



**City of Somerville
Licensing Commission**

Regular Meeting

**Monday
June 5, 2023
6:00pm**

City Council Chamber and Remote Participation

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COMMUNICATIONS

1. Minutes of the Regular Licensing Commission Meeting of 5/15/23
2. Licensing Commission requesting a status report on the use of All-Forms Alcohol License:

License #	Business Name	Address	License Type	Category
AL17-000027	Nucleo Sportinguista Inc.	282 McGrath Hwy	All Forms	Private- Club

Continued from the 10/17/22, 1/23/23, 4/10/23 and 5/15/23 Licensing Commission Meeting



License #	Business Name	Address	License Type	Category
AL17-000075	The 99 Restaurant & Pub	20 Cummings St.	All Forms	Private

Continued from the 1/23/23 and 5/15/23 Licensing Commission Meeting

- Licensing Commission requesting a status report on the use of Wine and Malt Package Store License:

License #	Business Name	Address	License Type	Category
AL20-000017	Top Shelf at Assembly	365 Canal St.	W&M Package	Private

Continued from the 11/21/22 and 5/15/23 Licensing Commission Meeting

- Communication from Chair Lynch to amend Section 5.04 of the Somerville Licensing Commission Rules and Regulations - Additional Rules for Marijuana Establishments, to read: a. Marijuana retailers may operate no earlier than 9 AM and no later than 11 PM Monday through Saturday, and no earlier than 10 AM and no later than 11 PM on Sunday.

SPECIAL ALCOHOL LICENSES

- The Portuguese-American Civic League, 26 Springfield St., requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the American Holy Ghost Fest to be held Indoors and Outdoors at 26 Springfield St. and in the Parking Lot on Friday, July 7, 2023, Saturday, July 8, 2023, and Sunday, July 9, 2023 from 7:00pm-12:00am (Alcohol Service) (PEL23-000083)
- Revival Davis LLC, 197 Elm St., requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for a Sarma Picnic Party by Liz Barwick to be held Indoors in the Café and Outdoors on the private patio at 197 Elm St on Sunday, July 9, 2023, from 5:00pm–8:00pm (Alcohol Service) (PEL23-000086)



7. The Center for Arts at the Armory, 191 Highland Ave., requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for Bar Stars to be held Outdoors on the Roof of Block 3 Garage at Assembly Row on Thursday, July 13, 2023, from 6:00pm–9:00pm (Alcohol Service) with a Rain Date of 7/20/23
(PEL23-000088)
8. Downeast Cider House LLC, 256 Marginal St. Boston, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for Downeast @ Volo to be held Outdoors in the open lot adjacent to Folly St. and Assembly Row from June 6, 2023, to July 5, 2023, from 12:00pm–10:00pm (Alcohol Service)
(PEL23-000091)
9. Cuisine en Locale d/b/a ONCE, 12 Beech St. Cambridge, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for Boynton Yards Block Parties Presented by ONCE at Boynton Yards to be held Outdoors in the parking lot at 0 Windsor Place in Boynton Yards on Saturday, July 29, 2023, and Saturday, August 19, 2023, from 12:00pm–11:00pm (Alcohol Service) with Rain Dates of 7/30/23 and 8/20/23
(PEL23-000092)

Existing Common Victualler License
Public Sidewalk Seating

10. La Cosecha Corp. d/b/a La Cosecha, 85 Broadway, requesting approval of a Public Sidewalk Seating License
Outdoor Public Sidewalk Seats: 8
(ALM23-000049)

This is the Notice of a Public Hearing for this Item. The Public is welcome to attend and be heard.



Existing All Forms Alcohol License
Public Parklet Seating

11. Flatbread Somerville Inc. d/b/a Flatbread Company, 45 Day St., requesting approval of a Public Parklet Seating License
Outdoor Public Parklet Seats: 45
(ALM23-000030)
This is the Notice of a Public Hearing for this Item. The Public is welcome to attend and be heard.

12. Barra Bars LLC d/b/a Barra, 23A Bow St., requesting approval of a Public Parklet Seating License
Outdoor Public Parklet Seats: 26
(ALM23-000050)
This is the Notice of a Public Hearing for this Item. The Public is welcome to attend and be heard.

13. Area Celeste d/b/a Celeste, 21 Bow St., requesting approval of a Public Parklet Seating License
Outdoor Public Parklet Seats: 21
(ALM23-000053)
This is the Notice of a Public Hearing for this Item. The Public is welcome to attend and be heard.

Existing All Forms Alcohol License
Private Patio Seating

14. New England Neapolitan Assembly Row LLC d/b/a Salt and Stone, 463 Assembly Row, requesting approval of a Private Patio Seating License
Outdoor Public Parklet Seats: 64
(ALM23-000033)
This is the Notice of a Public Hearing for this Item. The Public is welcome to attend and be heard.



Existing All Forms Alcohol License
Public Parklet and Public Sidewalk Seating
and a Change of Hours

15. Thai J&J d/b/a Siam Ginger, 22 Bow St., requesting approval of a Public Parklet Seating License and Public Sidewalk Seating License and a change of hours.

Outdoor Public Parklet Seats: 12

Outdoor Public Sidewalk Seats: 4

Change of Hours:

Current Hours	Proposed Hours
Mon-Thu: 11:30am-3:00pm & 4:30pm-9:30pm	Mon-Thu: 11:30am-9:30pm
Fri: 11:30am-3:00pm & 4:30pm-10:00pm	Fri: 11:30am-12:00am
Sat: 12:00pm-10:00pm	Sat: 11:30am-12:00am
Sun: 4:30pm-9:00pm	Sun: 3:00pm-9:00pm

(ALM23-000016)

This is the Notice of a Public Hearing for this Item. The Public is welcome to attend and be heard.

Existing All Forms Alcohol License
Public Parklet and Public Sidewalk Seating

16. Restaurante Turistico Machu Picchu d/b/a Machu Picchu, 311 Somerville Ave., requesting approval of a Public Parklet Seating License and Public Sidewalk Seating License

Outdoor Public Parklet Seats: 40

Outdoor Public Sidewalk Seats: 16

(ALM23-000020)

This is the Notice of a Public Hearing for this Item. The Public is welcome to attend and be heard.



17. Bow Street Charm Corp. d/b/a Fuki Japanese Cuisine, 16 Bow St., requesting approval of a Public Parklet Seating License and Public Sidewalk Seating License

Outdoor Public Parklet Seats: 16

Outdoor Public Sidewalk Seats: 2

(ALM23-000071)

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New
Common Victualler License

18. Maprang Inc. d/b/a Maprang Bakery & Café, 51 Union Sq., requesting approval of a Common Victualler License

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Indoor Seats: 8

Hours of Operation for Food Service: Sun-Sat: 7:00am -10:00pm

(AL23-000016)

Existing
All Forms Alcohol License
Change of Officers

19. 99 Restaurant of Boston LLC d/b/a 99 Restaurant, 20 Cummings St., requesting approval of a Change of Officers:

Current Officers	Proposed Officers
Wendy Harkness, LLC Manager and Secretary	Clinton Lautenschlegar, LLC Manager
Charles Noyes, LLC Manager and President	Marjorie Nemzura, LLC Manager
Kurt Schnaubelt, LLC Manager and CFO	Phillip Purcell, LLC Manager
	Mark Spugin, LLC Manager
	Kara Jacobs, LLC Manager

(ALM23-000047)



Transfer

Wine and Malt Package Store License - Private

20. Vatika Corporation d/b/a 350 Food Mart, 350 Broadway, requesting approval of the Transfer of Wine and Malt Package Store License from Himgirl Enterprise d/b/a K-2 Beer and Wine, 500 Medford St., to Vatika Corporation d/b/a 350 Food Mart, 350 Broadway
Hours of Operation: Sun-Sat: 11:00am-11:00pm
(AL23-000012)

New Wine and Malt 7 Day Restaurant License

City Quota License

21. X & W Papa Inc. d/b/a Papa Sushi, 499 Broadway, requesting approval of a Wine and Malt 7 Day Restaurant City Quota License
Hours of Operation for Food and Alcohol Service Indoors:
Mon-Sat: 11:30am-11:00pm & Sun: 12:00pm-10:00pm
Indoor Seats: 44 – same as current CV
Currently has a Common Victualler License (AL21-000030)
Current Indoor Hours for Food Service: Mon-Thu: 11:00am-10:30pm, Fri-Sat: 11:00am-11:00pm & Sun: 11:00am-10:00pm
(AL22-000031)
Continued from the 1/23/23, 2/27/23, 3/20/23, 4/10/23 and 5/15/23 Licensing Commission Meetings.
Public Hearing was held on 5/15/23.



New All Forms 7 Day Restaurant License
City Wide
Chapter 142, Acts of 2016
A Common Victualler License,
and an Entertainment by Devices Indoors License

22. Pinky Swear Inc. d/b/a Junebug, 251 Washington St., requesting approval of an All Forms 7 Day Restaurant License, City Wide, Chapter 142, Acts of 2016, a Common Victualler License, and an Entertainment by Devices Indoors License
Hours of Operation for Food and Alcohol Service: Sun-Sat: 12:00pm -12:00am
(AL23-000018)

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Retail Marijuana
Change of Hours

23. The Harvest Club, LLC d/b/a The Goods, 255 Elm St., requesting approval of a Change of Hours
Current Hours of Operation: Mon-Sat: 10am-9pm and Sun: 11am-5pm
Proposed Hours of Operation: Sun-Sat: 10am-11pm

(MEA23-000003)

Continued from the 5/15/23 Licensing Commission Meeting.