

CARSON CITY LIQUOR AND ENTERTAINMENT BOARD

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A regular meeting of the Carson City Liquor and Entertainment Board was held during the regularly scheduled Board of Supervisors meeting on Thursday, June 2, 2016 in the Community Center Sierra Room, 851 East William Street, Carson City, Nevada.

PRESENT: Chairperson Robert Crowell
Member Karen Abowd
Member Brad Bonkowski
Member Lori Bagwell
Member Ken Furlong
Member Jim Shirk

STAFF: Nick Marano, City Manager
Sue Merriwether, Clerk - Recorder
Adriana Fralick, Chief Deputy District Attorney
Cheryl Eggert, Deputy Clerk
Kathleen King, Chief Deputy Clerk

NOTE: A recording of these proceedings, the Board's agenda materials, and any written comments or documentation provided to the Clerk, during the meeting, are part of the public record. These materials are available for review in the Clerk's Office during regular business hours.

9. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL (9:03:01) - Chairperson Crowell called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m., noting the presence of a quorum, including Member Ken Furlong.

10. PUBLIC COMMENT(9:03:08) - Chairperson Crowell entertained public comment; however, none was forthcoming.

11. POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVAL OF MINUTES - April 21, 2016 and May 5, 2016 (9:03:15) - Chairperson Crowell entertained suggested revisions and, when none were forthcoming, a motion. **Member Bonkowski moved to approve the minutes, as presented. Member Abowd seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**

12. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT, BUSINESS LICENSE DIVISION

12(A) POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE OBAID MOBALIGH, AS THE LIQUOR MANAGER FOR TALENTS ATHLETIC CENTER, LLC, LIQUOR LICENSE NUMBER 16-31293, LOCATED AT 2749 NORTH CARSON STREET (9:03:38) - Mayor Crowell introduced this item. Senior Permit Technician Lena Reseck reviewed the agenda materials, noting staff's recommendation of approval. (9:04:06) In response to a question, Obaid Mobaligh provided an overview of the Talents Athletic Center operations. He discussed plans for serving alcohol "only ... when the adults are playing. ... We don't want to do it while the kids are playing." In response to a question, Member Furlong discussed past experience with indoor soccer where "combined with alcohol, it really had a very negative impact on the environment around. And the challenge here is not so much for what occurs inside the business; it's what occurs outside the business as a result ..." Mr. Mobaligh advised that service will be limited to "two or three drinks ... And once they leave that place, they have to get out of the whole area. We have security for that. We want to make sure that everybody's safe."

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Mr. Mobaligh acknowledged he holds current liquor licenses at two other businesses in town. He advised of having prevented the sale of alcohol to minors since he has been in business. He acknowledged that he will stop selling alcohol if the safety of the children becomes an issue. Ms. Reseck advised that Mr. Mobaligh submitted an hours of operation schedule, outlining the times alcohol will be available for sale. Ms. Fralick acknowledged that the board could restrict and / or condition the license. Mr. Mobaligh discussed the center's schedule of activities, and reiterated, "We will not sell when the kids are playing." In response to a further question, he clarified that alcohol would be sold at special events, such as tournaments. In response to a further question, he advised that wrist bands would be issued to anyone purchasing alcohol with a limit to three drinks. Mr. Mobaligh assured the board, "We want to make sure that we control this. We do not want to ... expose the kids into this situation."

Chairperson Crowell entertained public comment. **Member Abowd moved to approve Obaid Mobaligh, as the liquor manager for Talents Athletic Center, LLC, liquor license number 16-31293, located at 2749 North Carson Street. Member Bonkowski seconded the motion.** Chairperson Crowell entertained discussion on the motion. Following a brief discussion, Member Abowd thanked Mr. Mobaligh for taking on Talents Athletic Center. Chairperson Crowell entertained additional discussion on the motion and, when none was forthcoming, called for a vote.

RESULT:	Approved [6 - 0]
MOVER:	Member Karen Abowd
SECOND:	Member Brad Bonkowski
AYES:	Members Abowd, Bonkowski, Bagwell, Furlong, Shirk, and Chair Crowell
NAYS:	None
ABSENT:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

12(B) POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE LEE AN CHANG, AS THE LIQUOR MANAGER FOR KING LEE, LLC, DBA PANDA KITCHEN AND SUSHI, LIQUOR LICENSE NUMBER 16-31410, LOCATED AT 1986 EAST WILLIAM STREET (9:19:39) - Chairperson Crowell introduced this item. Senior Permit Technician Lena Reseck reviewed the agenda materials, noting staff's recommendation of approval. Chairperson Crowell entertained public comment; however, none was forthcoming. (9:20:24) Lee An Chang provided background information on his recent purchase of the restaurant. Chairperson Crowell entertained questions or comments of the board members and, when none were forthcoming, a motion. **Member Bonkowski moved to approve Lee An Chang, as the liquor manager for King Lee, LLC dba Panda Kitchen and Sushi, liquor license number 16-31410, located at 1986 East William Street. Member Abowd seconded the motion.** Chairperson Crowell entertained discussion on the motion and, when none was forthcoming, called for a vote.

RESULT:	Approved [6 - 0]
MOVER:	Member Brad Bonkowski
SECOND:	Member Karen Abowd
AYES:	Members Bonkowski, Abowd, Bagwell, Furlong, Shirk, and Chair Crowell
NAYS:	None
ABSENT:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

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13. PUBLIC COMMENT (9:21:54) - Chairperson Crowell entertained public comment; however, none was forthcoming.

14. ACTION TO ADJOURN (9:22:02) - Chairperson Crowell adjourned the meeting at 9:22 a.m.

The Minutes of the June 2, 2016 Carson City Liquor and Entertainment Board meeting are so approved this _____ day of July, 2016.

ROBERT L. CROWELL, Chair

ATTEST:

SUSAN MERRIWETHER, Clerk - Recorder