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SAFETY SERVICES & LICENSES COMMITTEE

Regular meeting of the Safety Services and Licenses Committee was held on Monday, August 3, 2015 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Cranston, Rhode Island.

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 7:16 P.M. by the Vice-Chair.

Present:
Councilman Michael J Farina, Vice-Chair
Councilman Mario Aceto
Council Majority Leader Paul H. Archetto
Councilman Christopher G. Paplauskas
Council Minority Leader Michael W. Favicchio
Council President John E. Lanni, Jr

Absent:
Council Vice-President Richard D. Santamaria, Jr., Chair

Also Present:
Councilman Donald Botts, Jr.
Jeffrey Barone, Director of Constituent Affairs
Captain Sean Carmody, Police Department (left meeting at 7:38 P.M.)
Deputy Chief, Stephen MacIntosh, Fire Department
Evan Kirshenbaum, Assistant City Solicitor
Maria Medeiros Wall, City Clerk
Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees
Heather Finger, Stenographer

II. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:

On motion by Councilman Aceto, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and they stand approved as recorded. Motion passed unanimously.

III. CORRESPONDENCE/REPORTS:

IV. OLD BUSINESS:

MANHATTAN GOLD BUYERS 166 Atwood Ave.
Pawnbroker-Continued for Police Report

Captain Carmody reported on the incident with this business.

City Clerk stated that the renewal application was before the Committee, but not approved pending Police report.

Chair asked that this business be issued a Show Cause for next month's meeting.

USED CAR LICENSE – NEW
Funes towing 36 Dewey Street
(Cont. from 7/6 for site plan approval applicant failed to appear on 7/6)

Kevin Almeida appeared to speak.

Chair questioned if applicant had a site plan. Mr. Almeida stated that it is being worked on.

On motion by Councilman Aceto, seconded by Councilman Paplauskas, it was voted to continue this item. Motion passed unanimously.

BODY WORKS LICENSE – MASSAGE THERAPY - NEW
Sun Massage – hours 10 AM – 9 PM 96 Rolfe Square
(Cont. 7/6/2015 applicant failed to appear)

Chair indicated that the only person who would be allowed to do massage work on the premises is the owner.

Li Sun, applicant, appeared to speak and **Yong Gaudrk**, interpreter, appeared to interpret for the applicant.

Captain Carmody stated that the Police Department made an arrest on July 16, 2015 with operating without a license. The applicant before this Committee was licensed, but not on the premises at the time. The Police Department is opposed to the granting of this license and there is continued advertisement of this business on backpage.com.

Councilman Botts urged the Committee to deny this license application since they were operating without a license and also because they are advertising on backpage.com.

On motion by Council Majority Leader Archetto, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to deny this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

HOLIDAY SALES LICESE – NEW (Ratification)
Style 21 292 Garfield Ave.
(Applicant appeared at the 7/6/2015 meeting)

On motion by Council Majority Leader Archetto, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to approve this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

V. PUBLIC HEARINGS (Including Ordinances)

SECONDHAND LICENSE – NEW
Fine Malt Vintage 1986 Broad St.

Michael Cuddy appeared to speak and stated that he will be selling vintage clothing. He also stated hours of operation to be Noon to 7:00 PM Monday thru Saturday.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Aceto, it was voted to approve this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

EXPANSION OF PREMISE LICENSE – NEW
Blue Moon Pub 42 Phenix Ave.

Steve Pratt appeared to speak.

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Aceto, it was voted to approve this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

Lang's Bowlarama 225 Niantic Ave.

Vice-Chair stated that applicant has requested a continuance.

On motion by Councilman Aceto, seconded by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, it was voted to continue this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

VI. NEW LICENSE APPLICATIONS:

VICTUALLING LICENSE – NEW
The Lunchbox Café Park Ave.

Maria Eugenia appeared to speak and stated hours of operation to be 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM Monday thru Friday and 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM Sunday.

On motion by Councilman Aceto, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

Panera Bread – new location 4000 Chapel View

Robert Bennett appeared to speak and stated hours of operation to be 6:00 AM to 9:30 PM. No one appeared to oppose.

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Aceto, it was voted to approve this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

VII. TRAFFIC ENGINEER:

VIII. SHOW CAUSE: (cont'd from 7/6/2015)

In Town Auto (Used Car and Auto Repair) 11 East Josephine St.

No one appeared to speak.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to continue this item. Motion passed unanimously.

IX. POLICE DEPARTMENT:

No business.

X. FIRE DEPARTMENT:

No business.

XI. LICENSE RENEWALS:

BOWLING ALLEY LICENSE – RENEWALS
Lang's Bowlarama 225 Niantic Ave.
Cranston Bowl 1450 Elmwood Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve the above-listed license renewal applications. Motion passed unanimously.

GAME ROOM LICENSE – RENEWAL
Lang's Bowlarama 225 Niantic Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

ALL NIGHT LICENSE – RENEWAL
Lang's Bowlarama 225 Niantic Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

AMUSEMENT MACHINE LICENSE – RENEWAL

Miller's Crossings	43 Bald Hill Rd.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

AUTO REPAIR LICENSE – RENEWALS

R & S Auto	950 Wellington Ave.
Ideal Auto Body	1398 Park Ave.
Miranda's Auto Repair	75 Russe St.
Autosport Sales & Collision	640 Atwood Ave.
BMC Petroleum	905 Cranston St.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve the above-listed license renewal applications. Motion passed unanimously.

USED CAR LICENSE – RENEWAL

Autosport Sales & Collision	640 Atwood Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

PARADE LICENSE – RENEWAL

Texas Roadhouse	99 Garfield Ave.

VICTUALLING LICENSE – RENEWAL

Bader Market	120 East St.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

HOLIDAY SALES LICENSE – RENEWAL

Lev Enterprises, Inc.	1075 Park Ave.
BMC Petroleum	905 Cranston St.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve the above-listed license renewal applications. Motion passed unanimously.

SECONDHAND LICENSE – RENEWAL

Abra Kadabra Used Furniture	743 Dyer Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE LICENSE – RENEWAL
Ken Bell #497 114 Rome Dr.

On motion by Councilman Aceto, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application subject to Police approval. Motion passed unanimously.

Chair asked that this item be placed on next month's agenda for ratification.

ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE – RENEWAL
Annunciation Greek Church 175 Oaklawn Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

CLASS F – LIQUOR LICENSE – RENEWAL
Annunciation Greek Church 175 Oaklawn Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

BAZAAR LICENSE – RENEWAL
Annunciation Greek Church 175 Oaklawn Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

TEMPORARY STRUCTURE LICENSE – RENEWAL
Annunciation Greek Church 175 Oaklawn Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

VICTUALLING LICENSE – RENEWAL
Annunciation Greek Church 175 Oaklawn Ave.

On motion by Council Minority Leader Favicchio, seconded by Councilman Farina, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

XII. MONTHLY SCHEDULES:

GUAYACAN LOUNGE – LIST OF EVENTS FOR JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST 2015
(Submitted in May)

848 PARK THEATRE – list of few events scheduled for May - November 2015 –
(Submitted in July)

LEGENDS PUB & GRUB – LIST OF EVENTS FOR MAY –AUGUST 2015
(Submitted In July)

RHODES ON THE PAWTUXET – LIST FOR JUNE – SEPTEMBER 2015
Actual Number of Attendees for Actual Number of Attendees submitted last in January
(Submitted in July)

XIII. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Senator Robert Jacquard appeared to speak and stated that he has received phone calls from constituents regarding the large signs around the baseball field at the Stadium. The constituent indicated to him that it is becoming an eyesore. Since the turf was installed, the football field is covered, the track is gone, the practice field is now a parking lot and the walkway from one side to another is locked up. This is no longer an asset to the neighborhood. Senator Jacquard presented copies of pictures.

Councilman Aceto asked that Senator Jacquard meet with the Administration and try to work something out on these concerns.

The meeting adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Rosalba Zanni

Rosalba Zanni
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees