

SAFETY SERVICES & LICENSES COMMITTEE

Regular meeting of the Safety Services and Licenses Committee was held on Monday, January 4, 2010 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Cranston, Rhode Island.

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by the Chair.

Present: Councilman Richard D. Santamaria, Jr., Chair
Council Vice-President Terence Livingston
Councilman Paul H. Archetto
Councilman Robert J. Pelletier
Councilman Emilio L. Navarro
Councilwoman Michelle Bergin-Andrews (appeared at 7:10 p.m.)
Council President John E. Lanni, Jr.

Also Present: Gerald Cordy, Deputy Director of Administration
Michael Glucksman, Assistant City Solicitor
Major John Schaffran, Police Department
Chief James Gumbley, Fire Department
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 Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Archetto, 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:

None.

IV. OLD BUSINESS:

ORDINANCES:

FIREARMS DEALER LICENSE – (cont'd from 12/7/09)

On Target Firearms

Michael Marcello

1 Gray Birch Drive

Councilman Pelletier stated that he has not heard from Mr. Marcello regarding the status of his FFL license.

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

V. PUBLIC HEARING:

PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT CLASS I – NEW (cont'd from 12/14/09)

The Grind Inc d/b/a Touch (Ratification)

961 Dyer Avenue

Domenic Lubrano

Timothy Dodd, Esq., appeared to represent the applicant.

Domenic Lubrano appeared to speak. No one appeared to oppose.

On motion by Councilman Archetto, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve the above license application. Motion passed unanimously.

SECONDHAND LICENSE – NEW

Busy Bee's Boutique & Childrens Consignment

41 Rolfe Square

Lori Papi

Melissa Carone appeared to speak. No one appeared to oppose.

On motion by Councilman Navarro, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve the above license application. Motion passed unanimously.

VI. ORDINANCES:

12-09-1 Ordinance in amendment of Title 10, Chapter 12 of the Code of the City of Cranston, 2005, entitled "Motor Vehicles and Traffic" (Wilbur & Natick Ave.)

No one appeared to speak in favor or to oppose.

On motion by Councilman Pelletier, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to recommend approval of the above Ordinance. Motion passed unanimously.

VII. NEW LICENSE APPLICATIONS:

VICTUALLING LICENSE – NEW

Subway

962 Cranston Street

Jacqueline Mallett- new owner

Jacqueline Mallett appeared to speak. No one appeared to oppose.

On motion by Council Vice-President Livingston, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

Jillians Oldworld Pizza

1674 Cranston St.

Eric Cabral

Eric Cabral appeared to speak. No one appeared to oppose.

On motion by Council Vice-President Livingston, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve this license application. Motion passed unanimously.

VIII. TRAFFIC ENGINEER:

None.

IV. SHOW CAUSE HEARING:

El Tipico Restaurant & Lounge (Cont. from 12/14/2009) 16 Gansett Avenue
Jose Ruiz

Mark Gershkoff, Esq., appeared to represent the applicant and asked for a continuance due to his client not being able to attend this meeting.

Chair asked that until the next meeting, this establishment will have Police detail only for events and updated list of events will be provided to the City Clerk tomorrow morning.

On motion by Councilman Archetto, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to continue this item to next month's meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

X. POLICE DEPARTMENT:

None.

XI. FIRE DEPARTMENT:

None.

XII. LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS:

LEASING OF MOTOR VEHICLES – RENEWAL (Ratify the Action)
East Side Collision Center 2050 Plainfield Pike

On motion by Councilman Pelletier, seconded by Councilman Archetto, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

AUTO REPAIR LICENSE – RENEWAL (Ratify the Action)
East Side Collision Center 2050 Plainfield Pike

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

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XII. LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS: (Cont.)

PRIVATE DETECTIVE LICENSE – RENEWAL

Joseph Matarese- #464

David Emond - # 469

90 Mollie Drive
440 Park Avenue

On motion by Councilman Pelletier, seconded by Councilman Archetto, it was voted to approve the above-listed license renewal applications. Motion passed unanimously.

HOLIDAY SALES LICENSE – RENEWAL

Stop & Shop Supermarkets

204 Garfield Avenue

On motion by Council Vice-President Livingston, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

VICTUALLING LICENSE – RENEWAL

Dairy Twirl

Boston Sub

Galaxie Restaurant

Corner Café

Borders Inc

Dad's Diner

787 Reservoir Avenue
192 Gansett Avenue
957 Reservoir Avenue
432 Atwood Avenue
190 Hillside Road
871 Atwood Ave.

On motion by Council Vice-President Livingston, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

AUTO REPAIR LICENSE – RENEWAL

First Choice Auto Sales

1586 Broad Street

On motion by Councilman Pelletier, seconded by Council Vice-President Livingston, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

FLOWER VENDOR LICENSE – RENEWAL

Anthony Lombardi – for Easter 2010

@280 Warwick Ave.

On motion by Councilman Pelletier, seconded by Council Vice-President Livingston, it was voted to approve this license renewal application. Motion passed unanimously.

USED CAR LICENSE – RENEWAL

Ted's Wholesale Specialist d/b/a Calder Street Auto

Cranston Collision

121 Calder Street
19 Elena Street

On motion by Councilman Pelletier, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to approve the above-listed license renewal applications. Motion passed unanimously.

XIV. MONTHLY SCHEDULES

RHODES ON THE PAWTUXET:

Schedule of Events for February 2010

Actual Number of Attendees November 2009

On motion by Council Vice-President Livingston, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve the above lists of events. Motion passed unanimously.

SHARX BAR & GRILLE /d/b/a GRILL 505

On motion by Council Vice-President Livingston, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve the above list of events. Motion passed unanimously.

EL TIPICO REST. & LOUNGE

No list provided.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Rosalba Zanni
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees

**See Stenographer's Transcript*

LICENSES APPROVED JANUARY, 2010

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