



CITY OF TAUNTON
LICENSE COMMISSION MEETING
MINUTES OF THE MEETING

November 19, 2014
7:00 p.m.

PRESENT:

Chairman Peter Lamb
Commissioner Brendan Mullen
Commissioner Bruce Thomas

For the Police Department:
Detective Lt. Dan McCabe
Detective Dennis Smith
Chief Edward J. Walsh

Meeting was called to order at 7:07 p.m. by Chairman Lamb.

1. Minutes of the meetings from October 15, 2014. Motion made by Commissioner Mullen to accept the minutes. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Thomas. Motion passed unanimously.
2. **Sunny & Dev d/b/a Smart Stop** – Application for a License Transfer. Appearing before the Board is Mark Lawton and Anjajen Patel. Mark Lawton stated that the last time they appeared before the Board, the application was not complete. Attorney Lawton went over the revisions: the consideration in the transaction and stated that the Asset Purchase Agreement was complete. Chairman Lamb asked if Sunny and Neel were purchasing the assets. Attorney Lawton indicated yes. Chairman Lamb stated that Ms. Patel was not listed as an officer. Attorney Lawton stated that she was with the ABCC. Chairman Lamb asked if she was listed with the corporation. Patrick Lawton stated that there was a supplemental change filed. Chairman Lamb stated that he did receive it. Detective Lt. McCabe stated he had no issues. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve the application for a transfer and to forward it the ABCC. Commissioner Thomas stated that he would like to add that the suspension currently held in abeyance carry with the transfer and he seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
3. **Prestige Gas and Carwash** – Application to Pledge the License. Appearing before the Board is Attorney Matthew Costa and Manager Ronen Drory. Chairman Lamb asked Detective Lt. McCabe if there were any issues and he replied that were none. Chairman Lamb asked if there were any updates with the parking issues. Mr. Drory

stated that he didn't think so. Kevin Scanlon had been out and reviewed the lot and he and Mr. Drory went over the parking spaces. Mr. Drory stated that he will keep his word that there will be no parking there. Mr. Drory stated that he did have a question with regard to the 40% liquor space. He wanted to know if the space included the coolers with the doors or the entire depth of the cooler. He wanted the Board to clarify if the cooler was storage or retail space. The Board felt that the space was retail. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve and forward the application to pledge to the ABCC. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Motion passes unanimously.

4. **Section 15 Sunday Hours** – Detective Lt. McCabe stated that there was one application for a 10 a.m. opening on Sunday that came in today and that the Board could conditionally approve it if they desired because it was missing the corporate vote required for a complete application. Chairman Lamb read the applicants into the record. Two Families d/b/a Girlies Variety; Commissioner Thomas made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Mullen seconded the motion. Sunny & Dev d/b/a Smart Stop; Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Leahy's Liquor Store, Inc.; Commissioner Thomas made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Mullen seconded the motion. Ziad Ibrahim, Inc. d/b/a Joe's Gas; Commissioner Thomas made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Mullen seconded the motion. DRT, Inc. d/b/a Home Plate Compact Store; Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Royal Liquor Co., Inc. d/b/a Regal Food Mart; Commissioner Thomas made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Mullen seconded the motion. Taunton Liquor, Inc.; Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Bal Kuver, Inc., d/b/a Oakland Variety; Commissioner Thomas made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Mullen seconded the motion. Fortune Flavor, Inc. d/b/a Egan's Package Store; Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Daylai, Inc. d/b/a Weir Fruit; Commissioner Thomas made a motion to approve the extended hours. Commissioner Mullen seconded the motion.

5. **Correspondence from Gay & Gay** - regarding Common Victualler licenses regarding St. Andrew the Apostle Parish and Union Congregational Church. Chairman Lamb reads the letters in the record and states that he met with Detective Lt. McCabe to review whether or not a Common Victualler license applies to churches. Both Chairman Lamb and Detective Lt. McCabe felt that if the City issues a board of health certificate then this license must apply. Their recommendation to the Board was that they should not be exempt but that a reduced fee would be recommended. Chairman Lamb stated that both he and Detective Lt. McCabe thought a \$25.00 fee would be appropriate for non for profit entities. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to reduce the fee to \$25.00 for non for profit organizations serving food solely for charitable purposes and done so infrequently. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Chairman Lamb stated that he would put together a letter to respond to Attorney Gay and have it reviewed by Detective Lt. McCabe.

6. **Approval of the 2015 Common Victualler Licenses** – Chairman Lamb stated that he felt that only governmental agencies should be exempt from the license fee. Chairman Lamb further stated that he was not in favor of reducing or waiving the fee. Commissioner Thomas stated that he felt the Boys and Girl Club, Girls, Inc. should be exempt. He added that an organization like the Boys and Girls Club, Inc. was getting the kids off the streets. Chairman Lamb agreed; if they apply for the reduced fee. Chief Walsh stated that the Board needed to define organizations; some social service agencies are a not for profit entities. Chairman Lamb stated that he felt a reduced rate could be applied if the applicant was a 501(c)(3) (under 26 USC 501(c)(3)) organization or a church. Commissioner Thomas suggested that Board could make the determination as to whether or not to reduce the fee. The Board agreed. Chairman Lamb stated that the organization would be exempt if it was governmental and a reduce fee if the applicant was a 501(c)(3) or not for profit. Detective Lt. McCabe stated that he could do a letter and ask them if they are a non-profit. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to amend his previous motion regarding the 501(c)(3) or churches to state that a \$25 fee will be assessed for any 501(c)(3) organizations or religious organizations who are serving food. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously. Commissioner Mullen made a second motion to waive the fee for any governmental organizations. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Chairman Lamb stated that the list of Common Victualler licenses was before the Board and the Board will approve the list with the exception of Chez Bistro. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve the Common Victualler applications with the exception of Chez Bistro. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

7. **Communication from Bobby's Place** - for extension of the holiday hours. Detective Lt. McCabe stated that there may be an error in the Mrs. Asack's letter. She has December 30, not the 31st. Detective Smith suggested that we vote for the Thanksgiving holiday and put off the other date until the next meeting. Detective McCabe stated that Mr. Asack had returned his phone call and Bobby's Place is looking for Thanksgiving Eve and New Year's Eve. Detective Lt. McCabe added that there would have to be two officers on Thanksgiving Eve and New Years Eve. Okay. Chairman Lamb stated that the police details will be left at the discretion of the police department. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to approve the extended hours for Thanksgiving Eve (11/26/2014) and New Years Eve (12/31/2014) for Bobby's Place. Extended hours will be until 2:00 a.m on each of the two dates. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

8. **Seasonal Rates** - There was discussion regarding the setting the rate for seasonal licenses at a reduced fee. Chairman Lamb stated that rather than pro-rating the fee, he and Detective Lt. McCabe thought \$750 would be a good reduced fee whether the license is for 1 month or 8 months. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to set seasonal license rate at \$750.00. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

9. **Chez Fehmi's Bistro, LLC** – Appearing on behalf of Chez Fehmi's Bistro was Mark Cannella and Fehmi Khalifa. Detective Lt. McCabe stated that it was his

understanding that Chez Bistro had a lease to use the licensed premises from the Taunton Sports Club Inc.. Mr. Khalifa stated that this has been ongoing for some time, not sure if this procedure of leasing was grandfathered in or not. Chairman Lamb asked if the Bistro was serving club members or the public. Mr. Cannella stated the public. Chairman Lamb asked if the Bistro space was separate from the Club. Detective Lt. McCabe answered that the two businesses share an entrance, but the Bistro space encumbers the licensed premises. Chairman Lamb stated that he felt the Club needed to come back to the Board and questioned if the Bistro was operating now and Mr. Khalifa stated that it was not. Chairman Lamb stated that the ABCC could come down and shut you down if that was the case. Mr. Cannella stated that they are not selling the beverages, just serving the alcohol. Chief Walsh stated that they could not do that; they do not have a license to serve the alcohol. Mr. Cannella asked if they could serve the alcohol because they were TIPS certified. Chief Walsh reiterated that Mr. Cannella did not have a license to serve alcohol. Detective Lt. McCabe stated that the Taunton Sports Club was a club; that they can only serve to members of the club. Detective Lt. McCabe asked if the Bistro had a lease with the Taunton Sports Club and was told that Chez Bistrol had a one year lease. Detective Lt. McCabe stated that the Club cannot sublease their space without approval from the local board and possibly the ABCC. Chairman Lamb asked if the Bistro was being brought in to run the kitchen, would the Club need a Common Victualler license. Detective Lt. McCabe stated that he did not think so, because the club would retain the profits of everything. Detective Smith suggested a meeting between the parties, himself and Detective Lt. McCabe so that the Board could guide them in this matter. Commissioner Mullen agreed that would be a good idea.

10. **New Business** - Greg Glynn wanted to know if the Board would like the License Commission meetings broadcasted on-line on the internet. Chairman Lamb did not foresee any issues with the rebroadcasting of the meetings through the internet. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to accept the offer to have the meetings broadcast over the internet. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Discussion ensued regarding the renewal process.

11. Commissioner Mullen made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Thomas seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m. Motion passed unanimously.



Peter C. Lamb, Chairman



Brendan P. Mullen, Commissioner



Bruce M. Thomas, Commissioner

LEGAL NAME OF BUSINESS	DBA	STNUM	STREET	SUITE	CITY	ZIP	TELEPHONE	OWNER	MANAGER
A-1 Pizza		41	Tremont		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-9100	Efthimios Georgakakis	Efthimios Georgakakis
A&A Restaurants	Little Caesars	289	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(774) 501-2640	Ali Tokko	Ali Tokko
Ai Guo Jiang	New China One	648	County Street	Ste 3	Taunton	02780	(508) 880-5800	Ai Guo Jiang	
Aleixo Arena		150	Hon. Gordon Owen		Taunton	02780			
ALLTF, LLC	Kyrdinos Pizza	73	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 821-5500		Algelo Llongo
Amaro Bros. Ice Cream Shoppe		478	Middleboro Avenue		E. Taunton	02718	(508) 386-0935	Aaron Amaro	Aaron Amaro
AP Pretzels of MA, Inc.	Wetzel's Pretzels	2	Galleria Mall Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-2240		Dilip R. Amin
The Arbors at Taunton		760	County Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-4800		Nellie Vieira
Art's International Bakery, Inc.		210	Weir Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-0513	Arthur Cabral	Arthur Cabral
Associates for Human Services, Inc.	Wise Adult Day Health	68	Allison Avenue		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-0202		Nancy Pereira
Bethany House Adult Day HealthCare		72	Church Green		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-9200		Raymond McAndrews
BJ's Wholesale Club, Inc., #159		2085	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-6481		Laura J. Sen
Blue Sky Donuts, Inc.	Dunkin Donuts	2070	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 828-1997		Christopher Cahoon
Bristol-Plymouth Reg. Tech.		207	Hart Street		Taunton	02718	(508) 823-5151		Nadine Rose
Bunny's Restaurant	Laurie's Country Kitchen	3	Tremont Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-9300	Bernice French	Cathy Gaouette
Chez Fehmi's Bristro, Inc.		33	West Baker Road		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-9577	M. Cannella F. Khalifa	Mark Cannella
Chios Donuts, LLC	Dunkin Donuts	648	County Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-2313		Ippo Giatis
Cai Wong, Corp.	Big Wong Restaurant	91	W Water Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-0668		Minchuan Zou
Christ Community Church		41	Stevens Street		E. Taunton	02718	(508) 880-6202		
Classic Pizza I, Incorporated	Classic Pizza	296	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-0090		David Tkhaishvili
Coffee Milano		67	Main Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 386-2370	Mgt Gudmurdsson	
Colleen Santos	Cronin's	36	Adams Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-9071	Colleen Santos	
Colonial Donut Shop		91	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-9226		Michael George
Crossmark	CrossMark	2085	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(469) 814-1306		Ben Fischer
Cumberland Farms, Inc.	Cumberland Farms #2325	141	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-4905	Cumberland Farms, Inc.	
Cumberland Farms, Inc.	Cumberland Farms #2340	318	County Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 884-2955	Cumberland Farms Inc.	
D's Dogs & More		65	West Water Street		Taunton	02780		Dewayne Rodrigues	D. Rodrigues
Delop's Inc.	D'Angelo Sandwich Shop	2	Galleria Mall Drive	FC10	Taunton	02780	(508) 823-7950	Delops, Inc.	
Delop's Inc.	D'Angelo Sandwich Shop	289	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-7444	Delops, Inc.	
Devito's Pizzeria, Inc.		4	Taunton Green		Taunton	02780	(508)977-0444		Dawn Cashman
Doha Onsi,	Tekka Grille	2	Galleria Mall Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-1214	Doha Onsi	
GGNSC, Taunton, LLC	Golden Living Center	146	Dean Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-0767		Jennifer Davis

Girls, Incorporated of Taunton	Girls, Inc.	131	Arlington Street		Taunton	00027	(508) 824-9511		Jessica Johnstone
Golden Dragon Lin, Inc.		51	Court Street	Unit 1	Taunton	02780	(508) 880-7239		Mia Lin
Guangshun Zheng	Jay Bo Cafe	2074	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-9988		Guangshun Zheng
Healthcare Options, Inc.	Harmony Adult Day Health Ctr	725A	Myles Standish		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-3000		Debbie Brower
Hess Express #21524		23	Cape Road		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-3831	Hess Retail Operations	Matt Terra
Hess Express #21237		943	County Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 821-2648	Hess Retail Operations	Victoria Chalmers
Holy Family Parish		438	Middleboro Avenue		E. Taunton	02718	(508) 824-5707		Rev. Kevin Cook
International Pizza		651	Somerset Avenue		Taunton	02780	(508) 386-1173		Rui Figueiredo
Interstate Theatres Corp.	Silver City Galleria 10	2	Galleria Mall Drive		E. Taunton	02718	(508) 821-4561	Interstate Theatres	
Jade Chopstick, Inc.	Jade Lee Kitchen	239-245	Broadway		Taunton	02780			
Jeremy's Pizza		2	Galleria Mall Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 828-4599		Francisco Garcia
Jimmy's Restaurant, Inc		22	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-3141		Evangelia Mitouis
Jing Ping, Inc.	Fugi Chen	2	Galleria Mall Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-8488	William Coney	
John Paiva	Paiva Catering	203	Washington Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-8847	John Paiva	
KFC of Taunton, A Limited Partnership	KFC	20	Cape Road		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-2006		Paulette Irwin
Kinfolks Award Winning BBQ		3	Cape Road		Taunton	02780	(850) 694-1074	Sylvester English	Sylvester English
KKFS, LLC	Dunkin Donuts	983	County Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 821-4199		Amy Boynton
K&K Food Mart		83.5	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-1444		Jaued K Khan
KS & L Restarants, Inc.	Subway	537	County Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-9922		Kevin Ledo
Konstantinos Papadogianakis	Whittenton House of Pizza	436	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-4906		K. Papadogiannakis
LBK, LLC	Burger King # 6066	294	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-8013		Brek Kohler
Ledo, Inc.	Subway	1	Washington Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-8899		Kevin Ledo
Ling Gang Chen	China Kitchen	89	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-0612		Ling Gang Chen
Lucky House		60	Harrison Avenue		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-8828		Vi Bin Chen
Marian Manor, Inc.		23	Summer Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-4885		Raymond McAndrews
Markos Donuts, LLC	Dunkin Donuts	491	Weir Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-1206		Marianna Giatis
Mark's Bay Street Take Out		324R	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(774) 218-5762		Mark Guman
McDonald's Restasurans of Mass	McDonalds	282	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-8050		Julie Dupree
Morton Hospital		88	Washington Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 828-7440		David Bibo
MPG 105/Rapid Refill		231	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 746-1341		Peter Garrett
Old Colony YMCA		71	Cohannet Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-3320		Old Colony YMCA
Paiva's Catering		203	Washington Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-8847		John Paiva
Papa Gino's, Inc.		65	Taunton Depot Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 802-9622	Papa Gino's, Inc.	
Papa Gino's, Inc.		294	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 802-9622	Papa Gino's, Inc.	
Paul's Catering Service		36	Davis Street		Somerset	02726	(508) 317-3742		Paul Machado
Pepperoni's of Taunton, LLC	Piezoni's	51	Court Street		Taunton	02780			

Perkins Paper, LLC		680	John Hancock Road		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-2800		
Pizza Hut of America, Inc.		224	Broadway		Taunton	02780			
Q&H, Inc.	Dairy Queen	2	Galleria Mall Drive		E. Taunton	02718	(508) 824-8053	Qing Ling Cao	Qing Ling Cao
Radhi & Dev Inc	Honey Dew Donuts	1095	County Street		Taunton	02780			Sunil Patel
Red Rooster		247	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 977-9977		Ahad Rajeh
Red Shift Donuts, Inc.	Dunkin Donuts	5	Washington Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-6939		Christopher Cahoon
R.F. Owens Co., Inc.	Trucchi's Supermarkets	53	Tremont Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-5698		Allan Rose
R.F. Owens Co., Inc.	Trucchi's Supermarkets	534	County Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-8941		Kim Cloutier
Rico's Grille		447	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 813-4183		Gregory F. Rico
Samba's Grill & Café		2	Galleria Mall Drive		E. Taunton	02718	(774) 218-6599		Jaildo R. Mour
Sarku Japan		2	Galleria Mall Drive		E. Taunton	02718	(905) 474-0710		Tim Yan Long Li
School Street Bakery		219	School Street		Taunton	00278	(508) 822-0311	M. Helen Cardoso	M. Helen Cardoso
Second Q LLC	Dunkin Donuts	88	Washington Street		Taunton	02780	(781) 385-9333	Joe Murray	
S.M. Bourbon Street, Inc.	Bourbon Street Grill	2	Galleria Mall Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 828-1003		Xue Xian Zheng
Shree Annapuma, Inc.	Honey Dew Donuts	185	Weir Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 828-5978		Vipui Patel
Shree Ram Jalaram Corp.	Honey Dew Donuts	306	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 904-3006		Sunil Patel
Shri Hari Om, Inc.	Subway	2093	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(774) 501-2694		Bavin Patel
Spartan Restaurant & Pizza, Inc.	B&F Pizza	67	Broadway		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-6363	Chrisoula Nohos	
Starbucks Coffee #7726		65H	Taunton Depot Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-8381	Starbucks Corp.	
Stelios, Donuts LLC DBA Dunkin Donuts		43	Worcester Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-0489		Candice Vieira
Subproz Enterprises, Inc.	Subway	306	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 802-6911		Kevin Ledo
Taunton Boat Club, Inc.		145	East Water Street		Taunton	02780			Albert Andrade
Taunton House of Pizza		499	Middleboro Avenue		E. Taunton	02718	(508) 823-6316		Ioannis Kravasiliadis
Tedeschi Food Shops, Inc. (Store #146)		2068	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-2782		Robert L. Tedeschi, Jr.
Tito's Ice Cream		55	Bacon Street		Pawtucket	02895	(401) 775-9137		Jorge Rodriguez
Tom & Jimmy's Ice Cream		337	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 802-0513		James Gracia
Tom & Jimmy's Star Drive-In		205	Myricks Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 802-0513		James Gracia
Two Guys Foods, Inc.	Burger King	2	Galleria Mall Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 821-3009		Stephen McKay
Victory Distributors, LLC	Hannaford Supermarkets	255	Joseph E. Warner		Taunton	02780	(508) 828-3940		Karen Sultan
Wendy's Old Fashioned Hamburgers of NY	Wendy's	41	Taunton Depot Drive		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-3301		Amy Krueger
Wendy's Old Fashioned Hamburgers of NY	Wendy's	2089	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 880-0749		Amy Krueger
West Congregational Church of Taunton		155	N. Walker Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-3461		David Smith
Whittenton House of Pizza		436	Bay Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 823-4906		K. Papadogiannakis
Winthrop St. Baptist Church		39	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 822-1976		Wallace N. Skilling
Xanthi, LLC	Dunkin Donuts	508	Middleboro Avenue		E Taunton	02718	(508) 823-7848		Konstantinos Frangakis
Yogurt Garden, Inc.		306	Winthrop Street		Taunton	02780	(508) 824-7777		Xiang Qi Shi