

MINUTES

of the Town of Provincetown Licensing Board

Regular Meeting Tuesday, December 14, 1999 in the Judge Welsh Meeting Room

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CONVENED: 5:00 p.m.

ADJOURNED: 6:50 p.m.

PRESENT: Carol Taylor (acting Chair), Jack Kelly, Diana Robertson

EXCUSED: Keith Brickel, Hunter O'Hanian

PUBLIC HEARING

To hear a petition for a new Sunday and Weekday entertainment license for coin operated amusement devices for **Buttery Realty Trust d.b.a. Zany** at 291 Commercial Street, Provincetown, MA.

Withdrawn without prejudice

PUBLIC HEARING

To hear a petition from L.P. Express, Inc. for a new common victualer's license for McNulty's 150 Marketplace at 150 Bradford Street.

Continued to December 28, 1999 meeting

PUBLIC HEARING - SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE

To hear a petition from the Provincetown Millennium Committee for a special entertainment license for a New Year's Eve party with dance and music (DJ). It will be held at the Town Hall at 260 Commercial, Street, Provincetown, MA on December 31, 1999 from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Continued to December 28, 1999 meeting

PUBLIC HEARING - SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE

To hear a petition from the Provincetown Year-Rounder's Festival organizers for a special entertainment license for various types of entertainment by local talent – includes dance, song and comedy. It will be held at the Town Hall at 260 Commercial, Street, Provincetown, MA on March 4, 2000 from 12:00 noon to midnight.

Continued to December 28, 1999 meeting

PUBLIC HEARING - SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE

To hear a petition from the Provincetown Lion's Club for a special entertainment license for Monte Carlo Night fund-raising event to be held at the Best Inn at 698 Commercial, Street, Provincetown, MA on Saturday, February 19, 2000 from 8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Peter Grosso represented the Lion's Club. No one spoke against the application; Alice Foley spoke in favor. Motion to approve by Diana Robertson seconded by Jack Kelly passed 3-0

WORK SESSION -

To provide a forum for the Police, the liquor licensees and the Licensing Board to discuss potential alternatives to the existing sting operations and present such alternatives to the Board of Selectmen for approval.

Approximately 30 people attended the work session – Board members, Police Chief Anthony and representatives of establishments holding liquor licenses. The sentiment expressed by many licensees was that the current sting operations create an adversarial position between the police and the businesses. It was stated that the establishments have the same objective as the police – they do not want minors being served. Police Chief Anthony does not object to alternative programs for monitoring serving to minors as long as whatever program is established deters minors from buying liquor and holds the establishments accountable. Several ideas were presented: Cops in Shops type programs, publicize in the papers those arrested for using fake ID's, have a detective work with the owners by making rounds in the establishments, ask establishments to sign a policy statement stating they will check ID's for anyone looking less than 30 and then send undercover but of legal age (close to 21) into establishments and record those who do or do not ask for an ID.

A task for consisting of the following individuals was set up in order to make some suggestions to recommend to the group: Chuck Silva, Larry Yahn, Napi VanDereck, Nils Berg, John Gainey, Hunter O'Hanian, Diana Robertson, Judith Oset and a police officer to be identified. The Board will determine the meeting date and time at a later meeting.

PUBLIC STATEMENTS - NONE

AGENDA ITEM—Request by John R. Woods, Inc. to leave his float at Float Space 3W in the water for the winter. **The Licensing Board felt that this is determined by the Selectmen. Motion to take no action by Diana Robertson seconded by Jack Kelly passed 3-0**

LICENSE RENEWALS

A. Lodging Houses

1. Brass Key Guest House, Inc. d.b.a. **The Brass Key** at 67 Bradford Street, 9 Court Street and 10 Carver Street.
2. James Franklin Foss, d.b.a. **Watership Inn** at 7 Winthrop Street
3. John P. Ransom and Michael Beattie d.b.a. **Ireland House** at 18 Pearl Street
4. Covgar II, LLC, d.b.a. **Christopher's By the Bay** at 8 Johnson Street
5. Ray Boylan and Stanley Wilson, d.b.a. **Six Webster Place** at 6 Webster Place
6. Van Ryan Enterprises, Ltd. d.b.a. **Grand View Inn** at 4 Conant Street
7. Kenneth F. Nelson, d.b.a. **Bradford-Carver House** at 70 Bradford Street
8. Samuel H. Graybill Jr., d.b.a. **8 Tremont Street**, at 8 Tremont Street
9. Samuel H. Graybill Jr., d.b.a. **6 Tremont Street**, at 6 Tremont Street
10. Seven Center Corp., d.b.a. **Heritage House**, at 7 Center Street
11. Inncorp, Inc., d.b.a. **The Ranch Guestlodge**, at 198 Commercial Street
12. Golon-Peternell, Inc., d.b.a. **The Archer Inn**, at 26 Bradford Street
13. Carl A. Gregor d.b.a. **Carl's Guest House** at 17 Court Street

Motion to grant by Jack Kelly seconded by Diana Robertson passed 3-0

B. Common Victualer with Entertainment

1. **Surf Restaurant, Inc.** at 315A Commercial Street
2. New Hop, Inc. d.b.a. **Mews Restaurant** at 429 Commercial Street.
3. Clambake, Inc., d.b.a. **Lobster Pot Restaurant** at 321 Commercial Street
4. Phyllis Schlosberg d.b.a. **Post Office Restaurant** at 303 Commercial Street

Motion to grant by Jack Kelly seconded by Diana Robertson passed 3-0

C. Innholders with Entertainment

1. April Cabral Pitzner, d.b.a. **Atlantic House** at 4-6 Masonic Place
2. Cape Inn Corporation, d.b.a. **Best Inn** at 698 Commercial Street

Motion to grant by Diana Robertson seconded by Jack Kelly passed 3-0

D. Common Victualer

1. Gregory Lambrou and Dennis Byrne, d.b.a. **Provincetown House of Pizza** at 50 Bradford St.
2. Long and Short of It, Inc. d.b.a. **Café Crudité** at 336 Commercial Street

Motion to grant by Jack Kelly seconded by Diana Robertson passed 3-0

E. Parking Lots

1. Duarte's Motors, Inc., d.b.a. **Duarte's Parking Lot** at 134 Bradford Street

Motion to grant by Jack Kelly seconded by Diana Robertson passed 3-0

CORRESPONDENCE - NONE

MINUTES - NONE

LICENSING BOARD STATEMENTS – CAROL TAYLOR STATED THAT THE WORK SESSION WAS INTERESTING AND A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR THE PARTICIPANTS TO EXPRESS THEIR IDEAS.

LICENSING AGENT STATEMENTS - NONE

OTHER BUSINESS – ANY OTHER BUSINESS WHICH SHALL PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE BOARD –NONE.

Motion to adjourn by Carol Taylor passed 3-0

LICENSING BOARD APPROVAL:

Hunter O'Hanian , Chairman

Jack Kelly

Diana Robertson

Keith Brickel

Carol Taylor, alternate