

Minutes
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
City of Baton Rouge and Parish of East Baton Rouge
Regular Meeting, Thursday, March 23, 2023 4:30 p.m.
9048 Airline Highway, Second Floor

- I. **Call to Order-** The regular scheduled meeting of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board was called to order by Chairman Brad Cranmer at 4:35pm.
- II. **Roll Call-** Mrs. Phillis Johnson called the roll. Members present were, Mr. Brad Cranmer Mr. Anthony Lascaro, Mr. Xavier Hoskins, Mr. Chase Shelton, Mr. George Krause, Ms. Pamela Sandoz, & Mr. Scott Wilfong.

Members absent were, Mr. Walter McLaughlin & Mr. Chase Tettleton.
ABC staff member present were, Mrs. Phillis Johnson, Ms. Lynn Long, Miss. Cheryl Goudy, Agent Durbin, Agent Montgomery, Agent Reeves & Agent Graham.
- III. **Invocation-** None
- IV. **Pledge of Allegiance-** Led by Mr. Hoskins.
- V. **Introductions and Acknowledgments-** None
- VI. **Adoption of the Minutes from the March 9, 2023 meeting.** Motioned by Mr. Shelton and seconded by Mr. Lascaro to approve the minutes. Hearing no objections, the motion passed.
- VII. **Public Comment Note:** Public comments may be made on all agenda items. None
- VIII. **Review**
 - A. **Approved. Dark 30 LLC d/b/a Dark 30**, 151 3rd Street Suite 1B, review the Notice of Intent application to allow the business to proceed with a Class A Beer & Liquor license. Motioned by Mr. Wilfong and seconded by Ms. Sandoz to approve. Hearing no objections, the motion passed.
Councilwoman Carolyn Coleman – District 10
 - B. **Approved. Pedros Baton Rouge 1, LLC d/b/a Pedros Tacos & Tequila Bar**, 7655 Andrea Dr Suite B1, review the Notice of Intent application to allow the business to proceed with a Class A Beer & Liquor license. Motioned by Mr. Shelton and seconded by Mr. Lascaro to approve. Hearing no objections, the motion passed.
Councilman Dwight Hudson – District 9
 - C. **Approved. Skal Covington LLC d/b/a Skal Axe Throwing**, 1027 W. Lee Drive, review the Notice of Intent application to allow the business to proceed with a Class A Beer & Liquor license. Motioned by Ms. Sandoz and seconded by Mr. Krause to approve. Hearing no objections, the motion passed.
Councilwoman Jennifer Racca – District 12
- IX. **Opposition Hearings-** None
- X. **Hearings-** Motioned by Mr. Shelton and seconded by Mr. Lascaro to move pass the Hearings Section (sec. X) and move on to **Business Applications**.
 - A. **Approved. Citation #4390** issued to **Tim’s Inc. d/b/a Tim’s Food Mart**, 824 N. Ardenwood Drive for violation of the Wine, Beer & Liquor Ordinance, **Section 9:1013(6)** – Operating without a permit; **Section 9:1013(4)** – Allowing unlicensed persons to perform services (2 Counts). The alleged violations occurred on February 28, 2023.

Agent Montgomery and Agent Durbin gave a brief description of the violation that occurred prior to the citation being issued. Motioned by Mr. Wilfong and seconded by Ms. Sandoz to find the violation did occur and to assess the fine of \$1,750.00, also to suspend the business license until paid. Hearing no objections, the motion passed.

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XI. Business Applications – Permanent License, Motioned by Mr. Wilfong and seconded by Mr. Lascaro to consolidate Business Application items A-D. Hearing no objections, the motion passed.

Motioned by Ms. Sandoz and seconded by Mr. Krause to approve Business Application items A-D. Hearing no objections, the motion passed.

- A. Consolidated/Approved. DV Food Mart LLC d/b/a DV Food Mart**, 7175 Plank Road, Class B Beer & Liquor license.
Councilwoman Carolyn Coleman – District 10
- B. Consolidated/Approved. New Orleans Sips LLC d/b/a SIPS**, 4225 Nicholson Drive Suite 104, Class A Beer & Liquor license.
Councilwoman Jennifer Racca – District 12
- C. Consolidated/Approved. Thor II LLC d/b/a Mulberry Market**, 8201 Village Plaza Court Unit 1B, Class B Beer & Liquor license.
Councilwoman Laurie Adams – District 11
- D. Consolidated/Approved. Kal 3 Inc. d/b/a Super K Meat Market**, 8818 Scotland Avenue, Class B Beer & Liquor license.
Councilwoman Chauna Banks – 2

XII. Pending Litigation- None

XIII. Administrative Matters - None

XIV. Adjourn - There being no further business, A motion was made by Ms. Sandoz and seconded by Mr. Shelton to adjourn. Hearing no objections, the meeting was adjourned at 4:49pm.