

Minutes of the **Provincetown Licensing Board** Public Meeting on **Tuesday, February 13, 2007** at 5:00 p.m. in the Judge Welsh Room, Town Hall, 260 Commercial Street.

Present: Nick Robertson, Cassandra Benson, John Foley

Excused Absence: Liz Angelino and Todd Wagar

Public Hearings

Transfer License

1. From Nathan Butera to West End Perry's, LLC, Tom Fielding, mgr., One Tremont Street, represented by Attorney Robin Reid.

Annual All Alcohol Package Store License

Attorney Karen DePalma speaks in favor of the transfer.

Motion to approve contingent upon closing by Cassandra Benson. Seconded by John Foley. Approved 3-0.

2. From Nancy Carter to Kopa, LLC, Gary Pasnick, mgr., 212 Bradford Street, represented by Attorney Karen DePalma.

Annual Wine & Malt Package Store License

Attorney Karen DePalma is filing for an extension on the closing date. The new date is March 15, 2007.

Motion to approve contingent upon the closing by John Foley. Seconded by Cassandra Benson. Approved 3-0.

Public Statements

Glen Enos, representing The Provincetown Police Department discusses inspections for Taxicabs. The state's Vehicle Inspection Report is a more thorough inspection, and he feels that he is not qualified to inspect a vehicle's safety. However, is he willing to match the Vehicle Inspection Report with the inspection sticker to ensure that it is current and not fraudulent. The Licensing Board agrees and will make changes in the Rules & Regulations accordingly.

Larry Grab, representing Mystik Moon discusses the renewal of fortune teller, Alison Maggs license issued to someone else. A written statement from Ms. Maggs is read into the minutes. Mr. Grab gives his own statement and explains to the board that he has difficulty getting someone to come in for a license during the week. Nick Robertson explains that getting a license is someone else's name to be used by another person can be considered identity theft and must never be done again. Mr. Grab recommends not having separate licenses for individual fortune tellers. The Licensing Board will continue discussing the matter later and let Mr. Grab know what their decision is.

New License

Taxicab Service

1. Jody Conklin d.b.a. **Jody's Taxi**, 180 Commercial Street, Provincetown, MA. VIN # KMHJW34F5YU153524, Reg. # TA7129.

Motion to issue temporary license, permanent license pending approval by the Chief of Police by Nick Robertson. Seconded by John Foley. Approved 3-0.

Amend License

1. April Cabral Pitzner d.b.a. Atlantic House, 4-6 Masonic Place, represented by Attorney Ron Friese.

Pledge of Liquor License #100400057

Motion to approve by Cassandra Benson. Seconded by John Foley. Approved 3-0.

Renewal License

Lodging

1. Guy Plourde d.b.a. **The Black Pearl Inn**, 11 and 18 Pearl Street, Provincetown, MA.

2. Warren Lefkowich d.b.a. **West End Inn**, 44 Commercial Street, Provincetown, MA.

3. Carpe Diem, Inc., Rainer Horn, mgr., **Carpe Diem Guesthouse**, 12 and 14 Johnson Street, Provincetown, MA.

4. Inncorp, Inc., Park H. Davis mgr. d.b.a. **Benchmark Inn**, 6 Dyer Street, Provincetown, MA.

5. Inncorp, Inc., Park H. Davis mgr. d.b.a. **Benchmark Central**, 8 Dyer Street, Provincetown, MA.

6. Russ Olevsky d.b.a. **Moffett House**, 296A Commercial Street, Provincetown, MA.

Motion to approve the above six lodging renewals by John Foley. Seconded by Cassandra Benson. Approved 3-0.

Correspondence

Letter from Timothy McNulty of the Lobster Pot requesting permission to open two days earlier than its seasonal license.

Motion to grant permission by John Foley. Seconded by Cassandra Benson. Approved 3-0.

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Motion to approve by Nick Robertson. Seconded by Cassandra Benson. Approved 2-0-1.

Licensing Board Statements

Application for Alternate position on the Licensing Board from Richard McMaster.

Motion to accept by Cassandra Benson. Seconded by John Foley. Approved 3-0.

Discussion regarding the matter with Larry Grab. The Board members agree that the readers should be licensed. It is suggested that he could contact the Licensing Board to request a special meeting to accommodate a potential reader's schedule. Licensing Agent to write a letter to Mr. Grab reflecting their decision.

Other Business – any other business, which shall properly come before the board.

Bruce Van Allen and Charlie of Pedicab discuss the inspection of their bikes, selling coupon books, and physical exams for riders. Various suggestions were made, and the Licensing Board agreed to making changes to the Rules & Regulations to reflect these suggestions.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:30.