

CITY OF SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS LICENSING BOARD

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MEETING MINUTES

A meeting of the Salem Licensing Board was held on Monday, **March 28, 2016** at 6:45 p.m., at City Hall, 120 Washington Street in the third floor meeting room. In attendance: Bob St. Pierre, Chairman; Member Rick Lee; Special Investigator Sgt. Dennis Gaudet; Elizabeth Rennard, City Solicitor and Joanne Roomey filling in for Melissa Pagliaro, Clerk of the Board. Absent was Member Paul Flores.

AGENDA

1. Application for various Street Performer Licenses. Applicants: Gwendolyn McCormick, Chris Fritz-Grice, Michael Kelly and Glenn French.

All of the applicants, except McCormick were present. Chris Fritz-Grice, Michael Kelly and Glenn French were approved. Rick Lee reviewed all of the rules and regulations. Sgt. Gaudet spoke about the noise level. All applicants said they read the rules and regulations and signed them.

Mr. Lee motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

2. Application for a One Day Liquor License on 8/10/16 from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for Witches Cup at Salem Common. Applicant: Dan Shuman.

Dan Shuman and an associate appeared and informed the Board that they would like to have a beer tent at the Common during the bike race, as they have for many years. He told the Board he would follow the procedures established previously, limiting drink tickets, having a police detail and controlling the entrance.

Maryann Curtin, a Common neighborhood resident, voiced her objection because she does not approve of alcohol on the Common. Chairman St. Pierre noted her objection.

Mr. Lee said all is in order and motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

3. Application for a One Day Liquor License on 9/18/16 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for Annual Fundraiser Taste of the Gables at Seaside Lawn and Visitor Center. Applicant: The House of the Seven Gables.

Deb Costa appeared and said that NS Bartending Service will be serving and managing the event.

Mr. Lee made a motion to approve and waive the fee for the nonprofit. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

4. Application for One Day Liquor Licenses on 5/1/16 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for a Bridal Shower at Winter Island Function Hall. Applicant: Elaine Milo.

Mrs. Milo appeared and said she was hosting a bridal shower where they would serve mimosas and breakfast.

Mr. Lee said all is in order and motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

5. Application for (9) nine One Day Liquor Licenses. Applicant: City of Salem, Council on Aging, Broad Street. All events for 60 seniors and the time is 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. Thursday, April 11, 2016, Opening Day, Celebration for the seniors; Thursday, May 5, 2016, Spring Party; Thursday, May 26, 2016, Pizza Party; Thursday, June 23, 2016. Carnival Party; Thursday, July 28, 2016, Pizza Party; Thursday, September 22, 2016, Pizza Party; Thursday, October 20, 2016. Pizza Party; Wednesday, December 21, 2016, Holiday Party.

Kathy McCarthy and Rosanna Donahue of Council on Aging were present and requested a change in hours for Opening Day from 12:00 - 2:00 p.m., Halloween party from 11:00 - 12:30 p.m. and Holiday party from 11:00 - 12:30 p.m.

Mr. Lee motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

6. Application for (3) three events. Applicant: Salem Main Streets. SAF Fundraiser, Application for a One Day Liquor license on April 8; Salem Arts Festival, Blanket License, June 3 - 5 and the 2016 Salem Farmers' Market, Blanket License, June 9 - Oct 13, 2016.

Kylie Sullivan, Executive Director of Salem Main Streets was present. She presented the Certificate of Liability Insurance.

Mr. Lee said all is in order and motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

7. Application for an Individual Fortunetelling License. Applicant: Kelly A. Spangler.

Ms. Spangler appeared. Mr. Lee motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

8. Application for Sub Licensee Fortunetelling License for Nu Aeon. Applicant: Barbara J. Alonzi.

Ms. Alonzi did not appear.

9. Application for sub licensee fortunetelling license for HEX. Applicant: Paul Orr.

Timothy Regan, Manager of Hex appeared. Approve upon verification of CORI.

10. Application for a Common Victuallers License. Applicant: Ghenhis Willow's, Inc., 179 Fort Ave.

Raymond Eng and Wen Zhong Chen appeared on the application.

Mr. Lee said all is in order and motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

11. Application for a change of hours on Sunday's for earlier open. Applicant: Salem Supermarket Corporation, 95 Congress Street.

Francisco Lora said he wanted to change the hours on opening on Sunday from 12:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Mr. Lee motioned to approve. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

12. Application for a Lodging House License. Applicant: Cougar Capital II, LLC, 2-4 Emerton Street. Continued from the February 22, 2016 meeting.

Applicant did not appear. Mr. Lee motioned to continue to April 11, 2016. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

13. Discussion and vote regarding Automatic Amusement Application and fees.

City Solicitor requested that the matter be continued to the April 11th meeting where she will propose, after consultation with the Board's Clerk, a schedule of fees for automatic amusements that takes into account year-long use of automatic amusements. Mr. Lee motioned to continue the matter to the next meeting. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

- 14. Communications: NONE
- 15. Old/New Business: NONE

16. Approval of Meeting Minutes from March 14, 2016.

Mr. Lee motioned to approve the Meeting Minutes. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried.

17. Adjournment

Mr. Lee motioned to adjourn. Chairman St. Pierre seconded. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Melissa Pagliaro Clerk of the Board