



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Tuesday, July 10, 2018
Lansing District Office
525 W Allegan
Lansing MI 48933

Present: Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman

Commissioner Quimby called the hearings to order at 10:03 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the minutes of the Lansing Appeal Hearings of June 26, 2018, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Taqueria Vallarta, LLC, 275 E 8th Street, Holland, Ottawa County
Request ID# 1803-02557

The licensing hearing was conducted for Taqueria Vallarta, LLC, Request ID# 1803-02557. Felepe Hall appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Attorney Richard Persinger with sole member Marin De La Paz, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Hall and Mr. Persinger offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Commissioner Quimby made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated June 20, 2018, and to approve the request to transfer ownership of escrowed 2018 Class C license from Petro & Pantry, Inc., and transfer location, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Shiny Apple, LLC, 258 Pinckney Road, Howell, Marion Township, Livingston County
Request ID# 1804-04133

The licensing hearing was conducted for Shiny Apple, LLC, Request ID# 1804-04133. Felepe Hall appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office and sole member Jeff Grainger, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Hall and Mr. Grainger offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the

record, Commissioner Quimby made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated June 13, 2018, and to approve the request for a new Small Wine Maker license, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

4. Kalamazoo Concessions, LLC, 251 Mill Street, Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo County
Request ID# 1712-04779

The licensing hearing was conducted for Kalamazoo Concessions, LLC, Request ID# 1712-04779. Felepe Hall appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Events Director Dana Wagner with member Brian Colopy, appeared on behalf of the licensee. Mr. Hall, Mr. Colopy and Ms. Wagner offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Commissioner Quimby made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated May 9, 2018, and to remand the case back to the Licensing staff for further review, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Quimby and supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 11:07 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Teri L. Quimby
Commissioner

Anita Fawcett
Administrative Assistant



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Thursday, July 12, 2018
Southfield District Office
25680 W 8 Mile Road
Southfield MI 48033

Present: Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman

Commissioner Quimby called the hearings to order at 10:16 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the minutes of the Southfield Appeal Hearings of June 28, 2018, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Divino International Wine and Spirit, LLC, 2707 Aldrin Drive, Lake Orion, Oakland County Request ID# 1710-02630

The licensing hearing was conducted for Divino International Wine and Spirit, LLC, Request ID# 1710-02630. Linda Pytel-McDowell appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Attorney Steven Grobbel with member Sebi Fishta, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Ms. Pytel-McDowell, Mr. Grobbel and Mr. Fishta offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Commissioner Quimby made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated May 16, 2018 and to remand the case back to the Licensing staff for further review, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Marvin's Mini Market, Inc., 27633 Little Mack Avenue, St Clair Shores, Macomb County Request ID# 914130

The licensing hearing was conducted for Marvin's Mini Market, Inc., Request ID# 914130. Linda Pytel-McDowell appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office and Attorney Seth Tompkins appeared on behalf of the applicant. Ms. Pytel-McDowell and Mr. Tompkins offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Commissioner Quimby made a motion

to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated December 6, 2017 and to approve the request to transfer ownership of escrowed 2018 Specially Designated Distributor license only from Family Fare, LLC and transfer location, to be held in conjunction with existing 2018 Specially Designated Merchant license, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Quimby, and supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the hearings be adjourned at 10:42 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Teri L. Quimby
Commissioner



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Tuesday, July 17, 2018
Lansing District Office
525 W Allegan
Lansing MI 48933

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman
Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: None

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:09 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Olshove, supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the minutes of the Lansing Appeal Hearings of July 10, 2018, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Paddle Hard Distributing, LLC, 117 E Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Crawford County
Request ID# 1803-03615

The licensing hearing was conducted for Paddle Hard Distributing, LLC, Request ID# 1803-03615. Felepe Hall appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Attorney Brennen Gorman with sole member Dave Vargo, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Hall, Mr. Gorman and Mr. Vargo offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated June 20, 2018, and to approve the request for a new Small Wine Maker and Micro Brewer licenses, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Harsimranjit & Jasleen, LLC, 15191 168th Avenue, Grand Haven, Grand Haven Township, Ottawa County
Request ID# 1805-05546

The church hearing was conducted for Harsimranjit & Jasleen, LLC, Request ID# 1805-05546. Felepe Hall appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Attorney Michael Brown with sole member Amarjit Kaur, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Present for the Grand Haven Church of the Nazarene

was Pastor Stephen Abbott, the objecting party. Mr. Hall, Mr. Brown and Pastor Abbott offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion as follows: (a) that the findings of the Commission are that Grand Haven Church of the Nazarene filed a proper objection to the granting of a new Specially Designated Distributor license, (b) that the applicant had the burden of proceeding, (c) that the applicant had to show by competent, material and substantial evidence that issuance of the license would not adversely affect the normal operation of the church, and (d) that the applicant has demonstrated that a waiver of MCL 436.1503 would NOT adversely impact the normal operation of the church, and that the application should proceed with no impediment. Supported by Commissioner Olshove, the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

4. Plainfield Floral and Gift Shoppe, Inc., 818 Butterworth Street SW, Grand Rapids, Kent County Request ID# 1804-04176

The licensing hearing was conducted for Plainfield Floral and Gift Shoppe, Inc., Request ID# 1804-04176. Felepe Hall appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Attorney Kelly Allen with stockholders Bing Goei and Jason Goei, appeared on behalf of the licensee. Mr. Hall and Ms. Allen offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated May 9, 2018, and to approve the request to redefine the licensed premises in conjunction with the 2018 Class C and Specially Designated Merchant licenses, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Olshove and supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 11:37 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairman

Anita Fawcett
Administrative Assistant



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Thursday, July 19, 2018
Southfield District Office
25680 W 8 Mile Road
Southfield MI 48033

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman
Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: None

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:03 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Olshove, supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the minutes of the Southfield Appeal Hearings of July 12, 2018, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Cantina Restaurant Group, LLC, 101 Van Pelt Place, Charlevoix, Charlevoix County Request ID# 1805-06128

The licensing hearing was conducted for Cantina Restaurant Group, LLC, Request ID# 1805-06128. Rosendo Asevedo appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office and member Luther Kurtz appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Asevedo and Mr. Kurtz offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to affirm the previous Commission Order of Denial dated June 29, 2018, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Wixom Bait, LLC, 5013 Middle Road, Hope, Billings Township, Gladwin County Request ID# 1801-00831

The licensing hearing was conducted for Wixom Bait, LLC, Request ID# 1801-00831. Rosendo Asevedo appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Attorney Kelly Allen with sole member David Cryderman, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Asevedo, Ms. Allen and Mr. Cryderman offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated June 6, 2018

and to approve the request for new Tavern and Specially Designated Merchant licenses, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Olshove and supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the hearings be adjourned at 11:32 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairman



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Tuesday, July 24, 2018
Lansing District Office
525 W Allegan Street
Lansing MI 48933

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman
Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: None

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:07 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Olshove supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the minutes of the Lansing Appeal Hearings of July 17, 2018, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Coopersville Craft & Hops, LLC, 265 Main Street, Suite A, Coopersville, Ottawa County
Request ID# 905613

The licensing hearing was conducted for Coopersville Craft & Hops, LLC, Request ID# 917533, which was tabled from the hearing held on February 27, 2018. Jason Geissler appeared on behalf of the Attorney General's Office and no one appeared on behalf of the applicant. Chairman Deloney advised we had received a letter from the applicant's attorney, Joseph Infante, advising that the applicant no longer wished to pursue the matter. Chairman Deloney made a motion to affirm the previous Commission Order of Denial dated January 10, 2018 and to deny the request to transfer ownership of escrowed 2018 Specially Designated Merchant license from Red Apron, LLC and transfer location, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Sprinkle Road, LLC, 11536 Sprinkle Road, Vicksburg, Brady Township, Kalamazoo County
Request ID# 916533
4. Sprinkle Road, LLC, 11536 Sprinkle Road, Vicksburg, Brady Township, Kalamazoo County
Request ID# 916534

5. Kilgore Spirit, LLC, 6710 E N Avenue, Kalamazoo, Pavilion Township, Kalamazoo County Request ID# 1803-03304
6. Stockbridge Enterprise LLC, 110 W Stockbridge Avenue, Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo County Request ID# 1803-03302
7. Midway Stop & Shop LLC, 57901 M-51, Decatur, Hamilton Township, Van Buren County Request ID# 1803-03303

The show cause hearings were conducted for Sprinkle Road, LLC, Request ID# 916533; Sprinkle Road, LLC, Request ID# 916534; Kilgore Spirit, LLC, Request ID# 1803-03304; Stockbridge Enterprise LLC, Request ID# 1803-03302; and Midway Stop & Shop LLC, Request ID# 1803-03303; which were tabled from the hearings held on April 24, 2018. The cases were combined for testimony as the issues are approximately the same. Jason Geissler appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney John Doyle with member Jaspal Singh, appeared on behalf of the applicant/licensee. Mr. Geissler, Mr. Doyle and Mr. Singh offered comments regarding these cases. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney advised although the cases were combined for testimony, he will make separate motions for each location.

In the matter of Kilgore Spirits, LLC, Request ID# 1803-03304, motion made by Chairman Deloney that the Commission take no further action against their license at this time for reasons stated on the record, as set forth in the Show Cause Hearing Order. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

In the matter of Stockbridge Enterprise LLC, Request ID# 1803-03302, motion made by Chairman Deloney that the Commission take no further action against their license at this time for the reasons stated on the record, as set forth in the Show Cause Hearing Order. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

In the matter of Midway Stop & Shop LLC, Request ID# 1803-03303, motion made by Chairman Deloney that the Commission take no further action against their license at this time for the reasons stated on the record, as set forth in the Show Cause Hearing Order. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

In the matter of Sprinkle Road, LLC, Request ID# 916534, motion made by Chairman Deloney that the Commission Order of Approval dated February 21, 2018 is rescinded and the request for a new Specially Designated Distributor license is denied, as set forth in the Show Cause Hearing Order. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

In the matter of Sprinkle Road, LLC, Request ID# 916533, motion made by Chairman Deloney that the Commission Order of Denial dated March 16, 2018 be affirmed and that the request for a new Specially Designated Merchant license be denied, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Olshove and supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 11:12 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairman

Anita Fawcett
Administrative Assistant



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE
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Held: Thursday, July 26, 2018
Southfield District Office
25680 W 8 Mile Road
Southfield MI 48033

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman
Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: None

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:01 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Olshove, supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the minutes of the Southfield Appeal Hearings of July 19, 2018, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Frita DT, LLC, W Columbia, Detroit, Wayne County Request ID# 1801-00414

The licensing hearing was conducted for Frita DT, LLC, Request ID# 1801-00414. Linda Pytel-McDowell appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office; Attorney J. Patrick Howe with member Eva A. Aronoff-Fernandez, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Ms. Pytel-McDowell, Mr. Howe and Ms. Aronoff-Fernandez offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of Denial dated June 27, 2018 and to approve the request to transfer ownership of escrowed 2018 Class C license from Chrisphanie, Inc., and transfer location, as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Olshove and supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the hearings be adjourned at 10:15 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairman



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Tuesday, July 31, 2018
Lansing District Office
525 W Allegan Street
Lansing MI 48933

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman
Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: None

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:08 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Olshove supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the minutes of the Lansing Appeal Hearings of July 24, 2018, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Viva Insurance Agency L.L.C., 883 North Avenue, Battle Creek, Bedford Township, Calhoun County Request ID# 860749

The licensing hearing was conducted for Viva Insurance Agency L.L.C., Request ID# 860749. Felepe Hall appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office and sole member Jhonny Mercedes appeared on behalf of the applicant. Also present was Adam Holland, Assistant Vice President of First National Bank of America. Mr. Hall, Mr. Mercedes and Mr. Holland offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney advised the matter would be tabled to a hearing on a future date to allow the applicant to retain counsel.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Olshove and supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 10:46 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairman

Anita Fawcett
Administrative Assistant