

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD
BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS
Meeting of June 11, 2025

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order on June 11, 2025 at 5:31 P.M. Commissioners: Rosa Espinosa, Andrew Cade, John Ramirez, Maria D'Angelantonio and Attorney Robert Schmidt 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, May 28, 2025.

After discussion:

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

SECOND order of business: Informational Hearings

Plar Auto Sales LLC dba Pena Lopez Auto Repair located at 971 E Columbus Ave; Yahaira C Lopez, Manager of Record. Customer Complaint.

Attorney Jeffrey Burstein appeared on behalf of Licensee. Complaint did not attend

After discussion

Commissioner D'Angelantonio motioned to dismiss this complaint, if the complaint should bring it back to our attention, then we will re-visit it. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cade with unanimous vote to approve.

THIRD order of business:

240 Chestnut Street, Inc. dba Top Shelf located at 240 Chestnut St; Milca Ramos; Manager of Record. Clarify who's the Manager of Record.

Pro Se

After discussion

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to continue to 8/13/2025, need Change of Manager. Motion seconded by Commissioner D'Angelantonio with unanimous vote to approve.

FOURTH order of business:

Papa Ram Associates, LLC dba Top Shelf II located at 238 Chestnut St; Carlos Melendez; Manager of Record. Clarify who's the Manager of Record.

Pro Se

After discussion
Confirm Carlos Melendez is the Manager of Record.

FIFTH order of business:

Celyfer Associates, LLC dba Faces Grill Bar Lounge located at 234 Chestnut St; Carlos Melendez; Manager of Record. Clarify who's the Manager of Record.

Pro Se

After discussion
Confirm Carlos Melendez is the Manager of Record.

SIXTH order of business:

One Day All Alcohol Permit for June 13, 2025 – Outdoor from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM. Event held at State Street/Ben Swan way & Vietnam Veteran Memorial – type of event: Adult Day Block Party, Name of Organization – IGN Company Inc., Person in charge of the event India Anderson.

Pro Se along with Justin Hurst, Desi and Tracye Whitfield attended

After discussion
Commissioner Espinosa motioned to approved. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cade with unanimous vote to approve.

SEVENTH order of business:

Blaze Restaurant Inc. dba Island Blaze Restaurant, located at 708 Main St; Guyseymore Wilson, Manager of Record. Status of when will your establishment be ready to open & other issues.

Pro Se

After discussion:
Commissioner Espinosa motioned to continue to 7-23-25. Motion seconded by Commissioner D'Angelantonio with unanimous vote to approve.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:54 pm.

**Respectfully Submitted by,
Alesia H. Days, Esq.**