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Action Minutes

Friday, February 2, 2018

10:00 AM

Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St, Second floor, City Council
workroom

Council Liquor License Review Committee

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Council Liquor License Review Committee was called to order by the Chair, Jane Lumm, at 10:04 a.m. in City Council Work Room, 2nd Floor, 301 E. Huron, Ann Arbor.

ROLL CALL

City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry, Deputy City Clerk Jennifer Alexa, Assistant City Attorney Kristen Larcom and Jane Allen, Legal Assistant, were also in attendance.

Present: 3 - Jane Lumm, Chip Smith and Kirk Westphal

Absent: 1 - Sumi Kailasapathy

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Councilmember Smith, seconded by Councilmember Westphal, that the Agenda be approved as presented. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

18-0195 Council Liquor License Review Committee Meeting Minutes of January 12, 2018

Attachments: 01-12-18 liquor committee minutes.pdf

A motion was made by Councilmember Westphal, seconded by Councilmember Smith, that the Minutes of the Council Liquor License Review Committee of January 12, 2018 be approved by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council by 3/5/2018. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Annual Liquor License Renewal Process

[18-0202](#)

Written Recommendations from City Staff Regarding 2018 Annual Liquor License Renewals

Attachments: Scorekeepers AAPD recommendation 2018_1.pdf

Councilmember Smith moved, seconded by Councilmember Westphal, that the Committee accept the Police Department staff recommendations regarding annual renewals.

Councilmember Lumm stated she met with Assistant City Attorney Arianne Slay regarding the Police Department's recommendation of non-renewal for the liquor license at Scorekeepers, 310 Maynard Street.

Assistant City Attorney Kristen Larcom stated the City Attorney's Office is not supporting the Police Department's recommendation of non-renewal at this time. Ms. Larcom stated the Attorney's Office is supportive of the PD and recognizes that their recommendation is based on legitimate concerns, but she also stated it should be noted that Scorekeepers was approached by the City in July to complete SAPAC training, Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center, and they agreed to participate.

It was noted that all of the incidents highlighted in the Police Department memorandum had occurred prior to the training and improvements had been made since the training. It was suggested that perhaps the bar should be monitored for improvement over the coming year.

Councilmember Smith asked if it would be possible to quantify the number of sexual assaults that can be tied to Scorekeepers. He asked how the number of incidents at Scorekeepers compares to other licensed establishments. He asked about other incidents, such as medical calls or MIPs issued.

Councilmember Westphal inquired if the City could gather sexual assault data from the University of Michigan. He asked where these types of crimes are originating from before ending up in a dorm room or other campus housing.

Councilmember Smith requested that a system of data be built to allow the Police to collect and track information over the course of years.

It was decided to postpone action on the request for non-renewal until the Committee's next meeting on February 16.

Councilmember Lumm requested that by the next meeting of the Committee, the City Attorney provide a recommendation on the renewal of Scorekeepers' liquor license renewal and any necessary additional actions.

Councilmember Lumm also asked for the violations issued by the MLCC last year.

**Postponed to the Council Liquor License Review Committee due back on
2/16/2018**

INFORMATION/UPCOMING BUSINESS

Deputy City Clerk Jennifer Alexa reported on the status of the annual renewals, stating all but nine licensees had completed the paperwork and paid the City their annual renewal fee.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Seeing no further business before the Committee, a motion was made by Councilmember Westphal, seconded by Councilmember Smith, that the meeting adjourn. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 11:09 a.m.

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