



City of Memphis Alcohol Commission Minutes June 3, 2015

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- I. Call to Order** - The regularly scheduled meeting of the Memphis Alcohol Commission was called to order by Sergeant-At-Arms Officer Lake at approximately 9:17 a.m.
- II. Roll Call** - The following Commissioners were present: Billy Post, Barry Chase, Johnsie Wallace, and Sherman Greer. Alternate Commissioner Gloria Fouche was present. Commissioners Eugene Bryan, Erma Hayslett, Jared Johnson, Wayne West and Africa Gonzalez-McCloy were absent.
- III. Approval of the Minutes:** The minutes of the previous meeting were distributed electronically prior to this meeting. *Commissioner Greer made the motion that item #13 needed to add that the location was continued until the June 3, 2015 meeting. The motion passed. Commissioner Chase moved approval of the minutes of the May 20, 2015 meeting. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.*
- IV. Special Beer Applicant(s):**
1. Jane Kitchen – 5160 Pine Lake (Shelby Farms Park) – “**Mid-South Renaissance Faire**”
Date(s): **August 22-23, 2015 & August 29-30, 2015** – Time: **9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**
Sunday(s): Time: **12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**
Sponsoring Organization: **Mid-South Renaissance Faire, Inc.**
Purpose of funds: **Profit; 3 booth(s)**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
 2. Christopher Cade – 737 Harbor Bend (Mud Island) – “**Harbor Town 5K 2015**”
Date(s): **June 5, 2015** – Time: **5:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.**
Sponsoring Organization: **Phoenix Club of Memphis**
Purpose of funds: **Profit; 1 booth(s)**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
 3. Stacey Greenberg – 500 N. Pine Lake – “**Memphis Rock n Romp**”
Date(s): **June 13, 2015** – Time: **1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**
Sponsoring Organization: **Shelby Farms Park Conservancy**
Purpose of funds: **Charitable; 1 booth(s)**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.

4. Amy Goode – Broad Ave. (Water Tower Pavilion) – “**Broad Ave. 5K**”
 Date(s): **June 26, 2015 – Time: 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**
Rain Date: June 27, 2015 – 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.
 Sponsoring Organization: **Memphis Health Fitness Magazine**
 Purpose of funds: **Charitable; 1 booth(s)**
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.

5. Jared Bulluck – 1914 Poplar (Greensward) - “**Memphis Flyer’s 2015 Margarita Festival**”
 Date(s): **June 27, 2015 – Time: 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**
 Sponsoring Organization: **Volunteer Memphis, Memphis Flyer, Leadership Memphis**
 Purpose of funds: **Profit; 2 booth(s)**
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.

- 5a. Daniel Shaffer – 145 Lt. George W. Lee – “**Gipson Guitar 5K**”
 Date(s): **June 13, 2015 – Time: 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**
 Sponsoring Organization: **Start2 Finish Management Event**
 Purpose of funds: **Profit; 1 booth(s)**
Commissioner Greer moved to add this non-item to the agenda. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.
 Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.

- 5b. Daniel Shaffer – Tiger Lane – “**Memphis Stars & Stripes 5K**”
 Date(s): **July 3, 2015 – Time: 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**
 Sponsoring Organization: **Start2 Finish Management Event**
 Purpose of funds: **Profit; 1 booth(s)**
Commissioner Greer moved to add this non-item to the agenda. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.*

V. Violation(s):

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5 WITH priors:

6. Nargis Hudani – 12347 Hwy 64 - dba – “**Eads Gas & Grill**”
 Date of Violation: **Monday, March 23, 2015**
 Date Permit Approved: 02-06-2008
Prior Violation(s): 02-18-2012 (C-5, D-4); 07-24-2012 (C-5)
 Officer(s): Farmer #9910, Frazier #5330
 The owner and Attorney Bob Brandon stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$1,000.00 along with a 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine and probation.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-4 WITH priors:

7. Juvenal Perez – 1805 N. Germantown Pkwy. – El Porton of Cordova, Inc. – dba –
“El Porton Mexican Restaurant #8”
Date of Violation: **Friday, May 8, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 12-16-2003
Prior Violation(s): 09-21-2012 (D-2, D-4): 02-05-2013 (D-2)
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Beasley #0697
The representative didn’t have power of attorney. *Commissioner Greer moved to continue this item until the June 17, 2015 meeting. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.*

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5, D-4 WITH priors:

8. Mahmood Sarwar – 1760 N. Germantown Pkwy. – Pakmex International, Inc. – dba –
“La Hacienda Mexican Restaurant”
Date of Violation: **Friday, May 8, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 11-10-2002
Prior Violation(s): 09-21-2012 (D-2)
Officer(s): Taylor #1828, Calhoun #1637
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with a 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-1, C-4, and C-5 NO priors:

9. Victor Trejo – 5359 Winchester – EL Parral Mexican Restaurant & Cantina, LLC – dba –
“El Parral Mexican Restaurant & Cantina”
Date of Violation: **Saturday, May 9, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 12-17-2014
Officer(s): Taylor #1828, Calhoun #1637
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$700.00 along with a 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5, D-4 NO priors:

10. Anas Al-Deek – 4299 Winchester – dba – **“Z Market”**
Date of Violation: **Saturday, May 9, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 12-17-2014
Officer(s): Taylor #1828, Calhoun #1637
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with a 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine.

11. Mustafa Abdullah – 4835 Winchester – Rico 1 Stop, Inc. – dba – “Rico 1 Stop Shop”
Date of Violation: **Saturday, May 9, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 08-04-2010
Officer(s): Smith #2829, Pickens #4134, Galison #3148
The owner stipulated to the charges. *Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with a 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-5 NO priors:

12. Muhammad Subhani – 5295 Winchester – United Investment Group, II – dba – “Gas Express”
Date of Violation: **Saturday, May 9, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 02-04-2015
Officer(s): Smith #2829, Pickens #4134, Galison #3148
The owner stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with a 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-1 NO priors:

13. Circle K Stores, Inc. – 8971 Hwy 64 – Circle K Stores, Inc. – dba – “Circle K Store #8663”
Date of Violation: **Friday, May 8, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 11-10-2002
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Beasley #0697
The representative of Circle K stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The representative of Circle K agreed to the fine.

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C-4 NO priors:

14. Ishak Hassan – 692 Whitney – Teetrea, LLC – dba – “Minit Mart”
Date of Violation: **Saturday, April 25, 2015**
Date Permit Approved: 11-09-2007
Officer(s): Cope #11770, Martini #12088, Gant #11468, Holmes #12128
The owner stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Greer moved to lift the indefinite suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. Commissioner Greer moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 day probation or a 30 day suspension. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* The owner agreed to the fine.

VI. The following person(s) has applied to sell beer for “ON” premises consumption:

15. Taylor Berger – 3000 Broad - Memphis Coop - dba – “Rec Room”
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
16. Helen Hunter – 300 N. Second – Chesapeake Concession Management, LLC – dba – “Crowne Plaza”
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.

17. Dexter Phillips – 4645 S. Third – dba – **“Club Flex”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
18. Jeffrey Johnson – 83 Union – Main Street Restaurant Group, LLC – dba – **“Agave Maria”**
Jeffrey Johnson couldn’t appear so he had a representative by the name of Herb O’Mell to speak on his behalf. His power of attorney document was acceptable by Aubrey Howard. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
19. William Rice – 2491 Winchester – Anton Airfood, Inc. – dba – **“Ciao Market”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.

VII. The following person(s) has applied to sell beer for “OFF” premises consumption:

20. Hisham Sider – 1525 Cherry – Friends Grocery, Inc. – dba – **“AT-One”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
21. Amanullah Devji – 630 N. Highland – Highland Shell, Inc. – dba – **“Highland Shell”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
22. Billy Otieno – 3521 Lamar – B & G Express, LLC – dba – **“B & G Express”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Wallace seconded. The motion passed.
23. Adnon Osmon – 2771 Park – Hamdi, Inc. – dba – **“Park Gas Express”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.
24. Belal Al-Shugaa – 850 W. Raines – dba – **“Royal Kings Grocery”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.
25. Shabina Noorani – 6455 E. Shelby Dr. – Opes, LLC – dba – **“Hop In”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.
26. Alwalid Muthanna – 1707 Winchester – dba – **“Winchester Mart”**
Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws,
Commissioner Chase moved approval. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.

VIII. Liquor Store(s): Grandfathered Locación(s):

27. Joy Smith – 4624 Winchester – dba – “Midway Liquors”

Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverages laws, *Commissioner Chase moved approval for recommendation to the Mayor and the Mayor recommends to the State. Commissioner Greer seconded. The motion passed.*

IX. New Business:

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XI. Adjournment:

There being no further business to come before the commission, Commissioner Greer moved for adjournment at approximately 11:15 a.m. Commissioner Chase seconded. The meeting adjourned.

Billy Post, Chairman

Date

Aubrey J. Howard, Executive Secretary

Date