The License Commission held its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, June 15, 2017, in the G.A.R. Room at City Hall. Present were Chairman Henry Tartaglia; Commissioners Harold Marrow and Joao DeAndrade; License Agent Lt. Kenneth LeGrice; Administrative Assistant Bonnie Tucker and Synthia Olivier.


A motion was made by Commissioner Marrow to approve the license which motion was seconded by Commissioner DeAndrade and made unanimous by vote of Chairman Tartaglia.

2. Requests for Special One-day Permits:

(a) **Wines and Malt Beverages** – Mosaic Arts & Culture – Denise Baker Inegbenebo, Manager, for a birthday party to be held at Gallery 33 – 33 Dover Street on Saturday, June 17, 2017, from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight.

Present was Denise Baker Inegbenebo, who is president of Mosaic Arts & Culture and resides at 288 Chatham West Drive, Brockton and Arnie Danielson of 603 Summer Street, Brockton who is the manager of the gallery that will be used.

This will be a birthday party with not more than 60 people and will be set up for a cocktail environment with a little bit of wine and cheese and a little bit of Nigerian home done food. Mr. Danielson stated that they have suitable parking on site and in-house security and are looking forward to the event.

Lt. LeGrice asked who the birthday party was for and Ms. Baker Inegbenebo stated that the party was for her. The Mosaic has been closed for almost 2 years so it's a combo celebration; her birthday and the reopening of the Mosaic as she is a cancer survivor now and they are going to reopen to do mosaic arts.
A motion was made by Commissioner DeAndrade to approve the license which motion was seconded by Commissioner Marrow and made unanimous by vote of Chairman Tartaglia.

(b) **Wines and Malt Beverages** – Ann’s Palace – Rose C. Andre, Manager, for a Father’s Day Gala to be held at 275 Main Street, on Saturday, June 17, 2017, from 7:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight.

No one showed to appear and Ms. Tucker read the report from the Fire Department which did not recommend the granting of the permit. There is also an issue with the Board of Health paperwork. Councilor Anne Beauregard stated that Ms. Andre was at the meeting earlier and she did not know why she left.

3. Hearing on the request from Club National Franco American – Mark Webby, President, 170 Court Street, to serve alcoholic beverages on the grounds outside the Club during the annual chicken and steak bake scheduled on Saturday, June 17, 2017, from 12:00 noon to 9:00 p.m.

Present was Mark Webby of 175 North Elm Street, West Bridgewater. Currently the president of the club and is asking for a one day liquor license from 12:00 noon to 9:00 p.m. The event will be held in a fenced in area located at the back of their property. They expect about 60 people and this is an annual event that's been done for the last 30 years. Beverages are served in a plastic cup and there has never been an prior problems with this event.

A motion was made by Commissioner Marrow to approve the license which motion was seconded by Commissioner DeAndrade and made unanimous by vote of Chairman Tartaglia.

4. Hearing on the request from Campello Veteran Firemen’s Association – James Badgio, Manager, 224 Clinton Street, to serve alcoholic beverages on the grounds outside the Club for the Annual Chicken Bake to be held on Saturday, September 9, 2017 from 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m. (Raindate: Sunday, September 10th)

Present was James Badgio of 770 Whitman Street, Hanson, that requested they extend their liquor license to the parking lot for one day as they do every year, same time. They expect 150-200 people. It's fenced in and everything is in plastic cups and there's never been a problem since he has been there.

A motion was made by Commissioner Marrow to approve the license which motion was seconded by Commissioner DeAndrade and made unanimous by vote of Chairman Tartaglia.

5. Hearing on the request from Brockton Post 1046 V.F.W. – James Doherty, Manager, 283 North Quincy Street, to serve alcoholic beverages on the grounds outside the Club during the following events:
• **Car Show** – Saturday, July 29, 2017 – 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m.
• **Annual Family Day Picnic** – Saturday, August 19, 2017 – 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m.
• **Golf Tournament Reception** – Saturday, September 23, 2017 – 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m.

*Will be heard at June 29, 2017 Special Meeting*

6. Hearing on the request from Brockton Fair Caterers, Inc. – George Carney, Jr., Manager, to amend the Entertainment license at the Brockton Fairgrounds to include a Concert and Rodeo on Sunday, July 30, 2017, from 1:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Chairman Tartaglia handed Commissioner Marrow letters from 22 neighbors and abutters to be read into the record that thanked Mr. Carney for the improvements made relating to the Brockton Fair. There is an amendment that the event will be from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Lt. LeGrice stated he thought the end time should be 8:00 p.m. like the last two events held on a Sunday night and that he did not understand why the beer tents were staying open for an extra hour on a Sunday night. What happens is that they gather in the parking lot. Lt. LeGrice suggested the beer tents also close at 8:00 p.m. Ms. Tucker stated that the license allows them to stay open until 11:00 p.m. In fact, she thought the license was until midnight and that is controlled by the state. So the board does not have the jurisdiction to state the end time. Lt. LeGrice's concern is that they are staying longer in the parking lot and you (the board) could control the end time by restricting the entertainment license and that would solve the problem.

Present representing Brockton Fair was Phil Boyle of 489 Turnpike Street, South Easton, who stated that he had no problem with 9:00 p.m. closing. Commissioner Marrow asked Mr. Boyle if he would be willing to close earlier to alleviate any potential problems and Lt. LeGrice asked for an 8:00 p.m. end time for the entertainment/music. Mr. Boyle opined that he thought the music was loud and that is was from the boom boxes, not the stage or the band they are bringing in. He stated they met with the production company and told them no more boom boxes. There are 3 bands and they play 2 hours each.

Mr. Boyle stated he didn't want to go beyond 8:30 p.m. because it's getting dark. Lt. LeGrice stated that they are going to have over 3,000 people getting out of the parking lot on a Sunday night and complaints from neighbors. Mr. Boyle stated the he would agree to close the beer stands at 8:00 p.m.

Ms. Tucker pointed out that there is a list of restrictions that have to be agreed to and that all cars have to be shut off with radios off and that it is the fairgrounds responsibility to ensure the restrictions are followed and the police are their to enforce them. Lt. LeGrice
stated that he will have officers directing traffic out of the parking lots and he will make sure to attend Roll Call to hand out assignments and pointed out that this is not his job but the patrol supervisor who is in the detail office.

Commissioner Marrow suggested announcements be made to turn boom boxes off and Lt. LeGrice stated that he will take care of that inside.

Phil Boyle went on to say that cars will be parked on the black top for this event and he is concerned about people drinking in the parking lot and having glass from broken bottles and said that the police can help with that, as well. Mr. Boyle agreed to 8:00 p.m. close for the beer stands and 8:30 p.m. close for entertainment

A motion was made by Commissioner Marrow to approve the amended license with the stipulated changes which motion was seconded by Commissioner DeAndrade and made unanimous by vote of Chairman Tartaglia.

7. Hearing on the request from Florencio Lopes dba Morabeza – 581 Main Street, to serve alcoholic beverages on the grounds outside the Club for the Annual Chicken Bake to be held on Saturday, September 9, 2017 from 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m. (Raindate: Sunday, September 10th).

Present was Florencio Lopes of 61 Hancock Street, Dorchester who stated that he expects 100-200 people that will be held in the back enclosed by a fence and he will have security there. Lt. LeGrice recommended that they have at least 2 police officers from 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m. Ms. Tucker pointed out that the time should be 3:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Commissioner DeAndrade asked Mr. Lopes if he had this event last year and how many people showed up. Mr. Lopes responded that he had around 90 people last year.

Chairman Tartaglia asked how many people he expected and was told 100-200. They are planning 4 events; July 4th, July 22nd, August 12th and September 2nd. Lt. LeGrice reminded Mr. Lopes that the back of the property abuts a residential neighborhood and Mr. Lopes said that he has not received noise complaints in the past. Ms. Tucker stated that the License Commission was not contacted for noise complaints. Lt. LeGrice recommended one detail officer at each event based upon 100 people and stated to Mr. Lopes that he needed to be amenable if he is told he needs another detail officer because there are 200 people in attendance.

A motion was made by Commissioner Marrow to approve the license which motion was seconded by Commissioner DeAndrade and made unanimous by vote of Chairman Tartaglia.

There will be a Special Meeting of the License Commission on Thursday, June 29, 2017 in the G.A.R. Room, City Hall at 5:00 p.m.
With no further business to come before the Commission, a motion was made by Commissioner Marrow to adjourn the meeting which motion was seconded by Commissioner DeAndrade made unanimous by vote of Chairman Tartaglia.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Milligan for Bonnie Tucker