July 9, 2025

9200 Basil Court Largo, MD 20774

THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MET IN ADMINISTRATIVE VOTING SESSION:

PRESENT:

Oretha Bridgwaters-Simms, Chair
Armando Camacho, Vice Chair
Tammie Norman, Commissioner
Tammy Sparkman, Commissioner
Dennis Smith, Commissioner
Jason Deloach, Esquire, Counsel
Terence Sheppard, Director
Alecia Hughes, Assistant to the Director
Cristian Mendoza, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Leonard Vauss, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Patricia Bell, Administrative Manager
Katrice James, Administrative Aide
Keyanna Little, Administrative Aide
Ariana Posada-Mejia, Administrative Aide

In the matter of **t/a Hook & Reel (Iverson Mall)**, located at 3823 Branch Avenue, Temple Hills, 20748. See email dated June 25, 2025, regarding a request to approve an extension to August 31, 2025, to effectuate the license. The establishment needs additional time to ensure the Final Inspection is approved and the Certificate of Occupancy can be issued. (3rd request) The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to approve an extension to August 31, 2025, to effectuate the license.

In the matter of **t/a Free State Distillery**, 1001 Prince Georges Blvd, Ste 200, Upper Marlboro, 20774. See letter dated June 30, 2025, regarding a request to extend the distillery permit to include a 400 sq. ft. parking space directly in front of the distillery. The extension is requested for a Summer Sunset Series of events to be held on selected dates, Friday and Saturday nights from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM between July 11, 2025, and November 1, 2025, as outlined in the letter.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to approve the request to extend the distillery permit to include a 400 sq. ft. parking space directly in front of the distillery. The extension is requested for a Summer Sunset Series of events to be held on selected dates, Friday and Saturday nights from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM between July 11, 2025, and November 1, 2025.

In the matter of **t/a Crowne Plaza College Park**, located at 6400 Ivy Lane, Greenbelt, 20770. See letter dated June 30, 2025, regarding a request to withdraw the Substitution of Corporate Officers (SCO) application scheduled for the July 22, 2025, hearing. The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to approve the request to withdraw the Substitution of Corporate Officers (SCO) application scheduled for the July 22, 2025, hearing.

In the matter of **t/a Strick's Restaurant**, located at 3211 Branch Avenue, Silver Hill, 20748, has an outstanding fine related to a violation that occurred on April 22, 2025. The total amount due is \$750, which includes a \$250 fine and a \$500 late fee. Payment was due by May 29, 2025. Attempts to contact the licensee regarding this matter have been unsuccessful. The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to continue this matter to the next hearing.

In the matter of **t/a SoBe Restaurant and Lounge**, located at 10621 Greenbelt Road #201, Seabrook, 20706. See letter dated July 2, 2025, regarding a request to extend the patio/outdoor space on July 13, 2025. On that date, the restaurant will be hosting our annual White Party. The licensee is requesting permission to use the adjacent parking lot to expand their seating area. The space measures approximately 60 feet by 90 feet. Due to the expected warm weather, they will not be using a tent or any heating elements.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to approve the request for an extension of the patio/outdoor area for July 13, 2025, to accommodate the annual White Party.

In the matter of **t/a Veterans Cigar Club**, located at 6409 Old Alexandria Ferry Road, Clinton, Maryland 20735. See letter dated July 3, 2025, regarding a request to host an outdoor event on the first Wednesday of August, September, and October in celebration of Motorcycle Riding Season. The event will feature outdoor seating, food, live music, and the responsible sale of alcohol following all regulations.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to approve the request to host an outdoor event on the first Wednesday of August, September, and October in celebration of Motorcycle Riding Season.

Class C&D Expired Liquor Licenses

- a. Parkway Market
- **b.** Schreiber's Country Store
- c. Super Food & Convenience
- **d.** Williams Francis Smith American Legion Post #235

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to expire the four (4) Class C&D Liquor Licenses.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to approve the minutes from Regular Session June 11, 2025 & June 24, 2025, and Administrative Voting Session June 11, 2025 & June 24, 2025.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to accept the Monthly Reconciliation Report for June 2025.

Scheduled Meetings:

- **a.** July 22, 2025 @ 10:00 AM
- **b.** August 6, 2025 @ 7:00 PM
- **c.** August 19, 2025 @ 10:00 AM
- **d.** September 3, 2025 @ 7:00 PM
- e. September 23, 2025 @ 10:00 AM