

The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County...

Metro Beer Board **Meeting Minutes** October 23, 2024

Meeting Date/Location:

Wednesday, October 23, 2024 @ 5:30 P.M.

Howard Office Building

Sonny West Meeting Room

700 President Ronald Reagan Way,

Nashville, TN 37210

Start Time: 5:43 PM

End Time: 6:33 pm

BOARD MEMBERS	STAFF MEMBERS	OTHERS PRESENT
✓Mr. Brian Taylor, Chairperson ✓Kia Jarmon, Vice Chairperson □Mr. William Conway ✓Ms. Delfine Fox ✓Ms. Shani Glapion □Ms. Karolyn Perry □Ms. Bailey Spaulding ✓Mr. Matthew Garth, Attorney	✓Benton McDonough, Director ✓Terrence Darby Sr, Asst. Director ✓Douglas James Jr, ASO III □Darrell Hardrick Sr, ASO III □Melvin S Brown Jr, Special Assistant to the Director □Amanda Webb, Inspector III	

APPEAL OF DECISIONS

If you are not satisfied with a decision of the Metropolitan Beer Permit Board regarding your application or your hearing, you may appeal the decision to the Davidson County Chancery or Circuit Court pursuant to the requirements set forth in T.C.A. 57-5-108. The decisions of the Metropolitan Beer Permit Board take effect on a date to be determined by the board. However, you may file an appeal within 60 days of the date of entry of the board's decision. We advise that you seek your own independent legal advice to ensure that your appeal is filed in a timely manner and that all procedural requirements have been met.

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES AND CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER

Approval of the October 10, 2024, Minutes: Motion: Approve

Changes:

Approval By: First: Vice Chairperson Jarmon

Second: Ms. Fox

Opposed: None

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

A maximum of five (5) persons who write their names on the sign-up sheet provided at the meeting will be allowed to comment on matters that are relevant to items on the agenda. Comments are limited to a maximum of two (2) minutes per person. To provide comment, you must sign up prior to the beginning of the meeting.

Notes: No public comments were made

III. APPLICATIONS FOR APPR	ROVAL
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(1) DADS CB LLC, 2407 Dickerson Pike 37207, ETHEL'S TABERNACLE BAR	T23-28379
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #05)
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(2) BAR RIVIERA LLC, 604 Gallatin Ave #217 37206, CORAL CLUB	T24-28744
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #05)
(3) The Basement East, L.P., 917 Woodland St 37206, THE BASEMENT EAST	T24-28879
ON-SALE (EXPANSION)	(Dist. #06)
(4) International Tea and Coffee Company LLC, 1100 Fatherland St #104 37206,	T24-28999
INTERNATIONAL TEA AND COFFEE COMPANY	
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #06)
(5) High Spirited, LLC, 1101 Chapel Ave #103 37206, BUTTERLAMP BREAD & BEVERAGE	T24-28818
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #06)
(6) Red Lobster Restaurants LLC, 1814 Gallatin Pike N 37115, RED LOBSTER #0045	T24-28969
ON-SALE (CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #10)
(7) DELIRIUM WINE AND SPIRITS, INC., 2407 Felts Ave 37211, DELIRIUM WINE	T24-29065
AND SPIRITS	
WHOLESALES (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #16)
(8) Tacoma and Hoyt, LLC, 429 B Houston St 37203, JACKALOPE BREWING COMPANY	T24-29050
ON/OFF-SALE (CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #17)

(9) Tacoma and Hoyt, LLC, 429 B Houston St 37	203, JACKALOPE BREWING COMPANY	T24-29055
	GE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #17)
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(10) Bereaved Father's and Brothers, 2300 B Bra	nsford Ave 37204, BREAKAWAY	T24-29060
NASHVILLE		
SPECIAL (SPEC	CIAL EVENT NEW)	(Dist. #17)
October	11-12, 2024	
(11) 1910 Suite LLC, 1910 Belcourt Ave 37212, B	UNGALOW 10	T24-29046
ON-SALE		(Dist. #18)
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(12) SZND Belcourt LLC, 2000 Belcourt Ave 37212	•	T24-29056
ON-SALE (NE	EW LOCATION)	(Dist. #18)
(13) Vanderbilt University, 2700 Childrens Way 3	7212, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY	T24-29072
	CIAL EVENT NEW)	(Dist. #18)
Novem	ber 9, 2024	,
(14) Vanderbilt University, 2201 West End Ave 3	7212 VANDERRILT LINIVERSITY	T24-29073
SPECIAL SPECIAL	, 212, VANDERBIET GIVERSITT	(Dist. #18)
	ber 8, 2024	(130. 1110)
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(15) Halls Catch Nashville, LLC, 1600 West End A	ve #108 37203, HALLS CATCH	T24-28920
ON-SALE (NE	EW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
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(16) Halls Catch Nashville, LLC, 1600 West End A	•	T24-28921
DLVRYCRBSD (NE	EW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
(17) AVIATOR NATION INC, 401 12Th Ave S 3720	3, AVIATOR NATION	T24-28931
	EW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
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(18) Brothers Keeper Veteran Foundation Inc, 609 Lafayette St 37203, BROTHERS T24-29000 KEEPER VETERAN FOUNDATION			
SPECIAL (SPECIA	AL EVENT NEW) 14th, 2024.	(Dist. #19)	
(19) St Ann School, 5105 Charlotte Ave 37209, ST ANN SCHOOL FALL FESTIVAL 2024 SPECIAL October 26, 2024 T24-29039 (Dist. #24)			
(20) The Land Trust for Tennessee, Inc, 4000 Franklin Pike 37204, ONCE IN A BLUE MOON SPECIAL (SPECIAL EVENT OLD) (Dist. #25) October 26, 2024			
(21) Red Lobster Restaurants LLC, 5259 Hickory Hollow Pkwy 37013, RED LOBSTER #0365 T24-28987 ON-SALE (CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP) (Dist. #32)			
Notes:			
Motion: Approve First: Vice Chairperson Jarmon Second: Ms. Glapion	Opposed or Abstained: None		

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IV.	AFFLICATIONS TO	, DELEN HNDELHNITELL

(22) Leaders Group LLC. 496	69 Lebanon Pike 37138, SIR PIZZA OF HERMITAGE	T24-29068
ON/OFF-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #11)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	(=
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(23) Nashville Fried Chicken	LLC, 575 Stewarts Ferry Pike 37214, NASHVILLE FRIED	T24-29062
CHICKEN		
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #14)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(24) Schulte Caterina Nashy	ville Airport LLC, 2200 Elm Hill Pike 37214, SCHULTE	21-27131
CATERING NASHVILLE AIRF	·	21 2/131
ON-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #15)
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(25) Tacoma and Hoyt, LLC,	429 B Houston St 37203, JACKALOPE BREWING COMPANY	T24-29051
CATERER	,	(Dist. #17)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	,
(26) Tacoma and Hovt TTC	. 429 B Houston St 37203, JACKALOPE BREWING	T24-29054
COMPANY	, 123 B Houston St 37 203, Michael C British	12123031
MNUFACTURE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #17)
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(27) Vanderbilt University, 3	310 25Th Ave S 37212, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY	T24-29066
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT NEW)	(Dist. #18)
	November 7, 2024	,
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(20) (4) (4) (4) (4)		
• •	131 21St Ave S 37212, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY	T24-29071
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT NEW)	(Dist. #18)
	November 8-9, 2024	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	

(29) Vanderbilt University, 310 25Th Ave S 37212, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY		T24-29074
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT NEW)	(Dist. #18)
	November 10, 2024	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(30) HM Alpha Services Co., LLC, 1001 NASHVILLE	1 Broadway 37203, UNION STATION HOTEL	T24-29063
ON-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #19)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(31) HM Alpha Services Co., LLC, 1000	D Broadway 37203, GRAND HYATT NASHVILLE	T24-29064
ON-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #19)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(32) La Cucharita Inc, 15132 Old Hick	orv Blvd 37211. LA CUCHARITA	T24-29067
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #27)
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(33) Huntjos LLC, 5050 Linbar Dr 3722	11, HUNTJOS	T24-29076
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #30)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(34) AHTRST Concessions, LLC, 3800 E	Bedford Ave 37215, COURTYARD BY	T24-29058
MARRIOTT NASHVILLE GREEN HILLS		
CATERER		(Dist. #34)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
Notes:		
Motion: Defer indefinitely	Opposed or Abstained: None	
First: Vice Chairperson Jarmon		
Second: Ms. Glapion		

V. Bo	OARD DISCUSSION AND DECISION	ON	
(35) <i>Sip E</i>	ast LLC, 523 4Th Ave S 37210, SIP SOBR	0	T23-28606
ON/OFF-	SALE (NE	W LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
	COMMENDATION: Withdraw the applicant and verified the		
Notes:			
Motion:	Withdraw the application	Opposed or Abstained: None	
First:	Vice Chairperson Jarmon		
Second:	Ms. Glapion		

VI. HEARINGS

(36) Saleh Associates, 2610 CLARKSVILLE PIKE 37208, EZ MART

19-26316

OFF-SALE

(Dist. #02)

(Alleged violation of M.C.L 7.08.140C It is unlawful for any beer permit holder or his agent or employee to make or permit to be made any sale of beer to a person under twenty-one years of age. (1st Offense)

M.C.L 7.08.140R It is unlawful for any beer permit holder or his agent or employee to allow or engage in any criminal activity on the premises in violation of T.C.A 39-17-1504 - Sale or distribution to underage persons unlawful - Proof of age requirement - (a) It is unlawful for any person to sell or distribute any tobacco, smoking hemp, or vapor product to another person who has not attained twenty-one (21) years of age or to purchase a tobacco, smoking hemp, or vapor product on behalf of such person under twenty-one (21) years of age on or about June 14, 2024) (1st Offense)

COMPLAINANT: ASO III Darrell Hardrick Sr

ID VERIFIED: Visual ID Check

SUBPOENA: Ahmed Saleh (Co-Owner)

PRIOR VIOLATIONS: N/A

REINSPECTION: 30 – 90 Days

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: \$2000 Civil Penalty or 7 Day Suspension and 30 Days Probation.

Notes: Asst Director Terrence Darby recommended that this item be deferred to the next night meeting, November 20th, due to the Beer Board Inspector's absence.

Motion: Defer to the 11/20 meeting First: Vice Chairperson Jarmon

Second: Ms. Glapion

Opposed or Abstained: None

(37) 7-Eleven Inc., 4601 LEBANON PIKE 37076, **7-ELEVEN 41071H**

21-27237

OFF-SALE

(Dist. #11)

(Alleged violation of M.C.L 7.08.140C It is unlawful for any beer permit holder or his agent or employee to make or permit to be made any sale of beer to a person under twenty-one years of age. (1st Offense)

M.C.L 7.08.140R It is unlawful for any beer permit holder or his agent or employee to allow or engage in any criminal activity in violation of T.C.A 39-17-1504 - Sale or distribution to underage persons unlawful - Proof of age requirement - (a) It is unlawful for any person to sell or distribute any tobacco, smoking hemp, or vapor product to another person who has not attained twenty-one (21) years of age or to purchase a tobacco, smoking hemp, or vapor product on behalf of such person under twenty-one (21) years of age on the premises on or about July 29, 2024). (1st Offense)

COMPLAINANT: Special Assistant to the Director Melvin S Brown Jr

ID VERIFIED: Visual ID Check

SUBPOENA: Firas Abdulrazaq (Area Manager)

PRIOR VIOLATIONS: N/A

REINSPECTION: 30 – 90 Days

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: \$2000 Civil Penalty or 7 Day Suspension and 30 Days Probation

Notes: The person subpoenaed from 7-Eleven did not show up to the meeting. After a brief discussion, Chairperson Taylor entertained a motion to defer this hearing to the next night meeting on November 20th.

Motion: Defer to the 11/20/24 meeting

First: Vice Chairperson Jarmon

Second: Ms. Glapion

Opposed or Abstained: None

OFF-SALE

(38) NKK, LLC, 500 HICKORY HILLS BLVD 37189, GOLDEN BEAR #4

23-28167

(Dist. #03)

(Alleged violation of M.C.L 7.08.140C It is unlawful for any beer permit holder or his agent or employee to make or permit to be made any sale of beer to a person under twenty-one years of age. (1st Offense x2)

T.C.A 57-5-301(a)(1) Prior to making a sale of beer for off-premise consumption, state law requires identification for the sale of beer. (1st Offense x1)

M.C.L 7.08.140R It is unlawful for any beer permit holder or his agent or employee to allow or engage in any criminal activity on the premises in violation of T.C.A 39-17-1504 - Sale or distribution to underage persons unlawful - Proof of age requirement - (a) It is unlawful for any person to sell or distribute any tobacco, smoking hemp, or vapor product to another person who has not attained twenty-one (21) years of age or to purchase a tobacco, smoking hemp, or vapor product on behalf of such person under twenty-one (21) years of age. (1st Offensex2)

M.C.L 7.08.140R It is unlawful for any beer permit holder or his agent or employee to allow or engage in any criminal activity on the premises in violation of T.C.A 39-17-1504 - Sale or distribution to underage persons unlawful - Proof of age requirement - (d) A person engaged in the sale or distribution of tobacco, smoking hemp, or vapor products shall demand proof of age from a prospective purchaser or recipient if an ordinary person would conclude on the basis of appearance that the prospective purchaser or recipient may be under thirty (30) years of age on or about June 18, 2024). (1st Offense x1)

COMPLAINANT: ASO Darrell Hardrick Sr.

ID VERIFIED: No ID Check

SUBPOENA: Krishna Patel (Owner)

PRIOR VIOLATIONS: N/A

REINSPECTION: 30 – 90 Days

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: \$4000 Civil Penalty or 7 Day Suspension and 30 Days Probation.

Notes: Mr. Patel plead guilty to the violations with an explanation.

Individuals sworn in:

- 1. Terrence Darby (Beer Board)
- 2. Krishna Patel (Owner)

Assistant Director Terrence Darby informed the Board that Inspector Hardrick, who conducted the compliance check and wrote the report, was not present. Mr. Darby proceeded to read the report into the record.

Mr. Patel did not dispute the facts presented in the report. He apologized to the Board for the incident, explaining it resulted from one specific employee's mistake; that employee has since been terminated. He noted that the business has taken steps to prevent similar incidents in the future.

Mr. Darby informed the Board that an error appears to have occurred in the cited violations. The citation included two violations for failure to check ID—one for the sale of beer and one for the sale of tobacco—that should not have been issued. According to the Inspector's report, there was no mention of ID not being checked for both minors. This discrepancy originated from a text message sent to the group during the operation, which stated that ID was not checked for one of the minors.

Following a brief discussion with Metro Legal representative Mr. Garth, the Board determined that the ID-check violations and the corresponding civil penalties related to the one minor should be removed. Chairman Taylor then entertained a motion to remove the two ID-check violations and the associated civil penalties for not checking the one minor's ID. The Board voted unanimously to remove the two violations and civil penalties for the failure to check the one minor's ID.

Board members further discussed whether the sale of beer and tobacco should be compounded due to the fact that two individual minors purchased these items during the same transaction. Director Benton McDonough reminded the Board that, previously, an additional \$1,500 penalty was applied if beer was sold to a second minor. Following Board concerns, this practice was revised to count a second sale within the same transaction as an aggravated offense, resulting in an additional \$500 civil penalty, rather than treating it as a separate sale-to-minor violation.

After further discussion, Chairman Taylor called for a motion regarding the decision on the hearing. The Board voted unanimously to issue a \$1,500 civil penalty for the sale of beer to the two minors and a \$500 civil penalty for the sale of tobacco to the two minors.

Motion: Remove violations T.C.A Opposed or Abstained: None 57-5-301(a)(1) and M.C.L 7.08.140R; T.C.A		
39-17-1504(d) and civil penalty amounts		
\$500 each.		
First: Vice Chairperson Jarmon		
Second: Ms. Glapion		
Motion: Issue a \$2,000 civil penalty or the	Opposed or Abstained: None	
	Opposed of Abstailled. Notice	
option to serve a 7-day suspension		
followed by a 30-day probation period.		
First: Ms. Glapion		
Second: Vice Chairperson Jarmon		

VII.	ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS
Notes	: N/A
VIII.	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT
	: Director, Benton McDonough, provided a summary of the revenue report to the Board. The had no questions/concerns.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:33 PM.

X. NEXT MEETING INFORMATION

Next Beer Board Meeting:

Thursday, 11/7/24, at 12:00 P.M.

Location:

Metro Office Building 2nd Floor, Davidson Room 800 President Ronald Reagan Way Nashville, TN 37210

If any accommodations are needed for individuals with disabilities who wish to be present at this meeting, please request the accommodation through hubNashville at https://nashville.gov/hub-ADA-boards or by calling (615) 862-5000. Requests should be made as soon as possible, but 72 hours prior to the scheduled meeting is recommended.