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CITY OF SHEBOYGAN

COMMITTEE ON LAW AND LICENSING MINUTES

JULY 25, 2017

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Chair Alderperson Susan Holzschuh, Vice Chair Alderperson Mary Lynne Donohue,  
Alderperson Scott Lewandoske, Alderperson Ron Rindfleisch

MEMBERS EXCUSED:

Alderperson Rosemarie Trester

STAFF/OFFICIALS PRESENT:

City Attorney Charles C. Adams, Lt. William Adams, Mayor Michael J.  
Vandersteen, Licensing Clerks Cinda Langhoff and Melissa Clevenger, Kathy  
Hoffman

OTHERS PRESENT:

Steve Hemsing, Roman Draughon, Kate Bales, Elizabeth Wieland, Cynthia Kue

OPENING OF MEETING

Roll Call

Call to Order

Chair Alderperson Susan Holzschuh called the meeting to order at 2: 30 p.m.

## Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Introduction of Committee members, staff and guests

## MINUTES

Approval of Minutes - July 11, 2017

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Lewandoske, to approve the minutes of the previous meeting held July 11, 2017. Motion carried 4 - 0.

## ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

R.O. No. 84 - 17 - 18 (7 - 3 - 17) Submitting various license applications for the period ending December 31, 2017 and June 30, 2019. Bev. Op. Lic. App. Nos. 0140 (Richard J. David), 5705 (Erik N. Meyer), 1808 (Kevin P. Markham), 7238 (Kelli J. Schaal)

Richard J. David failed to appear before the committee for a hearing on possible denial of his license application.

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Lewandoske, to deny the license application based upon Mr. David's ineligibility for a beverage operator's license and his failure to cooperate with the committee. Motion carried 4 - 0.

Erik N. Meyer failed to appear before the committee for a hearing on possible denial of his license application.

Motion by Alderperson Lewandoske, seconded by Alderperson Donohue, to deny the license application based upon Mr. Meyer's ineligibility for a beverage operator's license and his failure to cooperate with the committee. Motion carried 4 - 0.

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Lewandoske, to grant a license to Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 1808 (Kevin P. Markham). Motion carried 4 - 0.

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Rindfleisch, to grant a license to Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 7238 (Kelli J. Schaal) with a specific warning that non-cooperation with the police will not be tolerated. Motion carried 3 - 1 (Alderperson Lewandoske nay).

Presentations by potential applicants for available "Class B" alcohol beverage licenses

There is presently one Class B alcohol beverage license available. Bookworm Gardens, Roman Draughon, and Tokyo Sushi and Steak House all appeared before the committee to present their cases regarding pre-applications for the available license.

Elizabeth Wieland and Kate Bales spoke on behalf of Bookworm Gardens. They indicated that Bookworm Gardens presently has a beer and wine license, but having a liquor license would generate additional revenue.

Roman Draughon spoke on behalf of Limelight Pub (South 17 th Street and Broadway Avenue). Renovations are complete and he is now ready to open. Featured music will be jazz and blues.

Cynthia Kue spoke on behalf of Tokyo Sushi and Steak House. They are opening a restaurant in the Econo Lodge on 8 th Street which is similar to their restaurant in Manitowoc. They will have hibachi grills and also serve fresh sushi. They are in the process of renovating at this time and could be open by October or November.

Discussion and action regarding granting opportunity to apply for available "Class B" alcohol beverage licenses

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Rindfleisch, to invite Roman Draughon to apply for the available Class B alcohol beverage license within fourteen (14) days. Motion carried 4 - 0.

Discussion and possible action regarding proposed ordinance related to food carts as opposed to food trucks

City Attorney Adams informed the committee that he has spoken with food truck owners and potential food cart owners in order to obtain information needed to draft this ordinance. The ordinance will not be ready in time for this season. Steve Hemsing was present and answered questions the committee had regarding food carts.

R.O. No. 104 - 17 - 18 (7 - 17 - 17) Submitting various license applications

for the period ending December 31, 2017, June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2019

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Rindfleisch, to call in Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 9642 (Tiffany J. Perronne) for a hearing on possible denial of her license application. Motion carried 3 - 1 (Alderperson Lewandoske - abstain).

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Rindfleisch, to call in Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 1766 (Taylor J. Quesinberry) for a hearing on possible denial of her license application, unless she takes care of her warrant prior to the hearing. Motion carried 4 - 0.

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Lewandoske, to hold Bev. Op. Lic. App. Nos. 1757 (Jessica R. Charles), 1762 (Kyle R. Decker) [Club], and 1751 (Gewell R. James, Sr.). Motion carried 4 - 0.

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Rindfleisch, to grant the remainder of the license applications for individuals and entities listed on the above-referenced R.O. Motion carried 4 - 0.

#### NEXT MEETING DATE

Next meeting date will be August 15, 2017

The next committee meeting is scheduled to be held on August 15, 2017 at 2: 30 p.m. in the Common Council Chambers located at City Hall, 828 Center Avenue.

#### ADJOURN

Motion to adjourn

Motion by Alderperson Donohue, seconded by Alderperson Rindfleisch, to adjourn at 3: 27 p.m. Motion carried 4 - 0.