

**Local Liquor Control Commission and Regular City Council Meeting July 12, 2022
(Tuesday, July 12, 2022)**

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Commissioners present:

Commissioner Tom Grant, Commissioner Carolin Harvey, Commissioner Adam Loos, Commissioner Ginger Rye Sanders, Commissioner Jeff Doherty, Commissioner Lee Fronabarger, and Chairperson John M Henry

Meeting called to order at 6:01 PM

1. Preliminaries to the Local Liquor Control Commission Meeting
Procedural: 1.1 **Roll Call**

2. Citizens' Comments for the Local Liquor Control Commission

3. General Business of the Local Liquor Control Commission

Action: 3.1 **Local Liquor Control Commission Meeting Minutes from May 24, 2022**

MOTION: Approve the minutes from the Local Liquor Control Commission meeting of May 24, 2022

Motion by Carolin Harvey, second by Lee Fronabarger.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Tom Grant, Carolin Harvey, Adam Loos, Ginger Rye Sanders, Jeff Doherty, Lee Fronabarger, John M Henry

Action: 3.2 **Consideration of the Hearing Officer's Report and Recommendation In RE: the Matter of Side-Traxx, LLC d/b/a Traxx in Case#2022-02**

Webb Smith was present to represent the Licensee, Side-Traxx, LLC d/b/a Traxx. Mr. Smith noted that these charges were in relation to occurrences in 2021, reviewed the events relating to these charges, and that the mitigation factors were not in place at the time of these violations. He noted that hand stamps are no longer used and that two employees involved have been released from employment. Further, he referred to the number of false IDs that had been confiscated and remarked on the efforts to cooperate with the police department. Mr. Smith noted that there are other items coming before the Commission related to Traxx and that he found it problematic that these persons received immunity.

Commissioners asked about the timeframe of violations for the upcoming charges, which minors were involved with this case versus the case immediately preceding this case, the entry age for bars, and indicated a desire to not have charges from 2021 brought back before the Commission.

Scott Sanders suggested changing the entry age to prevent this issue from occurring.

MOTION: Reject the Hearing Officer's Report and dismiss the charges.

Motion by Adam Loos, second by Ginger Rye Sanders.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Tom Grant, Carolin Harvey, Adam Loos, Ginger Rye Sanders, Jeff Doherty, Lee Fronabarger, John M Henry

Action: 3.3 Application for the Issuance of a Not-for-profit Special Event Retailer's License to the Rainbow Café LGBTQ Center

MOTION: Approve the issuance of a not-for-profit Special Event Retailer's license to the Rainbow Cafe LGBTQ Center for the Southern Illinois Pride Fest on October 1, 2022, between the hours of 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Motion by Adam Loos, second by Carolin Harvey.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Tom Grant, Carolin Harvey, Adam Loos, Ginger Rye Sanders, Jeff Doherty, Lee Fronabarger, John M Henry

4. Adjournment of the Local Liquor Control Commission

Procedural: 4.1 Time of Adjournment for Local Liquor Control Commission

The Local Liquor Control Commission adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

Jennifer R. Sorrell, City Clerk

Date