



**City of Somerville
Licensing Commission**

Regular Meeting Agenda

**Tuesday
April 21, 2026
6:00 p.m.**

City Council Chamber and Remote Participation

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Communications

1. Minutes of the Licensing Commission Regular Meeting of 3/17/26.
2. Licensing Commission requesting a status report from Somerville City Club Inc., d/b/a Somerville City Club, 20 Inner Belt Road, AL17-000025, regarding the use of their All Forms Alcohol Service License.
Continued from October 21, 2025, and February 17, 2026, Licensing Commission meetings.
3. Communication from Commissioner Lynch, in his capacity as Chair, regarding the option for licensees to extend their operating hours during the upcoming World Cup event, from June 11, 2026 through July 19, 2026.



Special Farmer Winery Licenses

4. Blisspoint Meadery, 1 Fox Run Road, Bedford, requesting approval of a Special Farmer Winery License for Union Square Farmer's Market to be held outdoors at 66-70 Union Square, on Saturdays beginning 5/9/2026 and ending 10/31/2026 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (Alcohol Service)
(SFW26-000001)
5. Far From the Tree LLC, 102 Jackson Street, Salem, requesting approval of a Special Farmer Winery License for Union Square Farmer's Market to be held outdoors at 66-70 Union Square, on Saturdays beginning 5/9/2026 and ending 10/31/2026 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (Alcohol Service)
(SFW26-000002)

Special Alcohol Licenses

6. Dormition of the Virgin Mary, 29 Central Street, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License (All Forms) for GyroFest to be held indoors and outdoors at 29 Central Street, on 5/8/2026 from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and 5/9/2026 from 12:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
(Alcohol Service)
(SAL26-000009)
7. St. Anthony Parish, 12 Properzi Way, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License (All Forms) for Baile das Maes (Mother's Day Dance), to be held indoors at 12 Properzi Way, on 5/9/2026 from 8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. (Alcohol Service)
(SAL26-000006)
8. Bronwyn Restaurant, 255 Washington Street, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License (Wine and Malt) for Weihenstephan Tiny Biergarten, to be held at the Union Square municipal parking lot, on 5/14/2026, 5/15/2026, 9/18/2026 from 5:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.; 9/19/2026 from 12:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.; and 9/20/2026 from 12:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. (Alcohol Service)
(SAL26-000007)
9. Somerville Chamber of Commerce, 561 Windsor Street, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License (All Forms) for Taste of Somerville, to be held outdoors at Boynton Yards, on 6/10/2026, with a rain date of 6/11/2026, from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Alcohol Service)
(SAL26-000012)



10. St. Anthony Parish, 12 Properzi Way, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License (All Forms) for Festa Junina 2026, to be held outdoors at 12 Properzi Way parking lot, on 6/20/2026 from 4:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. and 6/21/2026 from 2:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. (Alcohol Service)
(SAL26-000011)
11. LEGO Discovery Boston, 598 Assembly Row, requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License (Wine and Malt) for Adult Nights, to be held indoors at 598 Assembly Row, on 7/10/2026, 8/14/2026, 9/11/2026, 10/30/2026, 11/13/2026, and 12/11/2026 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. (Alcohol Service)
(SAL26-000008)

Existing All Forms Restaurant License
Adding Private Outdoor Dining

12. K-Bok Korean Fried Chicken LLC d/b/a K-Bok Korean Fried Chicken, 249 Washington Street, requesting approval of private outdoor dining.
Number of tables: 6
Number of seats: 24
(ALM25-000023, amending AL24-000029)

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

Existing All Forms Restaurant License
Change of Manager and Change of Officers/Directors

13. Urban Axes Boston LLC d/b/a Urban Axes, 2 Union Square, requesting approval of a change of manager and change of officers/directors.
Current manager: Kenya Claytor
Proposed manager: Dominique Reade
Current officers/directors:
Krista Paton, LLC Manager
Matthew Paton, LLC Manager
Shaun Hurley, LLC Manager
Danielle Palmer, LLC Manager
Proposed officers/directors:
Dominique Reade, General Manager
Jennifer Johansson, HR Director
(ALM26-000009, amending AL18-000006)



Existing All Forms Restaurant License
Change of Hours and 2AM License

14. H and P Restaurant Group LLC d/b/a Gauchao Brazilian Cuisine, 102 Broadway, requesting approval of a change of hours and a 2AM license.
Current hours: Monday-Sunday: 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m.
Proposed hours: Sunday-Thursday: 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m., Friday-Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m.
(ALM26-000013, amending AL24-000025)

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Existing All Forms Restaurant License
Alteration of Indoor and Outdoor Premises

15. Soba Ya LLC d/b/a Sugidama, 234 Elm Street, requesting approval of an alteration of indoor and outdoor premises.
Current indoor seating: 52
Proposed indoor seating: 44
Current outdoor seating: 0
Proposed outdoor seating: 16
(ALM26-000014, amending AL22-000010)

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Existing Common Victualer License
Change of Hours

16. Chipotle Mexican Grill of Colorado LLC d/b/a Chipotle Mexican Grill #1036, 274-276 Elm Street, requesting approval of a change of hours.
Current Hours (Indoor and Outdoor Private Patio):
Monday-Sunday: 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Proposed Hours (Indoor and Outdoor Private Patio):
Monday-Sunday: 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
(ALM26-000012, amending AL17-000211)
Continued from March 17, 2026, Licensing Commission meeting.



New
Entertainment by Devices, Patrons, and Performers

17. Life Drawing Boston LLC d/b/a Life Drawing Boston, 86 Joy Street, requesting approval an entertainment by devices, patrons, and performers license.
(AL26-000010)

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

New
Common Victualer and Entertainment by Devices

18. Poke SDS LLC d/b/a Pokeworks, 261 Elm Street, requesting approval of a common victualer and entertainment by devices license.
Hours of operation:
Monday-Sunday: 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Indoor Seats: 21
(AL26-000003)

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19. Somerville BBQ Inc d/b/a bb.q Chicken, 248 Elm Street, requesting approval of a common victualer and entertainment by devices license.
Hours of operation:
Sunday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Friday-Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Indoor Seats: 17
(AL26-000008)

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New
All Forms 7-day Restaurant License
Common Victualer, Entertainment by Devices, Sunday Hours

20. Marinho's Brazilian Grill Corp d/b/a Marinho's Brazilian Grill, 85 Broadway, requesting approval of an all forms alcohol license, common victualer, entertainment by devices, and Sunday hours.

Hours of Operation (Food and Alcohol Service):

Monday-Sunday: 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Indoor Seats: 24

(AL25-000042)

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

Existing Farmer Pourer (Brewery) License
New All Forms 7-day Restaurant License

21. Indignant Brewing Co LLC d/b/a Winter Hill Brewing, 328 Broadway, requesting approval of a new all forms alcohol license to replace their existing Farmer Pourer (Brewery) License.

Hours of Operation:

Monday: 1:00 pm. to 12:00 a.m.

Tuesday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

Friday-Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 a.m.

Sunday: 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Indoor Seats: 60

Outdoor Seats (Private): 22

(AL26-000011, replacing AL17-000125)

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



Transfer

All Forms 7-day Restaurant License

Common Victualer, Entertainment by Devices, 2AM License, Private Outdoor Dining

22. Saint Brigid's Well LLC d/b/a Saint Brigid's Well, 525 Medford Street, requesting approval of transfer of an all forms alcohol license from Demeter Hospitality Group d/b/a Daddy Jones and a common victualer, entertainment by devices, 2AM license, and private outdoor dining.

Hours of Operation (Indoor Alcohol Service):

Sunday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Friday-Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m.

Hours of Operation (Indoor Food Service):

Sunday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Friday-Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Hours of Operation (Outdoor Alcohol Service):

Sunday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Friday-Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

Hours of Operation (Outdoor Food Service):

Sunday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Friday-Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Indoor Seats: 55

Private Outdoor Seats: 40

(AL26-000013, transferring from AL17-000059)

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