with food trucks on site to provide food for sale. Approved forms of identification were described and examples given. No one under the age of 21 is allowed to attend the events. The entry/exit points will be staffed with professional security. Professional security and sheriff’s deputies will secure the event. The area will be fenced with crowd control barrier.

Mr. Pullaro, seconded by Ms. Sowinski, moved to approve the special events permit application for Pueblo Crime Stoppers, Inc. Roll Call: Ayes – Harrison, Pullaro, Shafer, and Sowinski. Motion carried 4-0-1. Mr. Rose recused himself from this item.

- 13 SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT APPLICATION – BEER, WINE AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR – SOUTHERN COLORADO YOUTH DEVELOPMENT, 161 BAXTER ROAD, EVENT MANAGER MICHAEL RILEY (EVENT TO BE HELD MAY 4 AND 5, 2018. ADDRESS OF EVENT: 3733 N. PUEBLO BOULEVARD)

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Event Manager Michael Riley, 161 Baxter Road, Pueblo, CO and Tim Desiata, 788 S. Greenway Avenue, Pueblo West, CO were sworn in and answered questions from the Board. There will be one liquor distribution point with two servers. The Pueblo Motorsports Park concessions will be available to provide food for sale during the event. Approved forms of identification were described and examples given. All identification will be checked and wristbands will be utilized for bar patrons. There is one entry/exit point and the area will be secured by snow and chain link fencing.

Ms. Sowinski, seconded by Ms. Harrison, moved to approve the special events permit application for Southern Colorado Youth Development. Roll Call: Ayes – Harrison, Pullaro, Rose, Shafer, and Sowinski. Motion carried 5-0.

14 SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT APPLICATION – BEER, WINE AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR – SOUTHERN COLORADO YOUTH DEVELOPMENT, 161 BAXTER ROAD, EVENT MANAGER MICHAEL RILEY (EVENT TO BE HELD MAY 11, 2018. ADDRESS OF EVENT: 3733 N. PUEBLO BOULEVARD)

Event Manager Michael Riley and Tim Desiata remained sworn in. The Board took Administrative Notice for testimony given in the previous item.

Ms. Sowinski, seconded by Ms. Shafer, moved to approve the special events permit application for Southern Colorado Youth Development. Roll Call: Ayes – Harrison, Pullaro, Rose, Shafer, and Sowinski. Motion carried 5-0.

15 HEARING: TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP APPLICATION — HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE: BBDD MANAGEMENT, INC. D/B/A TABLE 67, 102 S. UNION AVENUE, (CURRENTLY LICENSED TO THE PLACE RIVERWALK LLC D/B/A THE PLACE, LICENSE EXPIRES DECEMBER 30, 2018)

Jim Beatty, 5815 Good Pasture Drive, Beulah, CO and Florangel Mendez-Beatty, 5815 Good Pasture Drive, Beulah, CO were sworn in and answered questions from the Board. The moral character and financial questions were directed to Mr. and Mrs. Beatty. The restaurant currently employs 15-20 people. Mr. Beatty was unsure of criminal convictions among staff and background checks are not completed. Approved forms of identification were described and examples given. The policy for checking identification is to check anyone appearing under 30 years of age. Training for employees is done through State Liquor Enforcement. The moral character of the applicants was found to be satisfactory to the Board.

Ms. Harrison, seconded by Ms. Sowinski, moved to approve the transfer of ownership of the Hotel & Restaurant Liquor License – BBDD Management, Inc. d/b/a Table 67. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, Rose, Shafer, and Sowinski. Motion carried 5-0.

Mr. Aber read the proposed Findings and Order for the Board's consideration.

Ms. Harrison, seconded by Ms. Shafer, moved to approve the Findings and Order as read. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, Rose, Shafer, and Sowinski. Motion carried 5-0.

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**16 PETITION TO PAY FINE IN LIEU OF SUSPENSION – THE BOURBON ROOM PUEBLO
LLC D/B/A THE BOURBON ROOM, 1007 WEST 6TH STREET**

Member Rudy Ibarra, 933 Pinecrest Drive, Pueblo, CO was sworn in and answered questions from the Board.

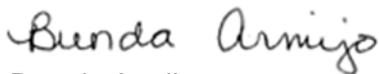
Ms. Shafer, seconded by Ms. Harrison, moved to approve the petition to pay fine in lieu of suspension – The Bourbon Room Pueblo LLC d/b/a The Bourbon Room. Roll Call: Ayes — Harrison, Pullaro, Rose, and Sowinski. Nays – Shafer. Motion carried 4-1.

Mr. Ibarra requested a continuance in this matter to allow him time to complete an additional petition to pay fine in lieu of suspension for the remaining ten days of the suspension.

Mr. Rose, seconded by Ms. Harrison, moved to continue this matter to June 6, 2018. Roll Call: Ayes – Pullaro, Harrison, and Rose. Nays – Shafer and Sowinski. Motion carried 3-2.

ADJOURN – With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Brenda Armijo
Acting City Clerk