

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD
BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS
Meeting of July 24, 2024

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order on July 24, 2024 at 5:31 P.M. Commissioners: Rosa Espinosa, John Ramirez, Andrew Cade, Peter Sygnator, Maria D'Angelantonio, Anthony Bonavita being present. The meeting was held Virtual Public Hearing (ZOOM). To view Public Hearing .CH 17 on Springfield's Comcast <http://focusspringfield.com/watch/government>.

FIRST order of business: Approval of Minutes:

Approval of Minutes for Springfield Board of License Commissioners Hearing held on Wednesday, July 10, 2024.

After discussion:

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to approve the minutes. Motion seconded by Sygnator Commissioner with unanimous vote to approve.

SECOND order of business: Continued New Petitions:

Petition for New Annual Wines & Malt Beverage Restaurant License for Nilale LLC d/b/a Banana Brasil located at 995 Boston Rd; Nilton Coelho, Manager of Record.

Attorney Daniel Kelly appeared on behalf of Licensee.

After discussion

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to approve. Motion seconded by Commissioner Sygnator with unanimous vote to approve.

THIRD order of business: Pre-Hearing Conference:

Amapola Bakery and Bistro LLC d/b/a Mojitos Bar & Restaurant located at 497 Belmont Ave; Jamie Romero Cedeno, Manager of Record; Incident of 5-23-24, be charge with the following: Violation of 204 CMR 2.05(2) No licensee for the dale of alcoholic beverages shall permit any disorder, disturbance, or illegality of any kind to take place in or on the licensed premise. The licensee shall be responsible whether present or not ONE COUNT: to wit; 1) Exceeding Capacity of 67 Listed on 2024 Alcoholic Beverage License.

Attorney Daniel Kelly appeared on behalf of Licensee.

After discussion

Commissioner Sygnator motioned to continue on 8-28-24. Motion seconded by Commissioner Ramirez with unanimous vote to approve. To allow the review of the Body Worn Camera footage.

FOURTH order of business: ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF INCIDENT REPORTS

1. Le Souk Hookah – Incident of 6-28-24 Pre-Hearing Conference

After discussion of Report – Commissioner Espinosa motioned for Pre-Hearing Conference for 8-14-24 of incident report of 6-28-24. Motion seconded by Commissioner Sygnator. With Commissioners Sygnator, Cade, Espinosa and D’Angelantonio voting in favor and Commissioner Ramirez voting abstain. Motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:49 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Alesia H. Days, Esq.