

City of Memphis Alcohol Commission Minutes March 7, 2018

- **I. Call to Order** The regularly scheduled meeting of the Alcohol Commission was called to order at approximately 9:08 a.m. by Sergeant-At-Arms Officer Gerald Lake.
- II. Roll Call The following Commissioners were present: Barry Chase, Sherman Greer, Jared Johnson, Thomas O'Malley, Billy Post and Steven Reid. The following Commissioners were not present: Erma Hayslett, Renee 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 February 21, 2018 meeting. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.

IV. Special Beer Applicant(s):

1. Holly Calvasina – 66 Cooper Street – **Condomonium**

Date(s): March 31, 2018 Time: 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Sponsoring Organization: Memphis Center for Reproductive Health

Purpose of funds: Charitable; 3 booth(s)

Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.

2. Jared Bullock – 2101 Madison Avenue (Overton Square Courtyard) – **Whiskey Warmer**

Date(s): March 23, 2018Time: 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Sponsoring Organization: Leadership Memphis/Volunteer Memphis

Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)

Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,

Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.

3. Angela Meekins – Wagner Place & Riverside Drive between Union & Beale – **2018 Rajun** Cajun Crawfish Festival

Date(s): April 15, 2018

Time: 12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Sponsoring Organization: Porter-Leath Purpose of funds: Charitable; 6 booth(s)

Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,

Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.

4. Megan Miller – Pipkin Bldg. 940 Early Maxwell – **Memphis Roller Derby Bout #1**

Date(s): March 10, 2018 Time: 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Sponsoring Organization: N/A

Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1booth(s)

Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,

Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner O'Malley seconded. The motion passed.

V. Violation(s):

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

5. Othman Aldafari – 4355 South 3rd Street – dba – **N & M Gas Express – Citation #M109957** Date of Violation(s): Monday, August 21, 2017

Date Permit Approved: September 21, 2016

Prior(s): 4-17-17 (C4)

Officer(s): McKinney #9684, McMoore #9685

Commissioner Greer moved to lift the indefinite suspension. Commissioner Post seconded. The motion passed. The owner stipulated to the charge. Commissioner O'Malley moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Post seconded. The motion passed. The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

Delinquent Location(s) in Violation of A C Rule C1:

Date of Violation: Wednesday, January 31, 2018

- 6. Entertainment Productions, Inc. 3659 Mendenhall Road dba Live
- 7. Sekisui of Cordova, LLC 1884 N. Germantown Pkwy. dba Sekisui of Cordova
- 8. Residence Inn by Marriott, LLC 6141 Old Poplar Pike **Residence Inn Memphis East**
- 9. Gwendolyn McCulley & Fannie Griffin 930 N. Second dba McCulley Country Kitchen
- 10. Alex Crowder 3285 Hacks Cross Road, Ste. 105 dba Mr. P's Buffalo Wings Plus
- 11. Felicia A. Finnie 1215 Thomas Street dba Lee-Lee's Bar & Grill
- 12. John Burdick 661 N. Mendenhall Road, Ste. 104-105 dba **Bar Light**
- 13. Ashes Entertainment Group, LLC 815 Exocet Drive, Ste. 105 dba **Oasis Lounge**
- 14. Sol D Mex, LLC 4672-4688 American Way dba Azul Tequila Bar
- 15. Maria Ponce 5721 Raleigh LaGrange Road dba Comidas Tipicas La Conquista
 The owner stipulated to the charge. Commissioner O'Malley moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Post seconded. The motion passed. The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
- 16. Rafa's Mexican Grill, LLC 1825 Kirby Parkway dba **Rafa's Mexican Grill**
- 17. Coach's Grillz & BBQ, LLC 4731 Covington Pike dba Coach's Grillz & BBQ
- 18. Ana Viky Sanchez 3991 Jackson Avenue dba **El Paraiso**

- 19. Center for Southern Folklore 119 S. Main Street, Ste. 106 dba Center for Southern Folklore
 - The owner stipulated to the charge. Commissioner O'Malley moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Post seconded. The motion passed. The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
- 20. Christopher & Chrisshawn Harris & Twoine Sesley –3285 Hacks Cross Road, Ste. 107 dba Cloud Blu
- 21. Best Friends Grille, LLC 823 Exocet Drive, Ste. 105 dba **Best Friends Grille**The owner stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner O'Malley moved to fine the location \$100.00*along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Post seconded. The motion passed. The owner agreed to the fine and probation.
- 22. Martha E. Resendiz Vega 3937 Summer Avenue dba **Picosos**
- 23. Amadou Dia 1672 E. Alcy Road dba M & M Grocery
- 24. Fusion Investment Group, Inc. 288 S. Front Street dba LUNCHBOXeats
- 25. People's Billiard Club, LLC 323 Beale Street dba People's on Beale
- 26. Getwell Mobile, Inc. 1608 Getwell Road dba Getwell Food & Gas Mart
- 27. Kittens Cabaret, LLC 2882 Lamb Place dba **Kittens Cabaret**
- 28. SQA Mahadev, LLC 6101 Shelby Oaks Drive dba GardenTree Hotels
- 29. The Dirty Crow Inn, LLC 855 Kentucky Street dba **The Dirty Crow Inn**The owner stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner O'Malley moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Post 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:

- Joan Graves/Jeffrey Watkins 412 South Main Street Grecian Gourmet, Inc. dba Grecian Gourmet
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
 Commissioner Post moved approval. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.
- 31. Angkhanaly Vichathep 520 South Main Street Zen, Inc. dba **South Main Sushi & Grill** Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved approval. Commissioner Reid seconded. The motion passed.*
- 32. Guillermo Diaz 3750 Hacks Cross Road, Ste. 105 Pueblo Viejo, Inc. dba Pueblo Viejo Mexican Restaurant & Buffet
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
 Commissioner Post moved approval. Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed.

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

33. Rahim Umlani/Amyn Rahman/Nadiya Moosani – 464 North Main Street – Blooming Main, LLC – dba – Blooming Main, LLC Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, Commissioner Post moved approval. Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed.

| III. | New Business | |
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| | Old Business | |
| | Adjournment – There being no further business to come before the commission, Commissioner Johnson moved for adjournment at approximately 11:09 a.m. Commissioner Post seconded. The motion passed. | |
| | Jared Johnson, Chairman | Date |
| | Aubrey J. Howard, Executive Secretary | |