



Minutes

of The Provincetown Licensing Board Public Meeting on **Tuesday, April 10, 2012** at 5:15 p.m. in the Judge Welsh Meeting Room, Town Hall, 260 Commercial Street.

Present: Frank Thompson, Rebecca Matarazzi, AJ Petras, Scott Chovanec

Public Hearings

Special Entertainment/Special Liquor License – Continued from March 27, 2012 meeting

1. Petition from Stephen Frazee, representing ***Ragnar Events*** for a ***Special Entertainment License and Special Liquor License*** for an event to be held at the Jerome Smith Soccer Field on Saturday, May 12, 2012 from 11am until 7pm. No rain date requested. Arielle Messerely and Roger Chavette. Handouts distributed of the list of the event. Amplified system for announcer and recorded music. Alcohol is not allowed on Recreational fields. Will have a shuttle. **Rebecca Matarazzi moved to approve the special entertainment license only. Seconded by Frank Thompson. Approved 3-0.**

Special Entertainment/Special Liquor License

2. Petition from Stephen Frazee, representing ***Ragnar Events*** for a ***Special Entertainment and Special Liquor License*** for an event to be held in the field at 57 Winslow St. and on Motta Field on Saturday, May 12, 2012 from 8am until 10pm. No rain date requested. No shuttle required for Motta Field. Everything else stays the same as far as police detail, set up. Patricia Benatti voices concerns about crowd control and asks questions regarding where the entertainment will be and what the entertainment will be. Finish line will be on Motta Field and spectators will be on the field and not in the street. No bands, just recorded music. Todd Wagar speaks in favor. Will know which space by Monday. **Rebecca Matarazzi moved to approve special entertainment license only. Seconded by Frank Thompson. Approved 3-0.**

Special Entertainment

3. Petition from Laurie Roles, representing ***L Roles Fitness*** for a ***Special Entertainment License*** for an event to be held at Motta Field on Wednesday, August 8, 2012 from 3pm until 6pm. Rain date August 9, 2012. Todd Wagar representing Laurie. Drag kickball – performers/drag queens against the ptown kickers. Will have police detail. Fundraiser for H.O.W. \$5,000 was raised last year. Raffle. **Frank motion. 2nd Rebecca. 3-0.**

Special Entertainment/Special Liquor Licenses, Noise By-Law Waiver

4. Petition from Erin Atwood, representing ***Provincetown Business Guild*** for a ***Special Entertainment License*** on August 12, 2012 at Brass Key, 67 Bradford St., a ***Special***

Entertainment/Special Liquor License and Noise By-Law Waiver on August 13, 2012 at Bas Relief, a **Special Entertainment License** on August 14, 2012 at Watership Inn, 7 Winthrop St., and a **Special Liquor License** on August 15, 2012 in the Town Hall Auditorium. No rain dates requested.

Events for Carnival week - VIP/pool Party at Brass Key, opening party at Bas Relief, Celestial Soiree, Miss Richfield Emcee, waiting for act to confirm for concert at Town Hall.

Rebecca Matarazzi moved to approve. Seconded by Frank Thompson. Approved 3-0.

New Seasonal All Alcohol Restaurant License

5. Petition from Devon Ruesch, representing **Devon's** Restaurant for a **New Seasonal All Alcohol Restaurant License** at 401 ½ Commercial St., Provincetown, MA.

Mr. Ruesch wants to offer customers more variety of drinks. Limited drink list – approximately 6 different drinks that will be premade and served out of pitchers. Gary Reinhardt speaks in favor. Elaine Watt speaks in favor. Elena Hall reads letter into minutes voicing concerns about outside dining area – guest house is located at 400 Commercial St. Joel Harms speaks in favor. Robert Fila speaks in favor. Rebecca Matarazzi voices concerns regarding where storage is, hand washing, washing of glasses and shakers. Frank Thompson asks if servers will be TIPS certified – Mr. Ruesch states that he will make sure they all are. Alcohol will be stored in outdoor sheds.

Rebecca Matarazzi moved to approve on the condition that people drinking when they are dining at the restaurant and all bartenders are TIPS trained. Seconded by Frank Thompson. Approved 3-0.

New Seasonal All Alcohol Hotel License

6. Petition from Clifford Hagberg, representing **Sandcastle Resort and Club** for a **New Seasonal All Alcohol Hotel License** at 929 Commercial St., Provincetown, MA.

Linda Ersoy states that service at the snack bar closes the week after labor day for owners and registered guests. No bar inside. Snack bar is located outside near patio/pool area – 11am 8pm. Not open to the public. Two letters in opposition read into minutes. David P. was initially concerned that there was going to be a bar, dance club, restaurant – not concerned now hearing the plan. Benji Fox speaks in favor. Jeanne speaks in favor. Debbie Menangas explains the boundary area for alcohol service. Trying to make better for owners. No tables service, guests have id tags, Ms. Ersoy monitors the area. Snack bar has walls, windows, and door to lock up food and beverages. AJ Petras and Rebecca Matarazzi voice concerns regarding the floor plan area of service. Would like to see a menu and cups used, pour sizes.

Frank Thompson moved to continue to the April 24 meeting. Seconded by Rebecca Matarazzi. Approved 3-0.

Renewal License Liquor

1. 328 Commercial St., Joachim Sandbichler, mgr. d.b.a. **Patio**, 328 Commercial St., Provincetown, MA.

Motion to renew by Frank Thompson. Seconded by Rebecca Matarazzi. Approved 3-0.

Pedi cab

1. P-town Pedi Cab, Inc., Bruce Van Allen, mgr. d.b.a. **P-Town Pedi Cab**, 377 Commercial St., Provincetown, MA. Reg. #101, Light Blue; Reg. #102, Pink; Reg. #103, Purple; Reg. #104, Yellow; Reg. #105, Blue; Reg. #106, White.

Motion to renew by Frank Thompson. Seconded by Rebecca Matarazzi. Approved 3-0.

Common Victualer

1. Maria's Café, Inc., Maria Silva, mgr. d.b.a. **Café Maria**, 277A Commercial St., Provincetown, MA.

Motion to renew by Rebecca Matarazzi. Seconded by Frank Thompson. Approved 3-0.

Lodging

1. Helen Valentine d.b.a. **Valentine Guest House**, 88 Commercial St., Provincetown, MA.

Motion to renew by Frank Thompson. Seconded by Rebecca Matarazzi. Approved 3-0.

Transient Vendor

1. Francis Muldoon d.b.a. **Shell Designs**, 307 Commercial St., Provincetown, MA.

Motion to renew by Frank Thompson. Seconded by Rebecca Matarazzi. Approved 3-0.

New Business – Lix – Michele Jaffe current owner of I Dream of Gelato. Offering soft serve, frozen yogurt, smoothies. Hours 11am – 1pm. Amp/Art Market Ptown – Debbie Nadolney opening new gallery. May – October will be open and then become studio space. Also lives on the property. Will also be applying for Entertainment License. The Store – Benji Fox opening eclectic gifts store. Affordable items. First business in Provincetown. Living in town year round. JK Yoga – Jen Kopec opening yoga studio at the Whaler's Wharf.

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Motion to approve by Frank Thompson. Seconded by Rebecca Matarazzi. Approved 3-0.

Enforcement – Twist'd Sisters, Vorelli's, Blondie's issued citations for grease trap violations. All paid. Discussion regarding DEA investigation regarding bath salts. April 4th Gulf Station was found in possession. They have been informed that they can no longer sell them. 18 year old was at the Governor Bradford, Open container in car passenger and driver. Numerous OUI arrests – on the 29th person was served last at Governor Bradford, disturbance at Provincetown Inn, stolen vehicle. OUI on the 28th last place served A-house. OUI on the 28th – last drink served at the Underground. OUI on the 27th – last place served George's pizza.

Code Compliance – Discussion/explanation as to what is done at a bar check.

Licensing Board Statements – Al Petras will not be at the meeting on April 24th. Hopefully will be able to Skype in. ABCC training scheduled for May 4th.

Rebecca Matarazzi moved to adjourn. Seconded by Frank Thompson. Approved 3-0. Meeting adjourned 7:08.