

June 5, 2019
9200 Basil Court
Largo, MD 20774

THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MET IN ADMINISTRATIVE VOTING
SESSION:

PRESENT:

Daphne Turpin-Forbes, Chairman
Armando Camacho, Vice Chairman
Kenneth Miles, Commissioners
Tammie Norman, Commissioner
Tammy Sparkman, Commissioner
Terence Sheppard, Director
Robert Clark, Chief Liquor Inspector
Cristian Mendoza, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Derrick Anthony, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Kelly Markomanolakis, Administrative Assistant
Nikole Bennett, Administrative Aide

Time: 8:45 p.m.

In the matter of **t/a Queens Chapel Liquors**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor violation.

Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Chuck's Liquors**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor violation. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Ms. Sparkman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Lee's Restaurant**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor violation. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Ms. Sparkman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Old Town Inn**, the Board reviewed an alleged Failure to Cooperate violation. Mr. Camacho moved to schedule a show cause hearing, seconded by Ms. Sparkman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Livingston Woods Liquors**, the Board reviewed an alleged Excessive Signage violation.

Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$2,500 and have an employee attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Ms. Sparkman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Strick's Restaurant**, the Board reviewed an alleged Non-Compliance of Restaurant Definition violation.

Mr. Camacho moved to schedule a show cause hearing, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a B & G Tavern**, the Board reviewed a letter date-stamped May 30, 2019 regarding a request to hold to extend the alcoholic beverages license to the back yard area of the business during the summer for events to end outside entertainment by 8:00 p.m. with three events ending at 9:30 p.m.

Mr. Camacho moved to deny the request, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Community Cocktail**, the Board reviewed a letter dated May 15, 2019 regarding a request for additional time until September 15, 2019 to place the license in use.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the request, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Flora Restaurant & Carryout**, the Board reviewed a letter dated May 22, 2019 regarding a request to change the name to t/a Flora's Restaurant & Carryout/Sports Bar

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the name change, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Galicia's Restaurant and Cantina**, the Board reviewed a letter dated May 21, 2019 regarding a request to correct the expiration date of the operating agreement to May 1, 2020.

Mr. Camacho moved to amend the operating agreement, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Old Town Inn (Upper Marlboro)**, the Board reviewed a letter dated May 28, 2019 regarding a request to invoke the Palmer Restaurant Decision regarding the renewal application.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the request and accept the renewal, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Potomac Gourmet Market**, the Board reviewed a letter dated May 29, 2019 regarding a change in the operating hours to Sunday through Thursday 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. and Friday to Saturday 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the request, seconded by Ms. Sparkman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Paul's**, the Board reviewed an operating agreement date stamped May 30, 2019.

Benjamin Rupert, Esquire stated the operating agreement presented is not in compliance with the requirements of the Alcoholic Beverages Article and therefore cannot be approved.

In the matter of **t/a Buno Supermarket**, the Board reviewed an operating agreement date stamped May 30, 2019.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the operating agreement, seconded by Ms. Sparkman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

The Board took notice the following licenses accepted the offer letter:

- a. **t/a Dave and Buster's**, 1851 Ritchie Station Ct, Capitol Heights, 20743 – Sale to a Minor
- b. **t/a Westin – National Harbor**, 1717 Waterfront Street, National Harbor, 20745 – Sale to a Minor
- c. **t/a McLoone's Pier House**, 141 National Plaza, National Harbor, 20745 – Sale to a Minor
- d. **t/a Potomac Gourmet Market**, 180 American Way, National Harbor, 20745 – Sale to a Minor
- e. **t/a The Olive Garden Italian Restaurant**, 1681 Ritchie Station Ct., Capitol Heights, 20743 – Sale to a Minor

The Board took notice the following licenses were issued in May 2019:

- a. **t/a Balkonie**
- b. **t/a Denizens Brewing Company**
- c. **t/a Jody's Good Mood Café**
- d. **t/a Joyful Heart African Cuisine**
- e. **t/a Kingston Arbor Restaurant**
- f. **t/a Pollo Sabroso**
- g. **t/a Saigon Street**
- h. **t/a Topgolf**
- i. **t/a The Board and Brew**

The Board took notice the following Class D licenses did not renew for 2019-2020:

- a. **t/a Anthony's New York Pizza & Pasta House**
- b. **t/a LA FUENTE Bar and Grill**
- c. **t/a Tiger Market**
- d. **t/a South Pride Seafood and Soul**

The Board took notice the following licenses officially expired as of May 31, 2019 for failure to renew for 2019-2020:

- a. **t/a Spice – 6**, Class B(AE), Beer, Wine and Liquor
- b. **t/a Mediterranean Café**, Class B(AE), Beer, Wine and Liquor
- c. **t/a Felt Bar and Lounge**, Class B(EC), Beer, Wine and Liquor
- d. **t/a Blossom Cocktail Lounge**, Class B(EC), Beer, Wine and Liquor
- e. **t/a The Marlton**, Class BH, Beer, Wine and Liquor
- f. **t/a Mango Café**, Class B, Beer, Wine and Liquor
- g. **t/a El Mexireno Restaurant**, Class B, Beer, Wine and Liquor
- h. **t/a Sardis Pollo A La Brasa**, Class BLX, Beer, Wine and Liquor
- i. **t/a Everlasting Life Restaurant and Lounge**, Class B, Beer and Wine
- j. **t/a El Bucanas Café**, Class B, Beer and Wine

The Board reviewed the submitted policies and procedures.

Mr. Camacho moved to conditionally approve the submitted policies and procedures, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the minutes for the Regular Session of May 21, 2019, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the minutes for the Administrative Voting Session of May 21, 2019, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Mr. Miles and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

The Commissioners took notice of the upcoming scheduled meetings:

June 25, 2019 @ 10:00 a.m.

July 10, 2019 @ 7:00 p.m.

July 23, 2019 @ 10:00 a.m.

August 7, 2019 @ 7:00 p.m.

August 14, 2019 @ 7:00 p.m.

August 27, 2019 @ 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nikole Bennett
Administrative Aide

Adjourned: 9:05 p.m.