

**LIQUOR AND BEER MEETING
LOCAL LICENSING AUTHORITY
CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO
MUNICIPAL HEARING ROOM, CITY HALL, 250 NORTH 5TH STREET**

**MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2020, 2:00 P.M.**

HEARING OFFICER SAM D. STARRITT

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m. Those present were Hearing Officer Sam Starritt, City Attorney John Shaver and Deputy City Clerk Janet Harrell.

II. APPLICATIONS TO RENEW LIQUOR AND BEER LICENSES

1. Just B.E., LLC dba Barons, 539 Colorado Avenue, Grand Junction, CO 81501, Tavern and Outdoor Dining Lease
2. TRG Hospitality, LLC dba La Cabra Cantina, 421 Brach Drive, Grand Junction, CO 81507, Hotel & Restaurant
3. Rush Corporation dba Kokopelli Liquors, 2996 D Road, Grand Junction, CO 81504, Liquor Store and Tasting Permit

Hearing Officer Starritt read the renewals into the record and verified with Ms. Harrell the applications were in order. He asked if anyone was present to speak against any of the renewal applications. There was no one. Renewal applications #1 through #3 were approved.

III. APPLICATIONS TO RENEW LIQUOR AND BEER LICENSES WITH LATE FILING

1. SAL, Inc. dba Fiesta Guadalajara-GJ, 710 North Avenue, Grand Junction, CO 81501, Hotel & Restaurant – **3 days late**

Hearing Officer Starritt verified with Ms. Harrell the application was in order. Hearing Officer Starritt read the letter submitted by Fiesta Guadalajara CFO Derrick Draper explaining the late filing. Hearing Officer Starritt found good cause for the late filing and approved the renewal application.

2. Namaste Nepal Restaurant, LLC dba Namaste Nepal Restaurant, 2692 Highway 50, Spaces L & N, Grand Junction, CO 81503, Hotel & Restaurant – **21 days late**

Owners Ram and Bishal Thapa were present.

Hearing Officer Starritt verified with Ms. Harrell the application was in order and read the letter submitted by co-owner Ram Thapa explaining the late filing. Mr. Ram Thapa provided further explanation. Hearing Officer Starritt found good cause for the late filing and approved the renewal application.

IV. APPLICATIONS FOR CHANGE IN CORPORATE STRUCTURE

1. Famous Dave's Ribs, Inc. dba Famous Dave's, 2440 US Hwy 6 & 50, Grand Junction, CO 81505, Hotel & Restaurant

CFO/Secretary James G Gilbertson, 3709 Dunbar Knoll, Brooklyn Park, MN 55443
Replaces CFO/Secretary Paul Malazita

Hearing Officer Starritt verified the application was in order and asked if anyone was present to speak against the application. There was no one. The application to change corporate structure was conditionally approved contingent on approved background checks.

2. FER Services, LLC dba Garlic Knot, 637 24 ½ Road, Grand Junction, CO 81505, Hotel & Restaurant

Managing Member Mohammad Iftikhar, 18655 E Loyola Place, Aurora, CO 80013
Replaces Managing Members Ryan Mizushima and Masi Khaja

Hearing Officer Starritt verified the application was in order and asked if anyone was present to speak against the application. There was no one. The application to change corporate structure was approved.

V. APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT

1. Holy Family Elementary School, 786 26 ½ Road, Grand Junction, CO 81506, "Holy Family Gala - 2020", 786 26 ½ Road, Grand Junction, CO 81506 on April 4, 2020 from 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Principal: Jake Aubert, 715 Estates Blvd, Grand Junction, CO 81506
Event Manager: Jennie Aubert, 715 Estates Blvd, Grand Junction, CO 81506

Holy Family Elementary School Development Coordinator and Event Manager Jennie Aubert and Gala Planner Tonja Kuper-Renaldo answered questions about the event location, security and how it will be conducted lawfully. Hearing Officer Starritt asked if anyone was present to speak against the Special Event Application being issued; there was no one. Hearing Officer Starritt entered Exhibits "A" and "B" (attached) into the record.

Hearing Officer Starritt found that pursuant to Colorado State Statute 44-5-106, there are no grounds to deny the special event permit; it would not be injurious to the public welfare because of the nature of the special event, its location within the community, or the failure of the applicant in a past special event to conduct the event in compliance with applicable laws. The application for a special event permit submitted

by Holy Family Elementary School for the “Holy Family Gala - 2020” was in order and approved.

VI. OTHER BUSINESS

There was none.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING – March 4, 2020

SPECIAL EVENT PERMIT
QUESTIONNAIRE AND AFFIDAVIT

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1. Name of Event: Holy Family Gala
2. How many attendees are expected? 290
3. Has the event been held in the past? If so, how many years? 10
4. Have there ever been any violations or citations issued during the event in the past?
NO
5. Describe the premises at which the event will take place (attach diagram).
The event will take place in the Holy Family gym.
6. What type of and how many security will be provided?
Citadel Security - we have hired 2 security guards for the evening from 4:30-10:30pm.
7. Describe the Security Control Plan (use additional sheet if necessary).
Two hired security guards from Citadel Security will patrol the premises to ensure that the event is in full compliance with event ordinances.
8. How will security personnel be identified?
They will be in uniform
9. If this event is an outdoor event, how will the exterior boundaries of the premises be marked (i.e., roped, fenced, etc.)?
~~###~~ We will have a bar outside, blocked off under a tent (see diagram)

10. What method of age verification will be used (i.e., at the door, at the bar, etc.) and how will underage patrons be identified so as not to be served alcohol beverages (i.e., stamp or mark on the hand, etc.)?

This is a stand over event

11. How will the conduct and level of intoxication of attendees be monitored and by whom?

Monitoring will be conducted by Fisher Liquor bartenders as well as hired security.

12. Have the volunteers or members of your organization been trained in the sale/service of alcohol beverages?

Yes

13. What other types of beverages and food/snacks will be available?

Fully catered sitdown dinner will be served along with non-alcoholic beverages.

14. Does this organization (applicant) have a State and City Sales Tax Number ? If so, provide those numbers below. If not, what is the application submission date?

98-03109-0000

I hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, that the information provided to the Grand Junction Liquor Licensing Authority contained in this questionnaire/affidavit is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature

Janice Gulut

Date

1/21/20

STATE OF COLORADO)
COUNTY OF MESA) SS.
CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of January, 20 20.

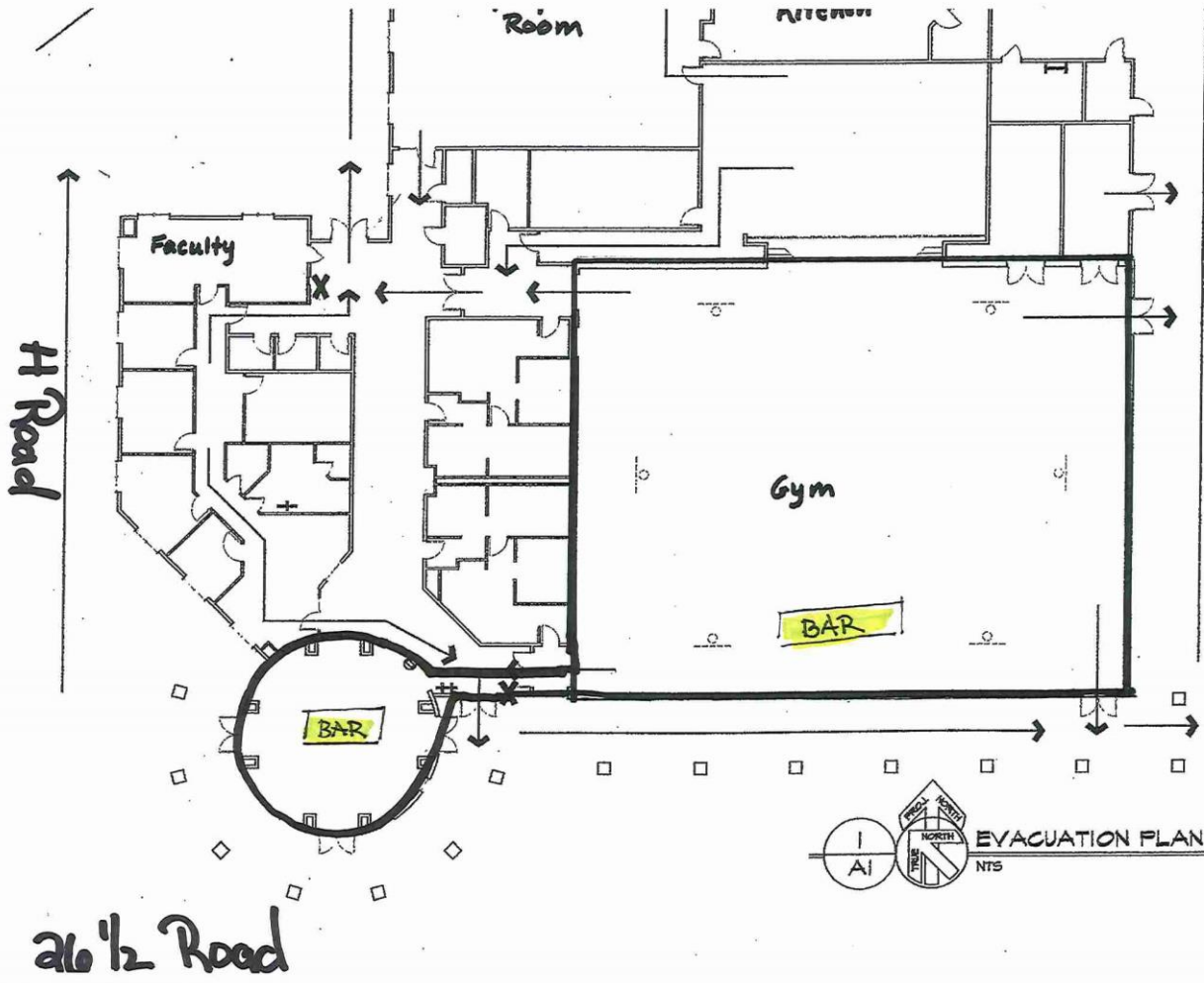
Witness my hand and official Seal.

Notary Public

March 09 2021
My commission expires

Christopher J Klein
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF COLORADO
My Commission Expires 03/09/2021
My Notary ID: 20174010699

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EVACUATION PLAN
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216 1/2 Road