

CARSON CITY LIQUOR AND ENTERTAINMENT BOARD

Minutes of the June 20, 2013 Meeting

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A meeting of the Carson City Liquor and Entertainment Board was held during the regularly scheduled Board of Supervisors meeting on Thursday, June 20, 2013 in the Community Center Sierra Room, 851 East William Street, Carson City, Nevada.

PRESENT: Chairperson Robert Crowell
Member Karen Abowd
Member Brad Bonkowski
Member Ken Furlong
Member John McKenna
Member Jim Shirk

STAFF: Larry Werner, City Manager
Marena Works, Deputy City Manager
Randal Munn, Chief Deputy District Attorney
Kathleen King, Deputy Clerk / Recording Secretary

NOTE: A recording of these proceedings, the board's agenda materials, and any written comments or documentation provided to the Clerk during the meeting are part of the public record. These materials are on file in the Clerk's Office, and available for review during regular business hours.

11. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL (8:56:21) - Chairperson Crowell called the meeting to order at 8:56 a.m. A quorum was present, including Member Ken Furlong.

12. POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVAL OF MINUTES (8:56:28) - Deferred.

13. PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BUSINESS LICENSE DIVISION - POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE CHANGING THE GALAXY FANDANGO 10 LIQUOR LICENSE (LIQUOR LICENSE NO. 13-25892, LOCATED AT 4000 SOUTH CURRY STREET, CARSON CITY, FROM DINING ROOM WITH BEER AND WINE TO DINING ROOM WITH HARD LIQUOR (8:56:36) - Mayor Crowell introduced this item, and Senior Business License Technician Lena Reseck reviewed the agenda materials, noting staff's recommendation of approval. (8:57:17) Mayor Crowell invited Rafe Cohen to the podium, and he explained the purpose for the requested change. In response to a question, Mr. Cohen expressed the opinion that the Galaxy Fandango is "doing very well. We haven't had any problems or complaints. We card everybody." In response to a question, he advised that alcohol is permitted for consumption anywhere in the building. "But ... we don't have barstools. You can't sit there and drink for a long period of time. We don't have tables. It's for someone who, currently, gets a beer, maybe a popcorn and goes in and watches a movie. And so that's where it's consumed. It's really not a place where people go to drink excessively because, one, we're not cheap in what we charge for a drink as compared to casinos ... So, people typically will buy a drink and then go in to see a movie ... and they typically don't come back out." Member McKenna requested Mr. Cohen to be aware of the possibility of an adult purchasing alcohol for a minor and requested him to consider implementing a monitoring program.

(9:00:00) Clinton Leazer described theater checks which are conducted by employees. "And so, at that point in time, we can ... monitor to a certain level ... And we have individuals who go up the stairs ... checking for outside food and drink." Mr. Leazer suggested that the employees could check on "who is ... consuming the alcohol." Member McKenna reiterated a suggestion to consider signage. In response to

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a question, Ms. Reseck advised that the Galaxy Fandango has never been cited for serving alcohol to a minor. Discussion followed.

Chairperson Crowell entertained additional board member questions or comments and, when none were forthcoming, public comment. When no public comment was forthcoming, he entertained a motion. **Member Abowd moved to approve changing the Galaxy Fandango 10 liquor license, liquor license number 13-25892, located at 4000 South Curry Street, Carson City, from dining room with beer and wine to dining room with hard liquor. Member McKenna seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.** Chairperson Crowell thanked Mr. Cohen and Mr. Leazer.

14. PUBLIC COMMENT (9:02:49) - Chairperson Crowell entertained public comment; however, none was forthcoming.

15. ACTION TO ADJOURN (9:02:54) - Chairperson Crowell adjourned the meeting at 9:02 a.m.

The Minutes of the June 20, 2013 Carson City Liquor and Entertainment Board meeting are so approved this _____ day of October, 2013.

ROBERT L. CROWELL, Mayor

ATTEST:

ALAN GLOVER, Clerk - Recorder