



HEARINGS
CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Tuesday, August 16, 2011
Lansing District Office

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairperson
Donald B. Weatherspoon, Commissioner

Absent: Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:07 a.m.

1. Moved by Commissioner Weatherspoon and supported by Chairman Deloney to approve the Lansing Appeal minutes from July 19, 2011 and July 26, 2011, motion carried by vote.
2. Marathon Flint Oil Company, 2320 Davison, Flint, Genesee County, Complaint #1-146169

This matter was tabled until the next Lansing Appeal Hearing.

3. East U Provisions LLC, 619 E University, Suites A & B, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Request ID# 568795

The licensing hearing was conducted for East U Provisions LLC, Request ID# 568795. Jason Geissler appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Michael Brown and member Robert Hewitt appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Geissler and Mr. Brown offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, it was ruled that the Commission Order be reversed. Commissioner Weatherspoon made a motion to reverse the Commission Order dated July 20, 2011 and to approve the request for a new Class C license and change the nature of the existing Specially Designated Merchant license (SDM) to be held in conjunction with the proposed new Class C license with and Official Permit (food), motion supported by Chairman Deloney. Chairman Deloney noted on the record that he understood the Legislature's intent to provide these types of licenses to re-developing areas, but the Commission has an obligation to protect the financial interests of current licensees. He advised the Commission must be in line with statues and that there are no readily available licenses in the City of Ann Arbor. The motion was carried by vote.

4. Bridgman Spirits, LLC, 9486 Red Arrow, Bridgman, Berrien County, Request ID# 610049

The licensing hearing was conducted for Bridgman Spirits, LLC, Request ID# 610049. Jason Geissler appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Brian McMahon and sole member Andrea Dover appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Geissler, Mr. McMahon and Ms. Dover offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, it was ruled that the Commission Order be reversed. Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the Commission Order dated June 8, 2011, and approve the request for a new Specially Designated Merchant license (SDM) with non-approved business (Video Rental Store and Tanning Saloon) with the additional clarification added for the 180 day provision, supported by Commissioner Weatherspoon, and the motion was carried by vote.

5. Angela Lane, 754 Calumet, Twin Lake MI, New Salesperson License

Chairman Deloney noted that this case was being postponed due to the illness of Ms. Lane and would be heard at a future hearing.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Weatherspoon, supported by Chairman Deloney, that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 11:06 a.m., motion carried by vote.

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairperson

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