

City of Ann Arbor

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Action Minutes

Friday, February 20, 2015

3:00 PM

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

Council Liquor License Review Committee

CALL TO ORDER

The chair, Councilmember Jane Lumm, called the meeting of the Council Liquor License Review Committee to order at 3:10 p.m. in the Council Chambers, Guy C. Larcom Municipal Building, 2nd Floor, 301 E. Huron Street.

City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry, Deputy City Clerk Jennifer Alexa, Assistant City Attorney Mary Fales, Lt. Renee Bush of the Ann Arbor Police Department, Alex Hammett, Legal Assistant and Deputy Treasurer Michael Pettigrew were in attendance.

Present: 3 - Mike Anglin, Jane Lumm and Sumi Kailasapathy

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Councilmember Anglin, seconded by Councilmember Kailasapathy, that the Agenda be approved. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

[15-0205](#)

Council Liquor License Review Committee Meeting Minutes of January 30, 2015

Attachments: 2015-01-30 liquor committee minutes

A motion was made by Councilmember Kailasapathy, seconded by Councilmember Anglin, that the Minutes of the January 30, 2015 Council Liquor License Review Committee be approved by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council by 3/16/2015. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

[15-0186](#)

Resolution to Approve a Request from Ann Arbor Distilling Company for a New Small Distiller License to be Located at 220 Felch Street, d/b/a Ann Arbor Distiller Company

Sponsors: Council Liquor License Review Committee

Ari Sussman, the applicant, was available to answer any questions of the Committee.

A motion was made by Councilmember Kailasapathy, seconded by Councilmember Anglin, that the Resolution be recommended for approval to the City Council by 3/2/2015. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

Enactment No: R-15-059

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2015 Annual Renewal Process

City staff reported to the Committee regarding the upcoming March 4 hearing. Prior to the Council resolution setting the hearing, Cafe Zola and Romano's Macaroni Grill satisfied their financial obligations to the City and the City Treasurer removed his objections.

The March 4 hearing is scheduled for The Arena, Inc., Rub BBQ, and Banfield Bar and Grill.

City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry stated the Hearing Officer's final recommendation to Council would need to be ready for the March 16 City Council meeting so that the City could forward Council's recommendation to the MLCC prior to the March 31 deadline.

INFORMATION/UPCOMING BUSINESS

None.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Councilmember Kailasapathy, seconded by Councilmember Anglin, that the meeting adjourn. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.