

Amended: July 7, 2021



**PUEBLO LIQUOR & BEER LICENSING BOARD  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

**CITY HALL — COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
JUNE 16, 2021 — 6:00 P.M.**

The Pueblo Liquor & Beer Licensing Board convened the Regular Meeting of June 16, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. with Vice Chairperson Tony Pullaro presiding.

**ROLL CALL**

**Present:** Board Members Liz Chapman, Steve Cornetta, Tony Pullaro, and Tom Rose.

**Present via Zoom:** None

**Absent:** Jan Shafer

**Also Present:** Assistant City Attorney Kyle Aber, City Clerk Marisa Stoller, and Licensing Coordinator Cindy Capritta

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Ms. Chapman, seconded by Mr. Rose, moved to approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of June 2, 2021. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

**MEETING  
NUMBER**

- 1 TAVERN LIQUOR LICENSE – RENEWAL– ONE RENEWAL  
BG & T LLC, dba Broadway Tavern & Grill, 127 S. Broadway Ave**
- 2 RETAIL LIQUOR STORE LIQUOR LICENSE – RENEWAL – ONE RENEWAL  
HANARI INC., dba Pueblo Liquor, 1210 S. Prairie Ave**
- 3 FERMENTED MALT BEVERAGE LICENSE – RENEWAL – ONE RENEWAL  
WALMART INC., dba Walmart #842, 4200 Dillon Dr.**
- 4 SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION – BEER, WINE & SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR LICENSE  
CASA OF PUEBLO, 130 W. ABRIENDO AVE., EVENT MANAGER: ZANE GRANT (EVENT TO BE HELD JULY 24, 2021. ADDRESS OF EVENT: 503 N. MAIN ST)**
- 5 SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION - BEER, WINE & SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR LICENSE  
JUNETEENTH ORG. OF PUEBLO INC., EVENT MANAGER: SILVESTER ABRON (EVENT TO BE HELD JUNE 19, 2021. ADDRESS OF EVENT: 843 W. NORTHERN AVE)**

**CONSENT AGENDA**

**MEETING  
NUMBER**

- 6 HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE – RENEWALS – TWO RENEWALS**  
VZ2 LLC, dba Colorado Tap Room, 106 Colorado Avenue  
Ruby's LLC, dba Rubys, 100 Broadway Avenue

Ms. Chapman, seconded by Mr. Rose, moved to approve the Consent Agenda as amended. Roll Call: Ayes, Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, Rose and. Motion carried 4-0.

**REGULAR AGENDA**

- 7 REPORT OF CHANGES CORPORATION, LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AND PARTNERSHIP - HOTEL & RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE – EL WUATEKE, 208 W. NORTHERN (REMOVE HILDA GONZALEZ, AS 50% OWNER)**

No one from El Wuateke was present, but the board felt the letter from the file application was sufficient to move forward.

Mr. Cornetta, seconded by Ms. Chapman, moved for approval of the Report of Changes. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

- 8 PERMIT APPLICATION AND REPORT OF CHANGES – TAVERN LIQUOR LICENSE – 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET STATION, LLC dba 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET STATION, 112 W. 7<sup>TH</sup> (EVENT TO BE HELD JULY 10 2021 & JULY 11, 2021, ADDRESS OF EVENT: GOBIN'S PARKING LOT, 615 N. SANTA FE DR**

Members David Clark, 425 S Boros Dr, Pueblo, CO 81007, and Gary Cooper 112 W 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Pueblo, CO 81003, were sworn in and answered questions from the Board.

Mr. Cooper mentioned they would be donating \$1 from liquor sales on Saturday and \$1 from beer sales on Sunday to the Fire Department. He expanded on their security plan.

Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Cornetta, moved for approval of the application contingent upon the issuance of the Revokable Permit. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

- 9 PERMIT APPLICATION & REPORT OF CHANGES - MODIFICATION OF PREMISES BEER AND WINE LIQUOR LICENSE – MARIECRUZ CASTRO GARCIA, dba LA SIERRITA MEXICAN GRILL, 1200 E. Evans Avenue**

Member MarieCruz Castro Garcia, 1325 E 21<sup>st</sup> St, Pueblo, CO 81001, and translator Rebecca Vasquez, 943 E Routt Ave, Pueblo, CO 81004, were sworn in and answered questions from the Board.

Ms. Castro Garcia clarified her petition and answered questions from the board regarding the diagram. The updated map was admitted into evidence as Exhibit A.

Ms. Chapman, seconded by Mr. Cornetta, moved for approval of the application. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

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**REGULAR AGENDA (CONTINUED)**

**10 HEARING: TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP – RETAIL LIQUOR STORE LIQUOR LICENSE: ROYAL TRIANGLE, LLC dba OSCAR’S LIQUORS, 838 S. PRAIRIE AVE (CURRENTLY LICENSED TO OSCAR’S LIQUOR LANE LLC, LICENSE EXPIRES JUNE 23, 2021).**

Member Bhanu Kharel, 209 Moonlight Dr, Euless, TX 76039 was sworn in and answered questions from the Board. The moral character and financial questions were directed to Mr. Kharel. The moral character is acceptable to the board. TIPS certificates were admitted into evidence as Exhibit A, B, C, D and E.

Mr. Cornetta, seconded by Ms. Chapman, moved for approval of the application. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

Assistant City Attorney Kyle Aber read the proposed Findings and Order for the Board’s consideration or amendment. Mr. Cornetta, seconded by Mr. Rose, moved to approve the Findings and Order as read. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

**11 HEARING: NEW HOTEL AND RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE – TACOS FLAMA, LLC, D/B/A TACOS FUEGO, 1305 EAST ROUTT AVENUE, CONT’D FROM 5.5 & 5.19 & 6.2.2021**

Members Brian Garcia, 434 S Park St, Pueblo, CO 81006, Walter Terrones 2859 Gale Rd, Pueblo, CO 81006, and Andrew Vigil 1760 Rosevale Ct, Pueblo, CO 81006 were sworn in and answered questions from the Board. Administrative notice was taken of their previous appearances. They have decided to be open from 7am to 10pm and serve a full menu for the entire time. They are hoping to soft open on July 15<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Cornetta, moved for approval of the application. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

Assistant City Attorney Kyle Aber read the proposed Findings and Order for the Board’s consideration or amendment. Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Cornetta, moved to approve the Findings and Order as read. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

**12 HEARING: NEW CABARET LICENSE – TACOS FLAMA, LLC, D/B/A TACOS FUEGO, 1305 EAST ROUTT AVENUE, CONT’D FROM 5.5 & 5.19 & 6.2.2021**

Administrative notice was taken of their previous appearances. Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Cornetta, moved for approval of the application. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

Assistant City Attorney Kyle Aber read the proposed Findings and Order for the Board’s consideration or amendment. Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Cornetta, moved to approve the Findings and Order as read. Roll Call: Ayes — Chapman, Cornetta, Pullaro, and Rose. Motion carried 4-0.

**ADJOURN** – With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Marisa Stoller  
City Clerk