



Meeting Minutes

Beer Board

Tuesday, March 14, 2023

4:30 PM

Board Room

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Jason Potts called the meeting to order at 04:30 PM

Board Members Present: Gabrielle Hanson, Jason Potts, Clyde Barnhill

Board Members Absent:

Staff Present: Jessica Davey, Bill Squires, Angie Johnson

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. **Consideration Of Approval Of Minutes
February 14, 2023 Beer Board Meeting**

Sponsors:

A motion was made by Vice-Chair Hanson, seconded by Alderman Barnhill to Approve the February 14, 2023 Beer Board Minutes as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

2. **Consideration Of Application Of Westhaven Foundation, Inc, D/B/A, Whiskey Warmer, 4121 Golf Club Ln, Franklin, TN 37064, Amy Law, Managing Agent, For Special Event. Event Date And Hours: April 1, 2023 5:00 PM – 10:00 PM**

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Christy Bryan, Planner for Westhaven Foundation, was in attendance to answer any questions from the Committee. The Whiskey Warmer event has been a fundraising event for the foundation for about 8 years. Tickets for the event are sold in advance, and the event is limited to attendees who are 21 and over. The event is contained to a fenced area with security guards and ABC bartenders.

A motion was made by Alderman Barnhill, seconded by Vice-Chair Hanson to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

3. **Consideration Of Application Of Friends Of Franklin Parks, D/B/A, July 4th Fireworks Celebration, The Park At Harlinsdale Farm - TSC Arena And The Fenced Paddocks, 239 Franklin Rd, Franklin, TN 37064, Taylor Todd, Managing Agent, For Special Event. Event Date And Hours: July 4, 2023 4:00 PM- 10:00 PM**

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Taylor Todd, the Community Outreach and Engagement Coordinator for Friends of Franklin Parks, was in attendance to answer questions from the Committee. Friends of Franklin Parks partners with the City of Franklin for the July 4th Fireworks Celebration. There will be ABC licensed bartenders on-site, and the event

will be contained to the 8-acres of Harlinsdale Farm behind the concession stands.

Alderman Barnhill asks how long Friends of Franklin Parks has hosted this event?
Answer: 7 years.

A motion was made by Alderman Barnhill, seconded by Vice-Chair Hanson to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

4. **Consideration Of Application Of Friends Of Franklin Parks, D/B/A, Polo Match, The Park At Harlinsdale Farm - TSC Arena, 239 Franklin Rd, Franklin, TN 37064, Taylor Todd, Managing Agent, For Special Event. Event Date And Hours: July 22, 2023 4:00 PM - 10:00 PM**

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Taylor Todd, the Community Outreach and Engagement Coordinator for Friends of Franklin Parks, was in attendance to answer questions from the Committee. Friends of Franklin Parks partners with Franklin Polo Academy for this event. It will be manned by ABC licensed bartenders, and it will be contained in the 8-acre space behind the concession stands at Harlinsdale Farm.

A motion was made by Vice-Chair Hanson, seconded by Alderman Barnhill to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

5. **Consideration Of Application Of Friends Of Franklin Parks, D/B/A, 12th Annual Raise The Roofs And Polo Match, The Park At Harlinsdale Farm - TSC Arena And Hayes House Event Lawn, 239 Franklin Rd, Franklin, TN 37064, Taylor Todd, Managing Agent, For Special Event. Event Date And Hours: August 18, 2023 4:00 PM - 10:30 PM And August 19, 2023 4:00 PM - 11:30 PM**

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Taylor Todd, the Community Outreach and Engagement Coordinator for Friends of Franklin Parks, was in attendance to answer questions from the Committee. This is the 12th Annual Raise the Roofs event with the Franklin Polo Academy. It is a two-night event. Friday night is the polo match and sponsor appreciation night, and Saturday night is the main event by the Hayes House at Harlinsdale Farm.

A motion was made by Vice-Chair Hanson, seconded by Alderman Barnhill to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

6. **Consideration Of Application Of Studio Tenn Theater Company, D/B/A, One Night Only, The Factory - Liberty Hall, 230 Franklin Rd, Franklin, TN 37064, Catherine Birdsong Broyles, Managing Agent, For Special Event. Event Date And Hours: April 22, 2023 6:30 PM - 10:30 PM**

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Catherine Birdsong Broyles, Director of Development for Studio Tenn Theater Company, was in attendance to answer any questions from the Committee. One Night Only is the annual gala fundraiser for Studio Tenn. There will be ABC licensed bartenders provided by the catering company hosting the event.

A motion was made by Vice-Chair Hanson, seconded by Alderman Barnhill to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

7. Consideration Of Application Of TN Brothers LLC, D/B/A, Takumi Hibachi Sushi Lounge, 545 Cool Springs Blvd, Ste 195, Franklin, TN 37067, Yi Qiang Chen, Managing Agent, For On Premises Consumption

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Yi Qiang Chen, Managing Agent for Takumi Hibachi Sushi Lounge, was in attendance to answer any questions from the Committee. This is a new business in Franklin seeking a beer and liquor license for general operations.

Alderman Barnhill asks how many staff are on site? How many licensed bartenders do they anticipate having?

Answer: There are about 20 employees, and two will be bartenders.

Vice-Chair Hanson asks how many years the owners have been in the restaurant business serving alcohol?
Answer: 7 years.

A motion was made by Alderman Barnhill, seconded by Vice-Chair Hanson to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

8. Consideration Of Application Of Village Links II LLC, D/B/A, The Franklin Bakehouse, 100 E Main St, Franklin, TN 37064, Diane Bledsoe, Managing Agent, For On Premises Consumption

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Rusty Atwood, General Manager and Owner of The Franklin Bakehouse, was in attendance to answer any questions from the Committee.

A motion was made by Alderman Barnhill, seconded by Vice-Chair Hanson to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

9. Consideration Of Application Of Bunganut Pig Franklin Inc, D/B/A, The Bunganut Pig Pub And Eatery, 1143 Columbia Ave, Franklin, TN 37064, Mark Rindermann, Managing Agent, For On Premises Consumption

Sponsors: Revenue Management

Mark Rindermann, the new owner of The Bunganut Pig Pub and Eatery, was in attendance to answer questions from the Committee. As part of the standard background check procedure, Ms. Davey disclosed that the applicant had a DWI on his record from 25 years ago. There is no lookback period for this section of the Ordinance, so the Committee may deny the application for this offense 25 years ago. However, Ms. Davey proposes using a ten-year time frame for this type of offense moving forward as it is in other sections, which would suggest a recommendation for approval for this particular scenario. Alderman Barnhill suggests that this legislation be drafted for consideration at the next meeting.

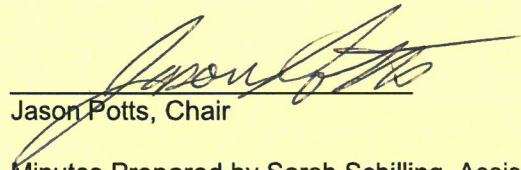
A motion was made by Alderman Barnhill, seconded by Vice-Chair Hanson to Approve the Beer Permit. The motion passed unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS

ADJOURN

A motion was made by Alderman Barnhill, seconded by Vice-Chair Hanson to Adjourn the Meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned @ 4:48 PM



Jason Potts, Chair

Minutes Prepared by Sarah Schilling, Assistant Deputy City Recorder, City Administrator's Office - 3/31/2023, 8:56 AM