

SPECIAL SAFETY SERVICES & LICENSES COMMITTEE MEETING

A Special meeting of the Safety Services and Licenses Committee was held on Monday, April 28, 2008 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Cranston, Rhode Island.

The meeting was called to order at 6:40 P.M. by the Chair.

Present: Councilman John E. Lanni, Jr., Chair
Council Member Maria A. Bucci, Vice-Chair
Councilman Jeffrey P. Barone
Councilman Richard D. Santamaria, Jr.
Council President Aram G. Garabedian

Absent: Councilman Terence Livingston
Councilman Emilio L. Navarro

Also Present: Captain John Schaffran, Police Department
Frank Migliorelli, Deputy Director of Administration
Vito Sciolto, City Solicitor
Maria Medeiros Wall, City Clerk
Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees
Ron Ronzio, Stenographer

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

CLASS A LIQUOR LICENSE

Cameron's Pawtuxet Pharmacy

2206 Broad Street

Review: Submission of plans and timetable (cont'd from 4/7/08)

Robert Murray, Esq., appeared to represent the applicant and stated that since the last meeting, applicant has done the following:

- Dividers have been placed and a temporary door has been installed to enter the liquor portion of the store.
- Architectural plans have been expedited and Attorney Murray presented copies of those plans.

Attorney Murray stated that, ultimately, the store will be divided into three units, one unit for the Western Union and Post Office services, one for the store and liquor and the third unit, his client is hoping to rent or lease as a restaurant. He is hopeful that all the improvements will be done by sometime in July. He suggested that the Committee set a future date for his client to appear before this Committee for update, rather than appearing every month.

Chair asked Attorney Murray that his client complies not only with the City Code, but also with the State Code, because the State will be keeping an eye on this establishment.

On motion by Councilman Barone, seconded by Councilman Santamaria, it was voted to ratify the current temporary plans. Motion passed unanimously.

On motion by Councilman Santamaria, seconded by Councilman Barone, it was voted that the applicant appear before this Committee once the permanent structure is up and approved. Motion passed unanimously.

NEW LICENSE APPLICATIONS

CLASS BY ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LIC. – EXP. OF PREMISES- RENEWAL

Ball's Sports Bar & Grill

1150 Oaklawn Ave.

Henry Ottaviano

Henry Ottaviano appeared to speak and stated that this is for one event to benefit the Station Fire. No one appeared to oppose.

On motion by Council Member Bucci, seconded by Councilman Santamaria, it was voted to approve this license renewal. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 6:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Rosalba Zanni
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees