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SAFETY SERVICES & LICENSES COMMITTEE

Regular meeting of the Safety Services and Licenses Committee was held on Monday, February 7, 2022 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 869 Park Ave., Cranston, Rhode Island.

CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 6:02 P.M. by the Chair.

Present: Council Vice-President Robert J. Ferri
Councilwoman Lammis J. Vargas
Councilwoman Aniece Germain (appeared at 6:04 p.m.)
Councilman Richard D. Campopiano
Councilman Matthew R. Reilly, Vice-Chair
Councilwoman Nicole Renzulli, Chair
Council President Christopher G. Paplauskas

Also Present: Councilwoman Jessica M. Marino
Anthony Moretti, Director of Administration
John Verdecchia, Assistant City Solicitor
David Dimaio, City Council Budget Analyst
Rosalba Zanni, Acting City Clerk
Tom Lima, Video Technician
Heather Finger, Stenographer

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:

On motion by Councilman Reilly, seconded by Councilwoman Germain it was voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes to the last meeting and they stand approved as recorded. Motion passed unanimously.

I. COMMITTEE BUSINESS MATTERS CARRIED OVER

Café Day Restaurant and Bar (Carlos Santos)
(90 Day Follow-up) (Cont. from SSM 11/1/21)
****restrictions on license* (LQ&VIC Issued 1/11/22)***

326 Union Ave.

Carlos Santos appeared to speak and stated that he is not open yet because he is short with employees and will probably open in the next month.

Frank Manni, Esq., appeared to represent the applicant and stated that at the last meeting, the Committee placed restrictions on this license and the Committee this evening is voting to continue this for ninety days for review, but one of the things Carlos has mentioned to him when he was talking to him last week about this was that he plans on opening next month, but the other question was that Carlos had mentioned trying to do private functions and if that would be the case, they were looking to see if at this time it would be in order to ask for an extension regarding the hours of operation to allow him to stay open until midnight to accommodate private functions. Also, his client was limited to 60 capacity and he asked if it is in order to ask for more capacity as well as extended hours. Chair stated that, to her recollection, the amount of people has to do with the amount of parking. Council President Paplauskas stated that he would not be inclined to lift any restrictions this evening. For one reason, we have not seen how things are going since the applicant has not even opened yet and also this has not been advertised to be discussed or acted on this evening.

On motion by Council President Paplauskas, seconded by Councilman Reilly, it was voted to continue this item for 90 days, to the June meeting for review. Motion passed unanimously.

II. PUBLIC HEARINGS* and/ or NEW MATTERS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

A. PUBLIC HEARINGS

B. NEW MATTERS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

HOLIDAY SALES LICENSE

Doomed Records, LLC (Eric Browning)

2180 Broad St.

On motion by Council President Paplauskas, seconded by Councilwoman Vargas, it was voted to approve this

Eric Browning, 81 Shun Pike, Scituate, appeared to speak and stated that he plans to open a record and music merchandise store.

Councilwoman Vargas asked what the hours of operation will be. Mr. Browning stated that he plans to open Wednesdays thru Saturdays 12-7, Sundays 12-6 and closed Mondays and Tuesdays at this time. No one appeared to oppose.

Roll call was taken on motion to approve this license application and motion passed unanimously.

III. TRAFFIC ENGINEER

No Business.

IV. SHOW CAUSE

No Business.

V. POLICE DEPARTMENT

No Business.

VI. FIRE DEPARTMENT

No Business.

VII. LICENSE RENEWALS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

EXTENDED HOURS OF OPERATION LICENSE

CVS Pharmacy #1414

1195 Oaklawn Ave.

GRAVEL BANK LICENSE

P.J. Keating CO.

875 Phenix Ave.

HOLIDAY SALES LICENSE

Aldi, Inc. #36

1015 Cranston St.

Aldi, Inc. #39

1138 Pontiac Ave.

American Performance Petroleum

964 Cranston St.

Athleta #1705

79 Hillside Rd.

Atwood Greenhouses

700 Atwood Ave.

Banana Republic #1605

72 Hillside Rd.

BD Mart Inc.

1356 Cranston St.

Blooming Mad

1745 Broad St.

Bob's Stores #7

1400 Oaklawn Ave.

Central Beauty Supply

589 Reservoir Ave.

City Line Convenience Plus

1015 Narragansett Blvd.

Classic Liquors

1358 Plainfield Pike.

Colbea Enterprises, LLC d/b/a Seasons Corner Market

1207 Pontiac Ave.

Comstock Gardens

55 Council Rock Rd.

Dollar Tree #05804

1285 Reservoir Ave.

Dollar Tree #07804

819 Park Ave.

Dollar Tree #04792

1776 Plainfield Pike

Dollar Tree #01599

1400 Oaklawn Ave.

Durfee Hardware, Inc.

65 Rolfe Sq.

Edgewood Liquors

1992 Broad St.

Expo Nails

800 Oaklawn Ave.

Family Dollar #32418

570 Pontiac Ave.

Family Dollar #32225

480 Atwood Ave.

GAP #2237

81 Hillside Rd.

GNC #1995

1000 Chapel View

Garden Hills Fruit & Deli

763 Oaklawn Ave.

Golfers Warehouse, Worldwide Golf Shops LLC

60 Freeway Dr.

J.Jill

75 Hillside Rd.

<i>La Frontera Market</i>	<i>1522 Broad St.</i>
<i>LEV Enterprises, Inc.</i>	<i>1075 Park Ave.</i>
<i>Lowe's Home Centers LLC</i>	<i>247 Garfield Ave.</i>
<i>LOFT #956</i>	<i>83 Hillside Rd.</i>
<i>Lucky Mart, LLC</i>	<i>880 Oaklawn Ave.</i>
<i>MAB Liquors, LTD d/b/a Atwood Wine & Spirits</i>	<i>426 Atwood Ave.</i>
<i>Marshalls #102</i>	<i>1400 Oaklawn Ave.</i>
<i>National Pet Center</i>	<i>726 Reservoir Ave.</i>
<i>New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a AT&T Mobility</i>	<i>540 Reservoir Ave.</i>
<i>Ocean State Mobil</i>	<i>1282 Elmwood Ave.</i>
<i>Omaha Steaks</i>	<i>1000 Chapel View Blvd.</i>
<i>Pippin Apple Orchard</i>	<i>751 Pippin Orchard Rd.</i>
<i>Providence Diamond</i>	<i>65 Hillside Rd.</i>
<i>Quick Mart</i>	<i>164 Park Ave.</i>
<i>Rainbow #1489</i>	<i>242 Garfield Ave.</i>
<i>Rainbow #218</i>	<i>1200 Oaklawn Ave.</i>
<i>Reshan Inc. d/b/a Golf Mart</i>	<i>2148 Broad St.</i>
<i>Rossi's Tree Farm</i>	<i>1936 Phenix Ave.</i>
<i>Royal Eyebrow Threading</i>	<i>39 Phenix Ave.</i>
<i>Ruggieri Flooring, Inc.</i>	<i>1191 Pontiac Ave.</i>
<i>Ruthvi Inc. d/b/a Liquid Assets Fine Wine & Spirits</i>	<i>995 Pontiac Ave.</i>
<i>Sam's Food Store</i>	<i>460 Pontiac Ave.</i>
<i>Savers Mart</i>	<i>1025 Park Ave.</i>
<i>Sephora USA, Inc.</i>	<i>142 Hillside Rd.</i>
<i>Shree Maa of RI, Inc.</i>	<i>480 Pontiac Ave.</i>
<i>Sweenor's Chocolates</i>	<i>43 Hillside Rd.</i>
<i>Talbots #262</i>	<i>27-29 Hillside Rd.</i>
<i>The Children's Place</i>	<i>72 Hillside Rd.</i>
<i>The Color House</i>	<i>167 Reservoir Ave.</i>
<i>The Pool Source</i>	<i>40 Freeway Dr.</i>
<i>TJ Maxx #1228</i>	<i>20 Chapel View Blvd.</i>
<i>Twin Pine Farms</i>	<i>1884 Phenix Ave.</i>
<i>Walgreens #02850</i>	<i>1010 Park Ave.</i>
<i>Walgreens #03491</i>	<i>1763 Broad St.</i>
<i>Wines & More of RI, Inc.</i>	<i>125 Sockanossett Cross Rd.</i>

LEASING/RENTAL OF MOTOR VEHICLES LICENSE

<i>American Performance Petroleum</i>	<i>1006 Cranston St.</i>
<i>East Side Auto Leasing/Renting</i>	<i>2050 Plainfield Pike</i>
<i>Enterprise Rent A Car</i>	<i>275 Atwood Ave.</i>
<i>Ultra Motor Car d/b/a Brian's Auto Rental</i>	<i>1085 Cranston St.</i>

MASSAGE THERAPIST LICENSE

<i>Healing Elements (Courtney DiResto)</i>	<i>1050 Sockanosset Crossrd.</i>
<i>KML Therapy (Kristen Leporacci)</i>	<i>150 Midway Rd.</i>

MOBILE FOOD ESTABLISHMENT LICENSE

<i>Atomic Blonde Ice Cream</i>	58 Woodmont St.
<i>Del's Lemonade</i>	20 Kristin Dr.
<i>Galley Wagon LLC d/b/a The Village Greek</i>	21 Marcy St.
<i>Twisted T's LLC</i>	54 Lyman Ave.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE LICENSE

<i>Paul G. Hughes #495</i>	7 Eva Lane.
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SECONDHAND LICENSE

<i>2nd Time Around Sports</i>	453 Atwood Ave.
<i>Bruneau Antiques</i>	63 Fourth Ave.
<i>Christopher III</i>	151 Park Ave.
<i>House of Cards</i>	310 Atwood Ave.
<i>Providence Diamond</i>	65 Hillside Rd.
<i>Roman Jewelers</i>	1000 Reservoir Ave.
<i>Sports Heroes</i>	661 Oaklawn Ave.
<i>The Sneaker Spot, LLC</i>	310 Atwood Ave.

USED CAR LICENSE

<i>Airport Auto Radiator d/b/a Ranaldi Motors</i>	598 Atwood Ave.
<i>America Auto Body & American Auto Sales</i>	448 Dyer Ave.
<i>American Performance Auto Sales</i>	1006 Cranston St.
<i>Automart, Inc.</i>	1108 Park Ave.
<i>Autosports Sales and Collision Inc.</i>	640 Atwood Ave.
<i>Chestnut Hill Truck & Auto Sales LLC</i>	21 Calef St.
<i>Cranston Auto Ignition</i>	1152 Park Ave.
<i>East Side Auto Sales</i>	2050 Plainfield Pike
<i>Hillside Auto Sales</i>	44 Gansett Ave.
<i>Moretti's Auto Sales</i>	510 Atwood Ave.
<i>Pavilion Auto Sales, Inc.</i>	1211 Cranston St.
<i>R&A Auto Sales</i>	1171-1173 Park Ave.
<i>Rolando Catalan d/b/a Stamas Truck & Auto</i>	1045 Cranston St.
<i>Russo's Auto Sales</i>	519 Dyer Ave.
<i>Tasca Automotive Group LLC</i>	1300 Pontiac Ave
<i>The Car Lot Inc Annex</i>	1400 Plainfield Pike
<i>The Car Lot Inc.</i>	441 Dyer Ave.
<i>Ultra Motor Car d/b/a Gershkoff Auto Sales</i>	1085 Cranston St.
<i>Zinks Auto Sales & Service</i>	550 Atwood Ave.

VICTUALLING LICENSE (votes will be taken)

<i>City Line Convenience Plus</i>	1015 Narragansett Blvd.
<i>Cranston Street Corner Store</i>	1280 Cranston St.
<i>JJ Amadio LLC d/b/a Buono's Bakery Café</i>	567 Reservoir Ave.
<i>Sophie's Sweets LLC</i>	1458 Park Ave.

On motion by Council President Paplauskas, seconded by Councilman Reilly, it was voted to consider all the above-listed license renewal applications as a block. Motion passed unanimously.

On motion by Council President Paplauskas, seconded by Councilman Reilly, it was voted to approve all the above-listed license renewal applications as a block. Motion passed unanimously.

VIII. MONTHLY SCHEDULES

RHODES ON THE PAWTUXET

On motion by Councilman Reilly, seconded by Council President Paplauskas, it was voted to accept the list of events provided. Motion passed unanimously.

CRANSTON STADIUM

None

IX. MISCELLANEOUS

None.

- **PRESENTATION**

None.

- **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

/s/ Rosalba Zanni
Acting City Clerk