



City of Memphis

Alcohol Commission Minutes

September 19, 2018

- I. Call to Order** – The regularly scheduled meeting of the Alcohol Commission was called to order at approximately 9:08 a.m. by Sgt.-At-Arms, Officer Gerald Lake.
- II. Roll Call** – The following Commissioners were present: Beth Flanagan, Sherman Greer, Lee Jackson, Thomas O’Malley and Steven Reid. The following Commissioners were not present: Barry Chase, Erma Hayslett, Jared Johnson, Renee Poe, Billy Post and Johnsie Wallace Gault.
- III. Approval of the Minutes from the Previous Meeting** – The minutes from the previous meeting were distributed electronically prior to this meeting. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to approve the minutes from the September 5, 2018 meeting. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
- IV. Special Beer Applicant(s):**
1. Jimmy Lovell – 335 South Hollywood Street – **“Bluff City Fair”**
Date(s): September 27-30, 2018
Time: Thursday: 4:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m., Friday: 4:00 p.m. -11:00 p.m., Saturday: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m., Sunday: 12:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Sponsoring Organization: Universal Fairs, LLC
Purpose of funds: For Profit; 1 booth(s)
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
 2. Matthew Tomek – 118 Adams Avenue – **“Mid South Fire Fighter 5K”**
Date(s): October 26, 2018
Time: 5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Sponsoring Organization: Memphis Fire Fighters Foundation
Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
 3. Donald Thompson – 8151 Chimney Rock Blvd. – **“St. Francis of Assisi Parish Picnic”**
Date(s): September 29, 2018
Time: 12:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Sponsoring Organization: St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church
Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

4. Gabriel Castiblanco – 5560 Shelby Oaks Drive – **“Fiesta Familiar”**
 Date(s): September 21, 2018
 Time: 8:30 p.m. – 1:30 a.m.
 Sponsoring Organization: N/A
 Purpose of funds: For Profit; 1 booth(s)
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Flanagan moved to approve the application. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.*

5. Jeremiah Mills – Tom Lee Park – **“Memphis Pride Fest/Mid-South Pride”**
 Date(s): September 29, 2018
 Time: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
 Sponsoring Organization: Mid-South Pride Memphis, Inc.
 Purpose of funds: Charitable; 3 booth(s)
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Jackson moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

6. Rebecca Dull – 409 South Main Street – **“Farm Fest”**
 Date(s): September 30, 2018
 Time: 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
 Sponsoring Organization: Memphis Farmers Market
 Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

7. Richard Esquivel – 6903 Great View Drive – **“Shelby Farms Beer Garden”**
 Date(s): October 1- 31, 2018
 Time: 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
 Sponsoring Organization: N/A
 Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

8. Patrick Galphin – 6903 Great View Drive North – **“Memphis Music Festival”**
 Date(s): October 5 - 8, 2018
 Time: 12:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
 Sponsoring Organization: Mempho Matters
 Purpose of funds: Charitable; 15 booth(s)
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9. Randol Odom – 2107 Ball Road – **“Mam Tuxes & Tennis”**
 Date(s): September 29, 2018
 Time: 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
 Sponsoring Organization: Memphis Grizzlies
 Purpose of funds: Charitable; 4 booth(s)
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Jackson moved to approve the application. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.*

10. Catrina Sullivan – 2080 Poplar Avenue – “Day of Merrymaking”
Date(s): October 6, 2018
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Sponsoring Organization: Overton Park Conservancy
Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Jackson moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

V. Violation(s):

The Following Location(s) is in Violation of A C Rule C4, C5, D4 (WITH) Priors:

11. Mohammad Howlader & Sheikh Ahamed – 1335 South Bellevue – NRBD Enterprise, Inc. – dba – “Memphis Food Mart” – Citation #880805, OS-361165
Date of Violation(s): Friday, June 15, 2018
Date Permit Approved: February 19, 2014
**Prior(s): 11-18-15 (C5, D4)
6-24-16 (C4, C5, D4)**
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Hutchinson #3330
Commissioner O’Malley moved to lift the indefinite suspension. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed. The owner and Attorney Parker stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$1,300.00 along with a 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The Following Location(s) is in Violation of A C Rule C5, D4 (WITH) Priors:

12. Almotaz Falah – 853 Highland Street – Two In One, LLC – dba – “Two In One” – Citation #881106, OS-361174, OS-361175
Date of Violation(s): Saturday, June 23, 2018
Date Permit Approved: April 2, 2012
**Prior(s): 01-23-15 (C5)
06-06-18 (C5, D4)**
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Galison #3156
Administrative continuance to the October 3, 2018 meeting.

The Following Location(s) is in Violation of A C Rule C4, C5 (WITH) Priors:

13. MAPCO Express, Inc. – 2185 Winchester Road – MAPCO Express, Inc.– dba – “MAPCO Express #3271 ” – Citation #880678, C-332379
Date of Violation(s): Friday, July 27, 2018
Date Permit Approved: October 19, 2016
Prior(s): 5-27-17 (C4, C5)
Officer(s): Smith #8686, Hutchinson #3330
The district manager (DM) stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$950.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.* The DM agreed to the fine and probation.

The Following Location(s) is in Violation of A C Rule C5 (WITH) Priors:

14. Jamal Sider – 3040 East Shelby Drive – dba – “J Express Market” – Citation #880829
Date of Violation(s): Thursday, June 21, 2018
Date Permit Approved: March 16, 2016
Prior(s): 1-14-16 (C5, D4)
Officer(s): Galison #3156, Payment #6785
The owner and Attorney Corman stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
15. MAPCO Express, Inc. – 4311 New Allen Road – MAPCO Express, Inc.– dba – “MAPCO Express #3252 ” – Citation #830372
Date of Violation(s): Tuesday, June 26, 2018
Date Permit Approved: October 19, 2016
Prior(s): 3-24-17 (C4)
Officer(s): Galison #3156, Payment #6785
The DM stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.* The DM agreed to the fine and probation.
16. Musid Ismail – 4284 Overton Crossing Street –dba – “Smart Mart Express” – Citation #880957
Date of Violation(s): Friday, June 29, 2018
Date Permit Approved: March 2, 2016
Prior(s): 6-13-17 (C4, C5)
Officer(s): Smith #8636, Stepney #1348
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The Following Location(s) is in Violation of A C Rule C4, C5, D4 (NO) Priors:

17. Sam Obad – 4789 East Shelby Drive – dba – “S & P Express Mart” – Citation #880789, OS-361168
Date of Violation(s): Thursday, June 21, 2018
Date Permit Approved: June 20, 2012
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Galison #3156
The owner and Attorney McGhee stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$600.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
18. Saleh Altareb – 2251 Elvis Presley Blvd. – Almotareb. Inc. – dba – “King of Discount Mini Mart” – Citation #880804, OS-361166
Date of Violation(s): Friday, June 15, 2018
Date Permit Approved: October 15, 2014
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Hutchinson #3330
The owner and Attorney Corman stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$600.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The Following Location(s) is in Violation of A C Rule C4, C5 (NO) Priors:

19. MAPCO Express, Inc. – 3271 East Shelby Drive – MAPCO Express, Inc. – dba – “MAPCO Express #3276 ” – Citation #880790, OS-361169
Date of Violation(s): Tuesday, June 26, 2018
Date Permit Approved: October 19, 2016
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Galison #3156
The DM stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$600.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.* The DM agreed to the fine and probation.

The Following Location(s) is in Violation of A C Rule C4 (NO) Priors:

20. Mutahar Sharhan – 4625 Tchulahoma Road – dba – “County Line Grocery” – Citation #OS-361170
Date of Violation(s): Thursday, June 21, 2018
Date Permit Approved: February 2, 2004
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Galison #3156
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

VI. The Following Person(s) has Applied to Sell Beer for “ON” Premises Consumption:

21. Dao Ye & Qin Lin – 3813 Riverdale Road – Yong Hui, Inc. – dba – “Hibachi Grill Supreme Buffet”
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to approve. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
22. Juan Castelan – 4830 Summer Avenue – Castelan, Inc. – dba – “Salon de Fiestas La Guadalupana”
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws and after discussion about this location being used as a banquet hall, it was determined that further research be conducted to determine if this location qualified for an On Premise beer permit. *Commissioner O’Malley moved to continue this location to the October 3, 2018 meeting. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
23. Sabine Langer – 1350 Concourse Avenue, Ste. #157 – Global Café, LLC – dba – “Global Café, LLC”
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Flanagan moved to approve. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.*
24. An’Janae Burns – 1544 Netherwood Avenue – dba – “The Annex”
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to approve. Commissioner Jackson seconded. The motion passed.*

VII. The Following Person(s) has Applied to Sell Beer for “OFF” Premises Consumption:

25. Kallow Kodi – 2558 Warren Street – dba – “Warren Mart”
Continued to the October 3, 2018 meeting.

26. Ghazi Alnobi – 3746 Townes Avenue – Townes Mart, Inc. – dba – “Townes Mart”
Continued to the October 3, 2018 meeting.

VIII. Liquor Store (Grandfathered):

27. John Shikhule – 3024 Covington Pike, Ste.1 – Yala Investment Corporation – dba – “Spirits Unlimited”

Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Reid moved to recommend to the Mayor and the Mayor will recommend to the State for approval. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

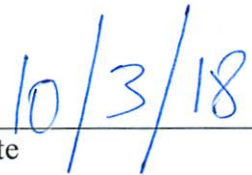
IX. New Business

X. Old Business

XI. **Adjournment** – There being no further business to come before the Alcohol Commission, *Commissioner O’Malley moved for adjournment at approximately 11:16 a.m. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*



Sherman Greer, Acting Chairman



Date

Aubrey J. Howard, Executive Secretary

Date