

Minutes
Salisbury Liquor License Commission
March 9, 2017 7:00PM

Members Present: Michael Gilbert, Chris Walsh, Karen Jacobs, Tyrone Rowe, Sean McCarthy

Members Absent: Charlie Flynn, Rhonda Cameron

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM by Mr. Gilbert

Minutes:

Mr. Gilbert indicated that the minutes of February 23rd are not yet completed.

New Business:

Audrea Laffely is requesting a One Day Beer and Wine License for July 1, 2017 for a BBQ at the Salisbury Beach State Reservation. She has liability insurance and has secured all requirements of the reservation. Mr. Gilbert reminded her that alcohol must be procured from a licensed wholesaler and a list is available on the ABCC website.

Mr. McCarthy made a motion to approve a One Day Beer and Wine License for July 1 2017 for Audrea Laffely and it was seconded by Mr. Walsh. VOTE: Unanimous

Mr. Gilbert informed Ms. Laffely that there is a \$100 fee and the license may be picked up at the Town Treasurer's office after Monday.

Rona-Lee Parrot, on behalf of the Salisbury Park and Recreation Dept., is requesting a One Day Beer and Wine License for a beer garden at Lion's Park for the Tortoise and Hare race on April 15th. Mr. Gilbert asked about security. Ms. Parrot indicated that it would be partitioned and staffed to ensure only those who are over 21 may enter the beer garden.

Motion by Mr. Walsh, seconded by Mr. Rowe to approve a One Day Beer and Wine License for Salisbury Park and Rec for April 15th and to waive the fee. VOTE: Unanimous

Seasonal License Renewals. Mr. Gilbert called each of the following licensees to sign their renewal forms and provide the commission with copies of liability insurance and premises inspections as necessary:

Normandy Lounge - The Upper Deck, 5 Yogi Convenience – Gulf Express, Surfside The Deck, Gracie's Bar and Grille

Motion to approve renewal of seasonal licenses as stated for 2017 by Mr. Walsh, seconded by Mr. McCarthy. VOTE: Unanimous

Applications:

Mr. Gilbert indicated that the ABCC requires a public hearing for the 5 Yogi Express application for seasonal to annual.

Alteration of premises for Sylvan Street Grille. Cody Tremblay and Jeremy Nicholas appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Tremblay explained that they wish to relocate the current patio from the rear of the building to the front and go from 30 to 54 seats. Height of the wall is 44 inches. They are adding two doors to the building for access from the restaurant and a crash door for egress in emergencies.

Mr. Rowe made a motion to accept both applications and schedule public hearings for April 13th. Seconded by Mr. McCarthy. VOTE: Unanimous

Public Hearings:

Mr. Walsh motioned to open the public hearing on the license transfer of Antonio's Pub from Frank Lanzillo to Anthony Politano, seconded by Mr. Rowe. VOTE: Unanimous.

Frank Lanzillo and Anthony Politano appeared and indicated that they wish to transfer the license for Antonio's Pub. Mr. Politano indicated that he has bought the business. Mr. Gilbert reviewed the closing policy in light of a recent incident and reminded them that there is a 3 day penalty being held in abeyance that will still apply.

Motion by Mr. Walsh to close the public hearing, seconded by Mr. McCarthy. VOTE: Unanimous.

Motion to approve the license transfer by Mr. Rowe, seconded by Mr. Walsh. VOTE: Unanimous.

Mr. Gilbert asked for a motion to open a public hearing for BR Foods Salisbury, Inc.

Motion by Mr. Rowe seconded by Mr. Walsh. Vote: Unanimous.

Attorney Tony Papoulias appeared on behalf of BR Foods Salisbury. He explained that Eugene Dean III is proposing to open a BBQ and country music restaurant on property he owns at 35 Bridge Rd.

Mr. Gilbert asked for a motion to close the hearing. Moved by Mr. Rowe seconded by Mr. Walsh VOTE: Unanimous.

Motion by Mr. McCarthy, seconded by Mr. Rowe to approve the application of BR Foods Salisbury. VOTE: unanimous.

Correspondence:

Inspector's Reports:

Mr. Gilbert indicated that at the last meeting Mr. Rowe had asked about tap id requirements. Mr. Gilbert had a conversation with the ABCC and they indicated that it is a requirement that taps identify the pour in the tap to consumers. Mr. Gilbert indicated that he had spoken to the bar manager at VASA and that VASA will number both sides of the taps and will maintain the numbers on their beer menu in order to ensure the consumer can id the pour.

Old Business:

Mr. Gilbert updated the status of outstanding licenses.

Mr. Walsh made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:32 PM and it was seconded by Mr. Rowe. VOTE: Unanimous.