

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD
BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS
Meeting of December, 14 2022

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order on December 14, 2022 at 5:37P.M. Commissioners: Rosa Espinosa, Andrew Cade, Maria D'Angelantonio, John Ramirez, Peter Sygnator being present and Attorney Maurice Powe. 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, November 30, 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 New License (Late Renewal) for AMG Retail, LLC d/b/a Irving located at 11 Tapley St; Rebecca Dempsey, Manager of Record.

Attorney Hogan, Alexandra appeared on behalf of Licensee.

After discussion

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to approve. Motion seconded by Commissioner Ramirez, with unanimous vote to approve New License (Late Renewal).

Commissioner Sygnator motioned to revisit the change in d/b/a on 12-28-2022. Motion seconded by Commissioner Ramirez, with unanimous vote to approve.

THIRD order of business:

Petition for a Change of Manager for My Joe Joe, Inc. d/b/a Potbelly's Pub located at 153 Main Street; from Kayla Rivera to Carlo Sarno; Manager of Record.

After discussion:

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to continue on 12-28-2022. Motion seconded by Commissioner Sygnator, with unanimous vote to approve.

FOURTH 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 Shanahan, Manager of Record.

After discussion:

Commissioner Sygnator motioned to continue on 12-28-2022. Motion seconded by Commissioner D'Angelantonio, with unanimous vote to approve.

FIFTH order of business: -

Olympic Restaurant located 232 Chestnut St; Giuglia Sitta, Manager of Record- Discussion about staying open till 3am for takeout only.

After discussion:

Commissioner Espinosa motioned to continue to 12-28-2022. Motion seconded by Commissioner Sygnator, with unanimous vote to approve.

SIXTH order of business:

- 1. Aquarius- Incident of 10-29-22 -No Action**
- 2. McCarthy's-Incident of 10-30-22 -No Action**
- 3. 1636 North-Incident of 11-3-22 – Commissioner Ramirez motion to forward matter regarding illegal activity to the Mayor Office to take additional action. Motion seconded by Commissioner Sygnator with unanimous vote to approve.**
- 4. J & J Package Store-Incident of 10-26-22 and 10-28-22 --No Action**
- 5. Irish Ale House- Incident of 11-7-22 -No Action**
- 6. Forest Park Liquors-Incident of 12-22-22 – Pre-Hearing schedule 12/28/2022**
- 7. Theodores-Incident of 11-15-22 -No Action**
- 8. Hemil's Bar and Grill-Incident of 11-6-22 -No Action**
- 9. Dewey's Jazz Lounge-Incident of 11-11-22 – Pre-Hearing schedule 12/28/2022**
- 10. Marlee's-Incident of 11-13-22 -No Action**
- 11. Solmar Restaurant-Incident of 11-24-22 -No Action**
- 12. Entertainment District-Incident of 11-12-22 -No Action**
- 13. Entertainment District- Incident of 11-16-22 -No Action**
- 14. Franks Package Store – Incident of 5-22 – Hearing schedule 12/28/2022 – Commissioner Sygnator motioned to review their Tobacco Violation. Motion seconded by D'Angelantonio, with unanimous vote to approve.**

Meeting was adjourned at 6:47 pm.

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