

**City of Somerville
Licensing Commission**

**Senior Center
Alderman's Chambers
2nd Floor
93 Highland Ave.**

Minutes of the Regular Meeting

**Regular Meeting
Monday
April 18, 2017
6:00 p.m.**

Continued from April 10, 2017 (due to PASSOVER Holiday)

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***The meeting was called to order at 6:08pm. Present were Commissioner Upton, McKenna, Inspector Chaille, Lt. Maclaughlin and Secretary to the Commission Lori Batzek. This meeting was continued from April 10, 2017, due to the Passover Holiday. This meeting will be held in The Alderman's Chambers, 2nd Floor at 93 Highland Ave. (City Hall). Any questions should be directed to the City Clerk.
The meeting adjourned at 7:26pm***

1. Minutes of March 13, 2017 Meeting

The commission took notice and accepted these minutes

Communications

2. Notice of closing from Stephen Bandar of East End Grille Restaurant at 118 Broadway

The commission took administrative notice of this closing

Common Victualler

3. Bengali House Corporation d/b/a Royal Bengal, 364 Medford St. requesting approval of a Common Victualler License.

Appeared at the last meeting with a Change of Corporation Name (this was approved). Does not have a CV license yet.

The commission approved this license

4. The Mortadella Project, LLC d/b/a Mortadella Head, 20 College Ave. requesting approval of a Common Victualler License.

This application was continued until May 15, 2017 per applicants request - 4/18/17

5. Elm Street Donuts, LLC d/b/a Dunkin Donuts 242 Elm St. requesting approval of a Common Victualler License.

No one appeared pertaining to this application. This application was continued until May 15, 2017

Special Alcohol License

6. Somerville Home Inc., 117 Summer St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and selling alcoholic beverages for A Taste of Somerville to be held Outdoors, at Powder House Park, on Wednesday, June 14, 2017 from 5:00pm to 8:00pm (with rain dates of 6/21/17 & 6/28/17)

This Special Alcohol License was approved

7. Whitmore Family Enterprises, LLC d/b/a Taza Chocolate, 561 Windsor St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and selling alcoholic beverages for a Cinco De Mayo Block Party, to be held at 561 Windsor St., Indoors and Outdoors, on Saturday, May 6, 2017 from 12:00pm – 5:00pm with a Rain Date of Sunday, May 7, 2017 from 12:00pm – 5:00pm

This Special Alcohol License was approved

8. St. Anthony's Parish, 12 Properzi Way requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and selling alcoholic beverages for a Mother's Day Dinner, to be held at St. Anthony's Church, Indoors, on Saturday, May 13, 2017 from 8:00pm – 12:00am

9. Hellenic Assoc. of Somerville d/b/a Dormition of Virgin Mary Greek Orthodox Church, 29 Central St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and selling alcoholic beverages for a Holy Ghost Society/Som Sports Club Fundraiser, to be held at 29 Central St., Indoors, on Saturday, April 29, 2017 from 6:00pm – 12:00am

This Special Alcohol License was approved

10. Somerville Open Studios, 1 Westwood Rd., requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and selling alcoholic beverages for Somerville Open Studios First Look Show, to be held at the Somerville Museum, Indoors, on Sunday, April 23, 2017 from 4:00pm - 6:30pm

This Special Alcohol License was approved

11. M.O.M.'s Run 5K Run & Walk for Cancer, Kirsten Chervinsky at 17 Thorndike St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and selling alcoholic beverages for Claudia Adams Barr Program at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute for Cancer Research, to be held at 371 Summer St., Outdoors, on Sunday May 14, 2017 from 10:00am – 1:00pm

This Special Alcohol License was approved

Existing All Forms 7 Day Alcohol Restaurant License
City Non Transferable
All Forms Alcohol and Common Victualler
Change in Hours – Sunday opening at 10:00AM

12. High on the Hog Inc. d/b/a Highland Kitchen, at 150 Highland Ave. requesting a change in Hours on CV and All Forms Alcohol Restaurant License to:

Opening Sunday Hours from 12:00pm to 10:00am

This Change in Hours was approved

ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE
Entertainment By Devices

13. Somerville Café Inc., 376 Mystic Ave. requesting approval for an Entertainment License by Devices

No one appeared pertaining to this application. This application was continued until May 15, 2017

ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE
By Performers & Devices

14. Flatbread Somerville Inc. d/b/a Flatbread Company, 45 Day St. requesting approval for an Entertainment License by Performers & Devices

This entertainment license was approved

NEW WINE & MALT 7 DAY RESTAURANT LICENSE – City License
NEW City Non Transferrable Wine & Malt 7 Day Restaurant License
Special Legislation Chapter 142 Acts of 2016

15. Prabhjot Kaur d/b/a Dosa N Curry, 447 Somerville Ave. requesting approval of a New Wine & Malt Restaurant License (under Special Legislation Chapter 142, Act of 2016). Has a CV#498.

This license was approved at the January 9, 2017 meeting. Did not receive the abutters notices from the applicant. The abutters were not notified. The Secretary to the Commission recommended sending the abutters notices and appearing at the April 2017 meeting to hear any comments from the public on this license.

Abutters notices were received. This license was approved for submission to the ABCC.

**NEW WINE & MALT & Cordials and Liqueurs 7 DAY RESTAURANT LICENSE
COMMON VICTUALLER, ENTERTAINMENT BY DEVICES, OUTDOOR
SEATING AND OPEN SUNDAY AT 10:00AM**

City Non Transferable License

Special Legislation Chapter 142 Acts of 2016

ASSEMBLY ROW AREA

16. Sabroso Assembly, Inc. d/b/a Sabroso Taqueria 475 Revolution Dr., requesting approval of a New Wine & Malt Restaurant License and Cordials and Liqueurs License (under Special Legislation Chapter 142, Act of 2016), a Common Victullar License, Entertainment by Devices License, Outdoor Seating and Opening Sundays at 10:00am

All of these licenses were approved

**ALL FORMS ALCOHOL 7 DAY RESTAURANT LICENSE
COMMON VICTUALLER, ENTERTAINMENT BY DEVICES, OUTDOOR
SEATING AND OPEN SUNDAY AT 10:00AM**

City Non Transferable License

Special Legislation Chapter 142 Acts of 2016

ASSEMBLY ROW AREA

17. Zo Assembly, Inc. d/b/a Zo Greek, at 355 Revolution Dr. requesting approval of an All Forms Alcohol License (under Special Legislation Chapter 142, Act of 2016), a Common Victullar License, Entertainment by Devices License, Outdoor Seating and Opening Sundays at 10:00am

All of these licenses were approved

ALL FORMS PACKAGE STORE LICENSE – PRIVATE LICENSE
Transfer of License, Same Location, New Owner & New D/B/A
Privately Owned License

18. DBRC Ventures, LLC d/b/a Proof 8-12 Main St. requesting approval of a Transfer of an All Forms Package Store License from T & T Ocean d/b/a T & T Ocean Liquors, 8-12 Main St. to DBRC Ventures, LLC d/b/a Proof. License #A9.

This license was approved

ALL FORMS PACKAGE STORE LICENSE – PRIVATE LICENSE
Transfer of License, Change of Location & Change of D/B/A
Privately Owned License
Continued from January 9, 2017, February 13, 2017 & March 13, 2017 Meetings

19. Kajal and Kevin II LLC d/b/a Liquor Junction, 14 McGrath Hwy. requesting approval of a Transfer of an All Forms Package Store License from Sasha Gabriella Wood Enterprises Corp. d/b/a Woody's Liquors, a Change of Location from 594-596 Somerville Ave. to 14 McGrath Hwy. and a Change of D/B/A from Woody's Liquors to Liquor Junction. License #A16.

This license was approved

LATE ITEMS

Special Alcohol License

20. Rincon Mexicano Inc. d/b/a Rincon Mexicano, 99 Broadway requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and selling alcoholic beverages for Cinco De Mayo, to be held at 99 Broadway, Indoors, on Friday, May 5, 2017 from 1:00pm – 9:00pm

This Special Alcohol license was approved