

**St. Albans City Council
Liquor Control Board
Minutes of Meeting
Monday, February 11, 2019
City Hall, Council Chambers**

A regular meeting of the St. Albans City Liquor Control Board was held on Monday, February 11, 2019, at 6:30 pm in the City Hall Council Chambers.

Council Present: Mayor Tim Smith; Aldermen: Tim Hawkins, Chad Spooner, James Pelkey & Michael McCarthy & Alderwomen: Marie Bessette and Kate Laddison.

Council Absent: None absent.

Staff Present: Dominic Cloud, City Manager; Chip Sawyer, Director of Planning & Development; Marty Manahan, Director of Operations & Business Development; Tom Leitz, Director of Administration; Curry Galloway, City Clerk and Kristen Smith, Community Relations Coordinator.

Visitors: See attached sign-in sheet.

1. Call To Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:32 pm by Mayor Smith who presided.

2. Liquor License Renewals – Third Class Restaurant/Bar License to Sell Spirituous Liquors (Notification only, no approval necessary).

Ms. Galloway stated that two third class licenses were submitted for Shooter's Saloon and Twiggs

a. Fallyn G. Inc. – Doing business as Shooters Saloon – 30 Kingman Street.

b. Twiggsvt, LLC – Doing business as Ciao! – 28 North Main Street (Twiggs).

3. Minutes of previous meeting – Monday, December 10, 2018.

Ms. Galloway noted that the minutes from the December 10th meeting were previously approved and part of the regular City Council minutes as she did not warn a separate agenda for Liquor Control.

4. Other Business – Consideration of Blanket Approval Request.

a. See attached proposal letter to the director of the VT Department of Liquor Control.

Ms. Galloway proposed a blanket approval request. She noted that City's with condensed populations of restaurants and establishments such as Barre and Stowe, have created a request from the Department of Liquor Control to be able to put a sticker on each application. Ms. Galloway explained that if council approves, she could put a sticker on every application citing the warned meeting that the establishments were approved on and create a list of the establishments rather than hand out the applications in the packet. She noted that the Clerk in Barre does it annually and would require less signatures. Mr. Spooner asked if council would still approve the licenses but just would not need to sign. Ms. Galloway responded affirmatively.

A motion was made by Alderman Spooner; seconded by Alderwoman Laddison to approve the blanket approval request letter in the packet. Vote was unanimous, 7-0.

Mayor Smith asked if the dba, Ciao! for Twiggs is old. Ms. Galloway responded that it was their original corporation name.

Mr. Hawkins asked Ms. Galloway if she is still keeping track of violations. Ms. Galloway responded affirmatively.

Mayor Smith asked if a discussion could also take place to have all license holders on the same renewal date. Ms. Galloway responded that she is amenable to that.

5. Adjourn.

A motion was made by Alderman Hawkins; seconded by Alderman Pelkey to adjourn from Liquor Control Board at 7:37 pm. Vote was unanimous, 7-0.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kristen Smith
Community Relations Coordinator

Approved