



# City of Memphis

## Alcohol Commission Minutes

### April 2, 2018

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- I. Call to Order** – The regularly scheduled meeting of the Alcohol Commission was called to order at approximately 9:02 a.m. by Sgt.-At-Arms, Officer Gerald Lake.
- II. Roll Call** – The following Commissioners were present: Jared Johnson, Billy Post, Thomas O’Malley, and Sherman Greer. The following Alternate Commissioners were present: Gloria Fouche, Lee Jackson and Beth Flanagan. The following Commissioners absent: Johnsie Wallace-Gault, Barry Chase, Renee Poe, and Steven Reid.
- III. Approval of the Minutes from the Previous Meeting** – The minutes from the previous meeting were distributed electronically prior to this meeting. *Commissioner Post motioned to approve the minutes from the March 21, 2018 meeting. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
- IV. Special Beer Applicant(s):**
1. Angela Fox – 61 N. McLean – “Jubilee’s Mardi Gras in Memphis”  
Date(s): **April 28-29, 2018**  
Time: **1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Jubilee Catholic Schools**  
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 Greer seconded. The motion passed.*
  2. William Rehberg – 1625 Tutwiler Ave. – “V & E Greenline Artwalk”  
Date(s): **April 28, 2018**  
Time: **11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Rain Date: **April 29, 2018**  
Time: **12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Vollentine-Evergreen Community Association**  
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 Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

3. Taylor Berger – 2519 Broad Ave. ( Bounty on Broad) – **“Broad Ave Artwalk”**  
Date(s): **April 14, 2018**  
Time: **10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Rain Date: **April 15, 2018**  
Sunday(s) – **10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Historic Broad Ave Arts Association**  
Purpose of funds: **For Profit; 1 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed.*
  
4. William Tanner – 2559 Broad Ave. (The Cove) – **“Broad Ave Artwalk”**  
Date(s): **April 14, 2018**  
Time: **10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Rain Date: **April 15, 2018**  
Sunday(s) – **10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Historic Broad Ave Arts Association**  
Purpose of funds: **For Profit; 1 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
  
5. Amy Zuniga – 2617 Broad Ave. (Lujuma, LLC) – **“Broad Ave Artwalk”**  
Date(s): **April 14, 2018**  
Time: **10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Rain Date: **April 15, 2018**  
Sunday(s) – **12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Historic Broad Ave Arts Association**  
Purpose of funds: **For Profit; 1 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
  
6. Adrian Ishee – 2581 Broad Ave. (Broadway Pizza) – **“Broad Ave Artwalk”**  
Date(s): **April 14, 2018**  
Time: **10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Rain Date: **April 15, 2018**  
Sunday(s) – **12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.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 Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

7. Ronald Bobal – 2094 Madison Ave. – “**23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Overton Square Crawfish Festival**”  
Date(s): **April 14, 2018**  
Time: **12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Rain Date: **April 15, 2018**  
Sunday(s) – **12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Special Olympics Greater Memphis**  
Purpose of funds: **Charitable; 5 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.*
  
8. Milton Somerville – 3270 Elvis Presley Blvd. – “**Customer Gathering Celebration**”  
Date(s): **May 4, 2018**  
Time: **8:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Milton Somerville**  
Purpose of funds: **For Profit; 1 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
  
9. David L. Acey, Sr. – 382 Beale St. (Robert Church Park) –  
“**Africa In April Cultural Awareness Festival, Inc.**”  
Date(s): **April 20-22, 2018**  
Time: **8:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.**  
Sunday – **12:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Africa In April Cultural Awareness Festival, Inc.**  
Purpose of funds: **Charitable; 2 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
  
10. Lauren Wiener – 405 Monroe (McGown Studio) – “**The Pink Wig Music Festival**”  
Date(s): **May 12, 2018**  
Time: **12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Pink Wig Project**  
Purpose of funds: **Charitable; 2 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed.*
  
11. Cody Stooksberry – 549 S. Main St. – “**Memphis Farmers Market**”  
Date(s): **April 7, 14, 21, 28, 2018**  
Time: **10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Memphis Farmers Market**  
Purpose of funds: **For Profit; 1 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

12. Matthew Daniel – 335 S. Hollywood St. – “**Memphis Brewfest**”  
Date(s): **April 14, 2018**  
Time: **4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Defeat Duchenne, Inc.**  
Purpose of funds: **Charitable; 18 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.*
13. Sandra Robertson – 959 S. Cooper St. – “**Cinco De Mayo Celebration**”  
Date(s): **May 5, 2018**  
Time: **11:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Café Ole**  
Purpose of funds: **For Profit; 4 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
14. Robert DeHart – 1555 Madison Ave. – “**Lucero Family Picnic**”  
Date(s): **April 14, 2018**  
Time: **11:00 a.m. – 1:00 a.m.**  
Sponsoring Organization: **Minglewood Hall**  
Purpose of funds: **For Profit; 4 booth(s)**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

**V. Delinquent Location(s) in violation of A C Rule C-1:**

15. Martha Resendiz Vega – 3937 Summer Ave. – “**Picosos**”  
The owner stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Hayslett moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their permit. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

**VI. Liquor Store(s) Grandfathered:**

16. Vikram Patel & Khushbu Patel – 3024 Covington Pike, Ste. 1 - Ekansh, LLC – dba – “**Spirits Unlimited**”  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved approval for recommendation to the Mayor and the Mayor will recommend to the State. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

**VII. The following person(s) has applied to sell beer for “ON” premises consumption:**

17. John Planchon & Taylor Berger – 584 Tillman St. – 584 Tillman, LLC - dba – “**Maciel’s Bodega**”  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
18. Stephen Armer – 2491 Winchester Rd. – Anton Airfood, Inc. – dba – “**Blue Moon Beer Kiosk**”  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*

**VIII. The following person(s) has applied to sell beer for “OFF” premises consumption:**

19. Arifur Arif, Mohammad Ali & Fnu Savrina – 2984 Lamar Ave., Ste. 101 – Jill Corporations, Inc. – dba – **“Express Market”**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Jackson seconded. The motion passed.*
20. Mofazzal Hossain, MD Islam, MD Leah & Mohammed Ali – 1608 Getwell Rd. – We United Enterprise, Inc. – dba – **“Getwell Food Mart”**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Post moved to approve the application. Commissioner Flanagan seconded. The motion passed.*
21. Ubaldo Ramos – 5040 Raleigh Lagrange Rd., Ste. 9 – dba – **“El Rancherito Mexican Grocery Store”**  
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner O’Malley moved to continue this application to the April 18, 2018 meeting so that Attorney Hawkins can further look into what was found on the applicant’s background. Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed.*

**IX. New Business**

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**XI. Adjournment** - There being no further business to come before the commission, *Commissioner Post moved for adjournment at approximately 10:45 a.m. Commissioner Hayslett seconded. The motion passed.*

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Jared Johnson, Chairman

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Date

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Aubrey J. Howard, Executive Secretary

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Date