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Action Minutes

Friday, June 27, 2014 3:00 PM

Guy C. Larcom, Jr. Building, 301 E. Huron St. 2nd Flr.

Council Liquor License Review Committee

CALL TO ORDER

City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry called the meeting of the Council Liquor License Review Committee to order at 3:10 p.m. in the City Council Chamber, 2nd Floor, 301 E. Huron Street.

City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry and Assistant City Attorney Mary Fales were also in attendance.

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

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Councilmember Kailasapathy, seconded by Councilmember Anglin, that the Agenda be Approved with the addition of a discussion regarding temporary licenses for Art Fair. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

14-1032 Council Liquor License Review Committee Meeting Minutes of May

30, 2014

Attachments: 2014-05-30 liquor committee minutes

A motion was made by Councilmember Anglin, seconded by Councilmember Kailasapathy, that the Minutes of the May 30, 2014 meeting be Approved by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council by 7/21/2014. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

14-0948 Resolution to Recommend Approval of Issuance of a Downtown
Development District Liquor License to RWB Group LLC

Sponsors: Council Liquor License Review Committee

City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry stated this application for a new redevelopment license was being presented to the committee at the first step; requesting staff approval for City staff to review. The applicant RWB Group LLC, is proposing a new restaurant at 521 E. Liberty, dba Taste. Beaudry stated that upon conclusion of staff review, the application would be returned to the committee for a final recommendation.

A motion was made by Councilmember Kailasapathy, seconded by Councilmember Anglin, that the Resolution be Returned to staff for a review and recommendation. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

14-0871

Resolution to Recommend Approval of Issuance of a Downtown Development District Liquor License to RCAA Developments, LLC (Ruth's Chris Steak House)

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A motion was made by Councilmember Anglin, seconded by Councilmember Kailasapathy, that the Resolution be Recommended for Adoption by City Council on 7/7/2014. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

Enactment No: R-14-232

INFORMATION/UPCOMING BUSINESS

14-1039

Communication from the MLCC regarding New Class C License (National Sporting Event License) for August 2, 2014 only, Issued under MCL 436.1531(7), Non-Transferable for Sodex Management, Inc., located at 1201 S. Main St.

Attachments: 1201 S. State St. Lig. Lic. Request.pdf

City Clerk Beaudry stated the communication regarding the liquor license approved by the MLCC for the August 2, 2014 soccer event at Michigan Stadium was being presented to the committee for their information. Committee members requested that the City Clerk forward the communication to the City Council as well.

Received and Filed

Committee members and Assistant City Attorney Mary Fales discussed changes to the requirements for issuance of temporary outdoor sales permits and the impact to the Art Fair sidewalk and street tents. It was decided that Ms. Fales would reach out to all of the licensed businesses or downtown merchant associations to collect applications from those interested. Pursuant to changes from the MLCC, the committee would add the approvals to the July 7 City Council agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Seeing no further business, the Chair declared the meeting adjourned at 3:50 p.m.