# MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LICENSE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WORCESTER

#### **DECEMBER 3, 2015**

#### LEVI LINCOLN CHAMBERS

**Commission Members Present:** Karon Shea, Chairperson

Walter Shea, Commissioner

Anthony Salvidio, Commissioner

**Commission Members Absent:** None

Staff Present Alexandra Kalkounis, Law Department

Deborah Steele, Planning & Regulatory Services Lt. James Johnson, Worcester Police Department

#### **Approval of the Minutes** – November 5, 2015, November 19, 2015

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the minutes of November 5, 2015 and November 19, 2015.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

1. Petition: Request for transfer of general on premises all alcohol license

Petitioner: Union Properties, LLC, 377 Park Avenue

Attorney Dan Cotton, Wayne Russell and Jason Piskator appeared on behalf of the application.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the transfer of the general on premises all alcohol license.

Exhibit A: Application for transfer of general on premises all alcohol license received on October 27, 2015 and dated October 27, 2015.

2. Savlana, Inc. dba McGovern's Package Store, 82 Millbury Street, (second incident), Violation of Rules #6, #21, 204 CMR 2.05 – Sale to a minor #2,#3 –Clarification of Decision

Savita Prashad appeared on behalf of the application.

Ms. Steele explained that the suspended suspension imposed at the previous hearing was past the one year expiration date.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to amend the suspension to two days to be served December 28, 2015 and January 18, 2016.

Exhibit A: Police report dated June 27, 2015.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **One Day Liquor & Entertainment Requests:**

3. Petition: Request for entertainment license for recorded music, amplification system

October 15, 2016 4:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Petitioner: The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, East Park

Derek Miscoket appeared on behalf of the item.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the entertainment license.

Exhibit A: Application for entertainment license received November 16, 2015 and dated

November 16, 2015.

#### **Common Victualer**

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

Petitioner: Speedway, 321 Park Avenue

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the common victualer license.

Exhibit A: Application for common victualer license received November 13, 2015 and

dated November 10, 2015.

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

Petitioner: Speedway #2520, 312 Belmont Street

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the common victualer license.

Exhibit A: Application for common victualer license received November 13, 2015 and

dated November 10, 2015.

## **Alcohol & Entertainment Requests:**

**6.** Petition: Request for change of license type to restaurant all alcohol license

Petitioner: Warsaw, Inc., 116-120 Green Street

Louis Jachmiezyk appeared on behalf of the application.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the change of license type.

Exhibit A: Application for change of license type received November 18, 2015 and dated

November 18, 2015.

**7.** Petition: Request for transfer of package store all alcohol license

Petitioner: Worcester Randell Package Store, Inc., 108 Canterbury Street

Attorney Thomas Truex and Satish Patel appeared on behalf of the item.

Lt. Johnson stated that once the paperwork is amended the application would be approved by the Worcester Police Department

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the transfer subject to the amended paperwork being received.

Exhibit A: Application for transfer of package store all alcohol license received

November 17, 2015 and dated November 17, 2015.

**8.** Petition: Request for change of manager

Petitioner: Plaza Azteca Lincoln Plaza, LLC, 539 Lincoln Street

Rut Padilla appeared on behalf of the application.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the change of manager.

Exhibit A: Application for change of manager received November 10, 2015 and dated

November 10, 2015.

**9.** Petition: Request for restaurant all alcohol license

Petitioner: BirchTree Bread Company, LLC, 138 Green Street, Suite 5

Attorney Jonathan Fineklstein along with Barbara and Robert Fecteau appeared on behalf of the item.

Chair Shea stated that the Commissioners and Lt. Johnson had viewed the site prior to the meeting and were very excited to see this addition to the business.

Commissioner Salvidio noted that the application only requested hours that go to 10:00 p.m. and stated it advisable to go to Midnight just in case they have function that goes a little late and gives extra time to allow for clean up.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the liquor license with closing hour of Midnight.

Exhibit A: Application for restaurant all alcohol license received November 11, 2015 and

dated November 11, 2015.

10. Petition: Request for entertainment license for jukebox, tv, radio, dancing by patrons,

dancing by entertainers, recorded music, live music, amplification system, play, moving picture show, floor show, theatrical exhibition, any other audio

or visual show whether live or recorded specifically

Petitioner: BirchTree Bread Company, LLC, 138 Green Street, Suite 5

Attorney Jonathan Fineklstein along with Barbara and Robert Fecteau appeared on behalf of the item.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the entertainment license with closing hour of Midnight.

Exhibit A: Application for entertainment license received November 14, 2015 and dated

November 14, 2015.

**11.** Petition: Request for new officer/director

Petitioner: Ruby Tuesday, Inc. dba Ruby Tuesday, 537 Lincoln Street

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the new officer/director.

Exhibit A: Application for change of officer/director received October 28, 2015 and dated

28, 2015.

**12.** Petition: Request for General on Premises All Alcohol license

Petitioner: Stars, Inc., 541 West Boylston Street

Attorney Paul DeMoga appeared on behalf of the item. He stated that the previous owner of the license has passed away and the old owner of the business is going to reopen the establishment.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the general on premises all alcohol license.

Exhibit A: Application for General on Premises All Alcohol license received November

6, 2015 and dated November 6, 2015.

13. Petition: Request for change of officers/directors/transfer of stock/change of manager

Petitioner: Colwen Management Inc dba Courtyard by Marriott, 72 Grove Street

Leslie St. Germain appeared on behalf of the application.

Upon a motion the Commission voted 3-0 to approve the change of officer/directors/transfer of stock and change of manager.

Exhibit A: Application for change of officers/directors/transfer of stock/change of manager received November 8, 2015 and dated November 8, 2015.

## **Communications**

ABCC Advisory-5 Store off premises limit increase effected January 1, 2016-Filed

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Upon a motion the Commission adjourned the meeting at 10:35 a.m.