

**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, MARCH 16, 1994, 8:00 A.M.**

- I. CALL TO ORDER - The meeting convened at 8:05 a.m. Those present were Hearing Officer Philip Coebergh, Assistant City Attorney John Shaver, and Deputy City Clerk Teddy Martinez.

II. APPLICATIONS TO RENEW LIQUOR AND BEER LICENSES

- A. Teller Arms Liquor, 2353 Belford Avenue (Retail Liquor Store)

Bob and Mary Crigger were present. The Police Department report was read into the record stating that Amy M. Crigger was arrested on January 3, 1990, for a liquor violation. Costs of \$56.00 were paid and the charge was amended to disorderly conduct.

Mr. Bob Crigger stated that Amy Crigger was not arrested. She was issued a summons. He explained that one of his regular customers had made a purchase from Teller Arms Liquor, then went to the business next door and passed out. The Police were called, the customer was taken home, and then the Police returned to Teller Arms Liquor and cited Amy Crigger for selling to a drunk patron. The customer was not exposed to any test at that time to determine whether he was drunk or not. It was discovered later that the customer had been using drugs and was having a reaction when he entered the business next door. The District Attorney's office reduced the offense to "disorderly conduct" with no fine, only court costs, and stated the alleged offense would be dropped. Mr. Crigger did not feel that an incident that took place four years ago should now affect his renewal application.

The Hearing Officer explained that the normal procedure is to go ahead and approve the application at the local level. The Police Department reported this incident to the Local Licensing Authority at this time, and was therefore made a part of the record. He did not feel that a four year old report would affect this renewal. The application was approved. If a problem should arise, a hearing would be conducted at a later date.

- B. Hilltop Liquor Store, 1563 Highway 50 South (Retail Liquor Store)

The application was in order, and approved.

**III. APPLICATIONS FOR CHANGE IN CORPORATE STRUCTURE**

- A. DOS, Inc., dba Dos Hombres Restaurant, 421 Brach Drive, Hotel-Restaurant Liquor License -  
Dropping Maureen Howard from the license and adding Richard L. Watson as Secretary of the Corporation

The application was in order, and approved subject to the return of the fingerprint card on Richard L. Watson.

**IV. APPLICATION TO REGISTER MANAGER**

- A. Application by General Mills Restaurants, Inc., dba Red Lobster #685, 575 24-1/2 Road, to register Gregory S. Nelson as manager of its Liquor License

Gregory Nelson and Deanna Teets were present representing General Mills Restaurants, Inc. The application was in order, and approved subject to the return of the fingerprint card on Gregory S. Nelson.

**V. APPLICATIONS FOR SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT**

- A. Application by Lower Valley Hospital Association dba Family Health West, for a Malt, Vinous and Spirituous Liquor Special Events Permit for the annual fund-raiser, the Red Baron Ball, on April 23, 1994, at Liff Auditorium, Mesa State College -

A letter from Family Health West regarding the need for this facility was entered into the record. Assistant City Attorney John Shaver stated that the statutory requirements were reasonably met by the letter submitted. The application was in order, and approved.

- B. Application by the Grand Junction Downtown Association for a 3.2% Beer Special Events Permit on April 23, 1994, from 10:00 a.m. to midnight, for the annual Chili Cookoff, in the 500 and 600 blocks of Main Street, including 6th Street north and south to the alleyways -

Wendy Schade representing the Downtown Association was present. A letter from the Downtown Development Authority regarding the need for this facility was entered into the record. Assistant City Attorney John Shaver suggested that for all future applications, more information be provided as to the availability of other facilities that may reasonably meet the needs as is required pursuant to the statute. The application was in order, and approved.

The Hearing Officer suggested providing an instructional list or a copy of the State Statute to applicants for special events permits so the requirement can be met more satisfactorily.

**VI. APPLICATION FOR NEW LICENSE**

- A. Application by Harley and Caryl Rudofsky for a Hotel-Restaurant Liquor License at 314 Main Street under the name of Crystal Cafe and Bake Shop

The report regarding the survey results was read into the record (copy attached). Mr. Rudofsky conducted the survey personally. Harley and Caryl Rudofsky were present. Mr. Rudofsky stated that the main purpose for providing liquor is to complement the food that will be served. They do not intend to set up a bar area. The business will be open for breakfast and lunch. Mr. and Mrs. Rudofsky expect to open by April 15 or 20, 1994.

There was no one present speaking in opposition to the application. The application was in order, and approved locally to be forwarded to the State level for final approval. A Resolution of approval will be drawn up for the Hearing Officer's signature.

**VII. ADJOURNMENT**

**NEXT REGULAR MEETING - April 6, 1994**