

**LIQUOR AND BEER MEETING
LOCAL LICENSING AUTHORITY
CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO
CITY/COUNTY AUDITORIUM, 520 ROOD AVENUE**

M I N U T E S

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1994, 8:00 A.M.

- I. **CALL TO ORDER** - The meeting convened at 8:09 a.m. Those present were Phil Coebergh, Hearing Officer, John Shaver, Assistant City Attorney, and Stephanie Nye, City Clerk.

II. **APPLICATIONS TO RENEW LIQUOR AND BEER LICENSES**

- A. Mark's Markets, Inc. dba Go-Fer Foods First Street, 102 North Avenue (3.2% Beer) - The application was in order, and approved.
- B. Mary H. Davis dba This Is It Grocery, 215 S. 11th Street (3.2% Beer) - The application was in order, and approved.
- C. Feed Lot, Inc. dba The Feed Lot, 118 Main Street (Hotel-Restaurant)
The application was in order, and approved.

III. **APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF CORPORATE STRUCTURE**

- A. Feed Lot, Inc. dba The Feed Lot, 118 Main Street (Hotel-Restaurant)

Rodney E. Woods replaces Linda Kerschner George as Secretary/Treasurer, Linda Kerschner George replaces Gena Harrison as Vice President. Rodney E. Woods becomes a 25% Stockholder.

City Clerk Stephanie Nye stated that the Police Department report indicates that the new officer Rodney Woods has had three DUI's since 1991. Mr. Woods indicated on his Individual History Record that he was convicted of two DUI's and one DWAI, and had a suspended license.

Assistant City Attorney John Shaver stated that statute relative to persons who may be prohibited as liquor licensees refers to any person who is not of good moral character as being a prohibited licensee. Research by Mr. Shaver shows that there is a case annotation to Statute 12-47-111 that says alcohol convictions are not offenses of moral turpitude, and not a basis for denial of a license. The question still remains as to whether or not multiple offenses do rise to the level of being not of good moral character or moral turpitude. He suggested that the change of corporate structure be approved at this time while Mr. Shaver does further research to see if there is any law that would support the proposition that multiple convictions do rise to the level of not being of good moral character. He will report back to the Hearing

Officer.

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The Hearing Officer approved the change in corporate officer and stated that if it is determined that Mr. Woods would not be an appropriate licensee, it will be dealt with at that time.

IV. APPLICATIONS FOR SPECIAL EVENTS

- A. Application by the Grand Junction Downtown Association for a 3.2% Fermented Malt Beverage Special Events Permit to be held January 26, 1994 from 4:00 p.m. to 12 midnight at 645 Main Street, for the Toby Keith concert.

Barbara Creasman, Downtown Development Authority Director, was present representing the Downtown Association. The City Clerk stated that the application was in order. Beer will be served at the Avalon Theater at 645 Main Street in conjunction with the Toby Keith concert. The application was approved.

- V. ADJOURNMENT** - The meeting was adjourned at 8:16 a.m.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING - January 19, 1994