

City of Ann Arbor

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Meeting Minutes - Draft

Thursday, April 4, 2024

1:00 PM

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Council Liquor License Review Committee

CALL TO ORDER

Councilmember Disch called the meeting of the Council Liquor License Review Committee to order at 1:01 p.m. in the Guy C. Larcom, Jr. Building, Basement Conference Room A, 301 E. Huron Street.

ROLL CALL

City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry, Clerk's Office Administrative Assistant Rachel Rickinger, and Senior Assistant City Attorney John Reiser were also in attendance.

Present: 3 - Lisa Disch, Chris Watson and Dharma Akmon

Absent: 1 - Travis Radina

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Councilmember Watson, seconded by Councilmember Akmon, that the agenda be approved as presented. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

[24-0492](#) Council Liquor License Review Committee Meeting Minutes of January 26, 2024

A motion was made by Councilmember Akmon, seconded by Councilmember Watson, that the minutes be approved by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council by 5/6/2024. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

[24-0428](#) Resolution to Recommend Approval of Issuance of a Downtown Development District Liquor License to Uplift Ann Arbor, LLC, Located at 210 S. First St., Suite 100 N

The petitioners were available to answer any questions.

A motion was made by Councilmember Watson, seconded by Councilmember Akmon, that the Resolution be recommended for approval to the City Council by 4/15/2024. On a voice vote, the Chair

declared the motion carried.

24-0494 Resolution to Revise and Amend List of Approved Participating Establishments in the Main Street Ann Arbor Social District

A motion was made by Councilmember Watson, seconded by Councilmember Akmon, that the Resolution be recommended for approval to the City Council by 4/15/2024. On a voice vote, the Chair declared the motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

INFORMATION/UPCOMING BUSINESS

Administrative Assistant Rachel Rickinger stated that there may be more applications for Downtown Development District liquor licenses in the next few months.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Mark Harvill and Saharsh Hajela, petitioners, expressed their thanks to the committee for reviewing the Uplift application.

ADJOURNMENT

Councilmember Disch declared the meeting adjourned at 1:17 p.m.

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