

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD
BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS
Meeting of October 26, 2022

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order on October 26, 2022 at 5:31 P.M. Commissioners: Rosa Espinosa, Andrew Cade, Maria D'Angelantonio, John Ramirez and Peter Sygnator being present: The meeting was held Virtual Public Hearing (ZOOM). To view Public Hearing .CH 17 on Springfield's Comcast <http://focusspringfield.com/watch/goverment>.

FIRST order of business –Approval of Minutes:

Approval of Minutes for Springfield Board of License Commissioners Hearing held on Wednesday, October 12, 2022.

After discussion:

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

SECOND order of business: Petitions

Petition for a Change of Officers/Directors/LLC Managers and Change of Ownership Interest (LLC members/LLP Partner, Trustees) for Pride Operating LLC d/b/a Pride located at 1225 Parker St and 77 West St.

Licensee appeared Pro Se.

After discussion

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

THIRD order of business:

Petition for a Transfer of License and Pledge of License for Iyaan Corp. d/b/a Johnny Mac Liquors located at 1949 Wilbraham Rd; Nikita Patel, Manager of Record.

Licensee appeared Pro Se.

After discussion:

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

FOURTH order of business:

Petition for a New Annual Beer and Wine Restaurant License for Los Duros Restaurant, LLC d/b/a Los Duros Restaurant located at 880 State St; Eyelisse Gonzalez, Manager of Record

Attorney Daniel Kelly appeared on behalf of Licensee.

After discussion:

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to approve with a 1am closing time. Motion seconded by Commissioner Sygnator, with unanimous vote to approve.

FIFTH order of business:

Petition for a Change of Manager for Springfield Liquor Mart Inc. d/b/a Springfield Liquor Mart located at 1785 Allen St; From Thomas Waldron to Jerome Shanahary, Manager of Record.

Licensee appeared Pro Se.

After discussion

Commissioners Sygnator motioned to continue to 12/14/22 to allow change of manager in different town to go through before approving manager for the Springfield location. Motion seconded by Commissioner Cade, with unanimous vote to approve.

SEVENTH order of business: -Pre-Hearing Conferences:

Delicias Restaurant Catering, Corp d/b/a Delicias Restaurant located at 1333 Boston Rd; Derrick Crespo, Manager of Record. Incident of 8-12-22-1. Failure to abide by the City of Springfield Noise Ordinance; 2. Allowing outdoor entertainment in violation of Entertainment License.

Licensee appeared Pro Se.

After discussion

Commissioner Sygnator motioned 5 days suspension to be held in abeyance for one year. Motion seconded by Commissioner Ramirez, with unanimous vote to approve.

EIGHTH order of business: -Information Hearings:

Mass Mutual Convention Center located at 1277 Main St; Christopher Hayes, Manager of Record- Change of Hours from 12 pm – 2am to 10am- 2am for Cornhole Competition Event on 10/28/22 and 10/29/22.

Licensee appeared Pro Se.

After discussion

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

NINETH order of business: - New Business:

Discussion regarding New License Type annual fee; Farmer Series Pouring Permit.

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to continue to 11-9-22. Motion seconded by Commissioner Sygnator, with unanimous vote to approve.

TENTH order of business: Administrative Review of Incident Report:

1. Top Shelf; Incident of 10-9-22- no action
2. Top Shelf; Incident of 10-1-22- no action
3. The Hookah Factory; Incident of 10-10-22- no action

Meeting was adjourned at 6:09 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Alesia H. Days, Esq.