



***Waltham City Council
Licenses and Franchises Committee
Minutes
Monday, March 18, 2019***

***Hoover Committee Room
City Hall, 610 Main Street
Waltham, Massachusetts***

Chairman Vidal called them meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Attendance

Present:

Carlos A. Vidal

William H. Fowler

Robert G. Logan

Daniel P. Romard

Thomas M. Stanley

Absent: None

Councillor Romard moved approval of minutes 3/4/2019. The motion was approved on a voice vote.

Chris Gamble announced that he was filming the meeting.

New matters:

Fuel Storage Colbea Enterprises, LLC - 65 Main Street

Councillor McLaughlin asked questions of Mr. Stephen Pedro who was representing the petitioner. Councillor McLaughlin asked questions about the layout of the site and about the size of the vehicles that would be using the site for diesel. Mr. Pedro said that large truck would not use this style of pump because it would take them too long to fill up. Councillor Fowler questioned the need for a license amendment and moved approval. Councillor Logan said the amendment was necessary and supported the motion for approval. The motion was approved on a voice vote and the license was reported out to the full council with a recommendation that it be approved.

Grant of Location Eversource - Grove Street

Councillor Logan moved to lay the matter on the table. The motion was approved on a voice vote.

Secondhand Dealers License renewal – 318 Moody Street – Marcou Jewelers

Secondhand Dealers License renewal – 471 Main Street – The Toolshed

Secondhand Dealers License renewal – 1019 Trapelo Road – GameStop #7772

Councillor Logan reviewed the ordinance and said that these renewals should be signed-off on by the Police Department. Councillor Logan asked that the Clerk send the applications to the Police

Chief for his review. The motion was approved on a voice vote. Councillor Logan moved to lay the matter on the table. The motion was approved on a voice vote.

Lodging House renewal – 11-13 Walnut Street – Martin Reilly Realty Trust

Lodging House renewal – 118-120 Robbins Street – Martin Reilly Realty Trust

Lodging House renewal – 20-22 Adams Street – Martin Reilly Realty Trust

Lodging House renewal – 44-46 Chester Avenue – Martin Reilly Realty Trust

Councillor Romard moved to act on the matters collectively. The motion was approved on a voice vote. Councillor Romard moved that the licenses be approved. The motion was approved on a voice vote and the licenses were forwarded to the full Council with a recommendation that they be approved.

Table Matters:

Grant of Location Eversource - Grove Street

Maureen Carroll from Eversource reviewed the Grant of Location. Councillor Romard moved approval. The motion was approved on a voice vote and the matter was forwarded to the full Council with a recommendation for approval.

Extended Hours DKD Inc, dba Veronica's 1074 Main St

Arvind Patel appeared for the petitioner. Councillor Diane LeBlanc asked questions about the hours of operation and pointed out a history of various violations at the store. Mr. Patel apologized for past violations and said the planned hours would be 5:30 am to 11:00 pm on weekdays and 6:00 am to 10:00 pm on weekends. Councillor Diane LeBlanc expressed concern about the number of smoking and vaping signs inside and outside of the store. Councillor LeBlanc asked if the store had had a final inspection after a renovation. Mr. Patel said they are working to schedule an inspection. Councillor Romard moved to lay the matter on the table. The motion was approved on a voice vote.

Councillor Fowler moved to adjourn at 8:00 pm. The motion was approved on a voice vote.

Respectfully submitted,
Joseph W. Vizard
Assistant City Clerk