



WESTMINSTER LIQUOR COMMISSION
WESTMINSTER TOWN HALL

Room 112
11 South Street, Westminister, Massachusetts 01473

LIQUOR COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
MAY 15, 2023

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2023 MAY 30 AM 9:41
TOWN OF WESTMINSTER

Members in Attendance: Gary McDonald, Allison Streeter, Michael Denzer

Guests in Attendance:

Wachusett Brewery – Matthew Quinlan., Angela Jackson, Karen Breton, Attorney for WBC
Caroline O’Connell
Westminister Pharmacy – Joe Serio
Others – Jahan Manasseh – 15 Willard Rd

Meeting was called to order at 4:05 pm

NEW BUSINESS:

WACHUSET BREWING Co., LLC (WBC)

Wachusett Brewing Co’s Attorney provided an application for transfer of stock and change of license manager(s). The paperwork was received without the abutter return receipts. Gary asked where the notices are? Atty O’Connell said she believes Tami Chiarelli (Exec Asst for Town) has them. Gary asked how many were sent out and the list. Answer was 10 or 12. A list of abutters was not provided in the package. Gary asked when the return receipts were sent out and the response was 10 days ago. The physical newspaper notification was also not provided in the packet and only the statement receipt from the Worcester Telegram & Gazette was provided.

Jahan Manasseh spoke about the noise during the weekend concerts with decibels reaching 60-65. He requested the bands be held within the building and noted that the WBC is zoned as an Industrial Zone 1. The information was taken under advisement and noted. This should be referred to the Board of Health and Zoning Boards. Mathew Quinlan (WBC) said he would speak to the WBC Board of Directors about this issue.

Based on the prior meeting, approval from the Liq. Comm., voted unanimously to approve the request of Transfer of Stock, Change of Officer and Change of License Manager.

Addendum: Atty O’Connell provided the Abutter list and return receipts after the May 15th meeting.

WESTMINSTER PHARMACY

Westminster Pharmacy provided a package for change of Manager and Change of Officers/Directors LLC Manager.

The package included abutter notifications and newspaper articles and sent out within the required 10 days. The Liq Comm members voted to approve with a unanimous consent 3-0

OLD BUSINESS:

None

Meeting adjourned at 4:51 pm

Prepared by Gary McDonald

Exhibits:

Wachusett Brewing Co Amendment packet to Liquor License

Westminster Pharmacy's Amendment packet to Liquor License
