

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE  
LICENSE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WORCESTER  
MAY 8, 2014

ESTHER HOWLAND CHAMBERS

**Commission Members Present:** Karon Shea, Chairperson  
Paul Mullan, Commissioner  
Anthony Salvidio, Commissioner

**Commission Members Absent:**

**Staff Present:** Deborah Steele, Planning & Regulatory Services  
Alexandra Haralambous, Law Department  
James Foley, Inspectional Services  
Amanda Wilson, Department of Inspectional Services

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:**

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the minutes of April 24, 2014.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the Summary minutes for March 20, 2014.

**New Business**

**One Day Liquor & Entertainment Requests:**

**1. Petition: Request for one day liquor licenses**

- June 13, 2014 – 7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
- May 9, 2014 – 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
- May 31, 2014 – 6:00 p.m.- Midnight
- May 31, 2014 – 6:00 p.m. – Midnight

Petitioner: Chartwells, 10 Lincoln Square & 100 Institute Road

Kristi DiCerso appeared on behalf of the petitions. She stated that the May 9<sup>th</sup> event is for an awards ceremony. The June 13<sup>th</sup> event is a summer formal for 250 people and May 31 are alumni events that will be held at Morgan and Alden Hall.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Salvidio and seconded by Commissioner Mullan, the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the one day licenses.

Exhibit A: Application for one day liquor licenses received on April 22, 2014 and dated April 22, 2014.

**2. Petition: Request for one day liquor license**

- May 16, 2014 – 9:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
- May 17, 2014 – 8:00 p.m. – Midnight

Petitioner: Kim McElroy, 950 Main Street

Kim McElroy appeared on behalf of the petitions. She stated these will be for alumni events for Clark University.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Salvidio and seconded by Commissioner Mullan, the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the one day licenses.

Exhibit A: Application for one day liquor licenses received on April 22, 2014 and dated April 22, 2014.

**3. Petition: Request for one day liquor licenses**

- June 28, 2014 – 3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
- July 19, 2014 – 3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
- August 9, 2014 – 5:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

Petitioner: Robyn Caruso, 346 Shrewsbury Street

Robyn Caruso appeared on behalf of the petitions. She stated this is second year doing the events but the August 9, 2014 date may change. Commission stated if there is a change in date to notify staff.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Salvidio and seconded by Commissioner Mullan the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the one day licenses.

Exhibit A: Application for one day liquor licenses received on April 22, 2014 and dated April 22, 2014.

**Common Victualer – Food Only:**

**4. Petition: Request for common victualer license**

Petitioner: Fitchburg Creamery, 115 Northeast Cutoff

Representatives from Fitchburg Creamery appeared on behalf of the application. They stated that they are the new food vendor at Allegro Microsystems.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Salvidio and seconded by Commissioner Mullan the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the common victualer license.

Exhibit A: Application for common victualer license received on April 29, 2014 and dated April 29, 2014.

**5. Petition: Request for common victualer license**

Petitioner: Shawarma Palace, 3 Pleasant Street

Ehklas Dalli appeared on behalf of the application. He stated that he is adding additional food to the establishment.

Upon a motion by Chair Shea and seconded by Commissioner Salvidio the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the common victualer license.

Exhibit A: Application for common victualer license received on April 22, 2014 and dated April 22, 2014.

**6. Petition: Request for common victualer license**

Petitioner: The Coconut Lounge, 438 Pleasant Street

Petition: Request for entertainment license for TV, dancing by patrons, live music

The applicant did not appear at the meeting. Ms. Steele received a call after the meeting from the applicant that he is withdrawing the applications.

Exhibit A: Application for common victualer license & entertainment license received on April 22, 2014 and dated April 22, 2014.

**Alcohol & Entertainment Permit Applications:**

**7. Petition: Request for restaurant malt & wine license**

Petitioner: New House of India, Inc. dba New House of India,  
Lakhveer Sahota, 2 Coes Square

Lakhveer Sahota appeared on behalf of the item.

Chair Shea stated that the Commission members had viewed the premises prior to the meeting and had question as to where storage of alcohol would be located. Mr. Sahota stated that it would be stored in the back room.

Commissioner Mullan asked whether patrons would be served the alcohol at tables. Mr. Sahota stated that it would be table service.

Upon a motion by Chair Shea and seconded by Commissioner Salvidio the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the restaurant malt & wine license.

Exhibit A: Application for common victualer license received on April 17, 2014 and dated April 17, 2014.

8. Petition: Request for entertainment license for: jukebox, tv, radio, dancing by patrons, dancing by entertainers, recorded music, live music, amplification system, play, floor show, theatrical exhibition, karaoke

Petitioner: The Saloon, LLC, 715 West Boylston Street

Item was postponed until the May 22, 2014 License Commission meeting.

### **Status Hearings**

#### **9. Worcester Entertainment, 90 Commercial Street**

Michael Barrasso appeared on behalf of the item. He stated he had been trying to sell the business but a deal to sell the business fell through and he now intends to operate the business again beginning in June as he has several events booked.

The Commission stated they would continue the status hearing until September.

### **Communications**

A.B.C.C. communication – Jillian’s, 315 Grove Street - No comment.

### **Other Business**

Imposing suspension dates procedure - No comment

### **Adjournment**

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to adjourn the meeting at 10:25 a.m.