

**City of Somerville  
Licensing Commission**

**Senior Center  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Tufts Administration Building  
167 Holland Street**

**Regular Meeting  
Monday  
September 16, 2019  
6:00 p.m.**

**Published on September 10, 2019 at 4:15PM  
Revised on September 12, 2019 at 6:45pm**

1. Minutes of August 19, 2019 Meeting

**Communications**

2. Commissioner Allen proposes a discussion and the adoption of the rough draft of the Standing Rules submitted by City Clerk John Long at the Somerville Licensing Commission Meeting on 4/8/19. This will be used as a starting point. Additions and finalized language will be discussed
  - 2a. Commissioner Allen to propose Marijuana Policies and Procedures including a discussion of the proposed rules. A vote will be taken on this proposal to implement the adoption of these Policies and Procedures
  - 2b. Chairman Lynch to propose Late Fees for Special Alcohol Applications and Late License Renewals
3. Mr. Grover Taylor has been notified to appear before the commission to discuss the closure of his restaurant Eat at Jumbo's Inc. d/b/a Sassafra located at 688 Broadway and his intentions with his license
4. Forklift Catering LLC notifying the Commission of a Wedding at Warehouse XI, to be held at 11 Sanborn Ct., on Saturday, September 7, 2019 from 5:30PM-10:30PM (Alcoholic Beverages served from Forklift Catering LLC). Notice received on 9/3/19

**Common Victualler**

5. Sarb LLC d/b/a Gaya Pizzeria  
8 Highland Ave.  
Shaumendu Barua  
M-Sun 10:30am-12am

\* New owner. Old owner Mikayel Balyan listed under: AL17-000306  
(AL19-000043)

### **Special Alcohol License**

6. Redbones BBQ, 55 Chester St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for Oktoberfest 2019 to be held Outdoors from Elm St. to Herbert St. on Sunday, September 29, 2019 from 12:00pm – 6:00pm with a rain date of 10/06/19  
(PEL19-000186)  
*\* Continued from the August 19, 2019 meeting*
7. Comicazi, Inc., 407 Highland Ave. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for a LadiesCon After Party, to be held Indoors at 407 Highland Ave. on Saturday, September 21, 2019 from 8:00pm – 11:30pm  
(PEL19-000187)
8. Notch Brewing Mobile Biergarten, 283R Derby St., Salem MA requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Dia de los Muertos to be held Outdoors in front of Taza Chocolate, 561 Windsor St. on Saturday, October 26, 2019 from 12:00pm – 5:00pm with a Rain Date of 10/27/19  
(PEL19-000193)
9. Edom Lipton, 4 Athol St., Allson, MA requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for “Labyrinth” A Mixed Media Art Event to be held Indoors at 62 Bow St. on Saturday, September 28, 2019, from 6:00pm – 9:00pm  
(PEL19-000196)
10. The Pub, 682 Broadway requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for the Ball Square Festival to be held Indoors and Outdoors in front of the Pub at 682 Broadway on Sunday, September 22, 2019 from 12:00pm – 5:00pm, with a Rain Date of 9/29/19  
(PEL19-000200)
11. Brooklyn Boulders, 12A Tyler St. Broadway requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for Somerslam 2019 to be held Outdoors in the courtyard area on the Somervova campus between Brooklyn Boulders and Aeronaut Brewing Co on Saturday, September 21, 2019 from 6:00pm – 8:00pm, will move indoors if it rains  
(PEL19-000204)
12. Groundwork Somerville, 1205 Hancock St., Quincy, MA requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages

for the Groundwork Somerville Harvest Gala to be held Outdoors at 138 South St. Farm on Friday, September 27, 2019 from 5:00pm – 8:00pm  
(PEL19-000206)

13. Sally O'Brien's LLC d/b/a Sally O'Brien's, 335 Somerville Ave. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for the Fluff Festival to be held Outdoors in a Small, self-contained beer garden on Saturday, September 21, 2019 from 3:00pm – 7:00pm with a Rain Date of 9/22/19  
(PEL19-000207)
14. Bull McCabe's Corp. d/b/a Bull McCabes's, 366A Somerville Ave. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for the Fluff Festival to be held Indoors and Outdoors on Saturday, September 21, 2019 from 3:00pm – 7:00pm with a Rain Date of 9/22/19  
(PEL19-000210)
15. Hellenic Association of Somerville d/b/a Dormition of Virgin Mary Church, 29 Central St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for the Kechris Wedding Reception to be held Indoors in the Upper Hall at 29 Central St. on Saturday, October 12, 2019, from 5:00pm – 10:00pm  
(PEL19-000213)
16. Bow Market Entertainment, LLC 337 Somerville Ave. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for Bow Market Fall and Winter Festivities! to be held Indoors and Outdoors in locations in the courtyard at Bow market and indoors from existing businesses on Friday, 10/11/19, Saturday, 10/19/19, Saturday, 10/26/19, Friday, 11/1/19, Saturday, 11/9/19, Friday, 11/29/19, Sunday, 12/1/19, Saturday, 12/7/19, Sunday, 12/8/19, Tuesday, 12/31/19 from 12:00pm – 10:00pm, with Rain Dates of 11/20/19 & 11/27/19  
(PEL19-000215)  
*\* if approved, the Special Alcohol Licenses issued in 2019 will Total 27 (30 day yearly Max. per ABCC)*
17. Artisans Asylum, 10 Tyler St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for an Artisans Asylum 2 ½ Hour Cocktail Reception for a Retirement Celebration to be held Indoors at 10 Tyler St. on Sunday, September 22, 2019, from 6:00pm – 8:30pm  
(PEL19-000216)
18. TBD Brewing LLC d/b/a Aeronaut Brewing Co., 14 Tyler St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for a Carolicious Launch Party to be held Outdoors at 14 Tyler St. on Saturday, October 12, 2019, from 12:00pm – 12:00am  
(PEL19-000220)

19. TBD Brewing LLC d/b/a Aeronaut Brewing Co., 14 Tyler St. requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the purpose of dispensing and/or selling alcoholic beverages for a Oktoberfest to be held Indoors and Outdoors at 14 Tyler St. at a small outdoor service point in the courtyard on Saturday, October 19, 2019, from 12:00pm – 12:00am (PEL19-000221)

**Existing Alcohol License**  
**City License**  
**All Forms Alcohol Restaurant**  
**Assembly Row Area**  
**Change of Manager**

**Continued from the August 19, 2019 Meeting**

20. American Multi-Cinema, Inc. d/b/a AMC Theaters Assembly Row 12, 395 Artisan Way requesting approval for a Change of Manager from Kevin Hunt to David Barth (ALM19-000018)

**NEW Alcohol License**  
**City License**  
**All Forms 7 Day Restaurant License, Common Victualler,**  
**Entertainment by Devices and Patrons**  
**& Sunday Hours License**

**ENHANCEMENT Area**  
**Chapter 142, Acts of 2016**

**For Abutters 3 Day Notification**

21. Gorakhkali, LLC d/b/a Darbar Grill, 236 Elm St. requesting approval for a NEW All Forms 7 Day Alcohol Restaurant License – Enhancement Area, a Common Victualler License, an Entertainment by Devices and Patrons License and Sunday Hours License *Previously Punjabi Grill – AL17-000236*

Food Service Hours – Mon-Sat: 11am-10pm & Sun: 11am-11pm

Alcohol Service Hours – Mon-Sat: 11am-10pm & Sun: 11am-11pm

(AL19-000039)

*Applicant requested to place this item on the Agenda and Advertised for September 16, 2019 meeting to comply with the 3 day abutters notification requirement (Originally on August 19, 2019 Agenda)*

**NEW Alcohol License**  
**City License**  
**Wine and Malt Alcohol Restaurant License,**

**ENHANCEMENT Area**  
**Chapter 142, Acts of 2016**

**Previously approved for an All Forms reduced to a Wine & Malt License**

22. NLP 280 Elm Street Davis Square, LLC d/b/a Oath Craft Pizza, 278 Elm St. requesting approval for a NEW Wine and Malt Alcohol Restaurant License – Enhancement Area Food Service Hours – Mon-Sun: 8am-11pm  
Alcohol Service Hours – Mon-Sat: 10:30am-11pm & Sun: 12pm-11pm  
*\*Previously approved for an All Forms Alcohol License (City Quota License) Reduced to a Wine and Malt License, with the provision that the applicant would apply for a new Wine & Malt License when available – AL17-000092, (currently has a Common Victualler License under this License #)*  
(AL19-000040)

**NEW Alcohol License**  
**City License**  
**All Forms Alcohol 7 Day Restaurant License,**  
**Common Victualler and Entertainment by Devices Licenses**

**ENHANCEMENT Area**  
**Chapter 142, Acts of 2016**

23. Happy Crab of Chen LLC d/b/a Happy Crab, 1137 Broadway requesting approval for a NEW All Forms 7 Day Alcohol Restaurant License – Enhancement Area, a Common Victualler License and an Entertainment by Devices License  
Food Service Hours – Mon-Fri: 3pm-10pm, Sat: 12pm-11pm and Sun: 12pm-10pm  
Alcohol Service Hours Mon-Fri: 3pm-10pm, Sat: 12pm-11pm and Sun: 12pm-10pm  
*\*Previous owner at this address: Ayo LLC d/b/a Amelia's Cucina (AL17—000259, City Quota License. Previous owner will return their All Forms Alcohol License if this application is approved and the alcohol license is issued to the new owner)*  
(AL19-000040)

**LATE ITEMS**

24. HONK! Festival - Charlo Maurer, 100 Jackson St., Cambridge MA 02140 requesting approval of a Special Alcohol License for the HONK! Festival to be held Outdoors in a large tent at The Art Farm, 10 Poplar St. on Saturday, October 12, 2019 and Sunday, October 13, 2019 from 6:00pm – 1:00am  
(PEL19-000225)