**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE LINDEN**

**BOARD OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL HELD**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 2018**

A regular meeting of the Linden Board of Alcoholic Beverage Control was held in City Hall, 301 North Wood Avenue, Linden, NJ on Wednesday, June 27, 2018 at 4:18 p.m.

Chairman Cornwell called the meeting to order and announced that the Notice of this meeting stating the date, place and time was disseminated under the Open Public Meetings Act.

A roll showed the following members in attendance:

Commissioner Chesney

Commissioner Cosby

Chairman Cornwell

Also present was A.B.C. Secretary Joseph C. Bodek; ABC Detective Matt Jones, Detective Kevin Mikolajczyk and ABC attorney Nicholas Scutari was present via telephone conference.

**Approval of Minutes**

Mr. Chesney moved for the approval of the minutes of the meeting of May 9, 2018. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cornwell, (Ms. Cosby abstained) and was unanimously ordered approved by a roll call vote.

**2017/2018 LICENSE RENEWAL**

Mr. Bodek informed the commissioners that License #2009-33-002-008, Savannah’s Southern Belle, LLC. was ready for renewal for the 2017-2018 term. Mr. Bodek advised the board as to why the license was not renewed last year.

**RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS,** RENEWAL APPLICATION FOR Alcoholic Beverage License for the license terms July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 was submitted in proper form, together with the appropriate license fees, and a tax clearance certificates has been received for the following:

**PLENARY RETAIL CONSUMMTION LICENSE - $1,200.00**

**Name and Address LICENSE NUMBER**

**Savannah’s Southern Belle, LLC 2009-33-002-008**

t/a Savannah’s Southern Belle

10 East Blancke Street

Linden, NJ 07036

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Board of Alcoholic Beverage Control of the City of Linden, does hereby approve the renewal of the aforesaid alcoholic beverage licenses for the license term July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018.

Ms. Cornwell moved to approve the renewal the Resolution. The motion was seconded by Mr. Chesney and on a roll call vote was unanimously ordered approved.

**2018/2019 LICENSE RENEWAL**

Mr. Bodek reported on the licenses that were ready for renewal, and had met all the terms and conditions required. He presented the following resolution for consideration by the Board:

**RESOLUTION**

## **WHEREAS**, renewal applications for Alcoholic Beverage Licenses for the license term July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 have been submitted in proper form, together with the appropriate license fees, and tax clearance certificate have been received for the following:

**2018/2019 ABC LICENSEES**

**Name and Address** **License Number**

**PLENARY RETAIL CONSUMPTION W/BROAD PACKAGE**

**FEE PAID $1,400.00**

**Fine Wine, Inc. 2009-32-035-005**

t/a Wine Zone

1771 West Edgar Road

Linden, NJ 07036

**Link JH LLC 2009-32-043-004**

t/a Linden Discount Liquor

54 E. St. George Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linwood Inn Inc. 2009-32-046-003**

t/a Linwood Inn Tap House

15 South Wood Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Anand Inc. 2009-32-047-004**

t/a Liquor Shack

1600 E. St. George Ave

Linden, NJ 07036

**Karna Liquors, LLC 2009-32-053-012**

t/a Pre Game Liquors

355 West St. Georges Ave

Linden, NJ 07036

**RTP Entertainment Group, LLC 2009-32-054-007**

t/a Amsterdam Alley

9-11 West Price St.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Domingos Inc 2009-32-058-004**

t/a Nunos Pavilion

300 – 318 Roselle St.

Linden, NJ 07036

**JAI AKSHARDHAMI KRUPA 2009-32-070-008**

t/a Liquor City @ Sam’s Club

1900 E. Linden Ave. Suite 2

Linden, NJ 07036

**Neelkanth Inc. 2009-32-074-007**

t/a Pied Piper Liquors

613 A. W. Edgar Road

Linden, NJ 07036

**PLENARY RETAIL CONSUMPTION**

**FEE PAID $1,400.00**

**Savannah’s Southern Belle, LLC 2009-33-002-008**

t/a Savannah’s Southern Belle

10 East Blancke Street

Linden, NJ 07036

**James S. Cecire Corp. Inc. 2009-33-007-004**

t/a Cheeques Lounge

1230 East Linden Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Amici III Inc. 2009-33-009-011**

t/a Amici III Inc.

1700 West Elizabeth Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Park Avenue Restaurant Corp. 2009-33-011-008**

t/a Taboo Men’s Club

2005 2015 East Linden Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Styles Inn, LLC 2009-33-015-006**

t/a Styles Inn

305 N. Stiles Street

Linden, NJ 07036

**Bar Lin Inc. 2009-33-017-005**

t/a Linda’s Driftwood Bar & Grill

344 South Wood Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**JPOM, LLC 2009-33-024-005**

t/a Parkview Tavern & Restaurant

2048 E. St. Georges Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**DMJ Stanley Inc. 2009-33-026-004**

t/a The Cup

1410 E. Elizabeth Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linden BWW LLC** **2009-33-029-005**

t/a Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar

1701 W. Edgar Rd. Space G

Linden, NJ 07036

**Jersey Lanes Inc. 2009-33-031-003**

t/a Jersey Lanes

30 Park Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Kontra Corp 2009-33-036-003**

t/a Mikes Tavern

1101 1109 Roselle Street

Linden, NJ 07036

**Café C Linden LLC 2009-33-038-003**

t/a Café C

201 S. Wood Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Guevara Brothers, LLC 2009-33-041-008**

t/a Abigails Café

804 E. Elizabeth Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linden Lanes Grill Inc 2009-33-042-002**

t/a Linden Lanes Grill

741 North Stiles Street

Linden, NJ 07036

**Chevys Food Service of Linden LLC 2009-33-049-004**

t/a Chevys Fresh Mex

Aviation Plaza

Linden, NJ 07036

**Rawrysz Inc. 2009-33-062-004**

c/o Krystyna Rawrysz

18 Ginesi Drive

Clark, NJ 07066

**Apple Food Service of Linden, LLC 2009-33-066-008**

t/a Applebee’s Neighborhood Grill & Bar

671 West Edgar Rd

Linden, NJ 07036

**Braid Restaurant Group, LLC 2009-33-067-006**

t/a TGI Fridays, Inc.

400 South Park Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Swan Recreation Inc. 2009-33-071-003**

t/a Josephs Pub

301 East Edgar Road  
Linden, NJ 07036

**Dragonfly Sushi, LLC 2009-33-075-012**

t/a Dragonfly Sushi

661 West Edgar Rd

Linden, NJ

**BHG Bar and Restaurant, LLC 2009-33-076-005**

**t/a Merdie’s**

700 E. Elizabeth Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Graceland Linden LLC 2009-33-087-004**

t/a Washington Avenue Pub

704 Washington Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**PLENARY RETAIL DISTRIBUTION**

**Fee Paid $950.00**

**Metro Wine and Liquor, Inc. 2009-44-003-007**

t/a Metro Liquors

1179 West Saint Georges Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Deephet Enterprise Inc. 2009-44-006-004**

t/a Benos Liquors

100-102 North Wood Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**ARMS LLC 2009-44-008-009**

t/a A & S Discount Liquors

206 North Wood Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Simrya Enterprises 2009-44-013-006**

c/o Sima Patel

15 Quaker Court

Edison, NJ 08820

**Dave Wines Inc. 2009-44-065-005**

t/a South Wood Liquors

928 S. Wood Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**431 North Wood Avenue LLC 2009-44-069-009**

t/a Ever Blue Liquors

431 North Wood Ave

Linden, NJ 07036

**CLUB LICENSES**

**Fee Paid $300.00**

**Linden Post #102 American Legion 2009-31-077-001**

t/a Linden Post #102 American Legion

112 West Elizabeth Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Hungarian Round Table 2009-31-081-001**

**Charitable Association**

431 Maple Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linden Lodge #913 Inc. 2009-31-082-002**

t/a Loyal Order of the Moose

43-115 Luttgen Place

Linden, NJ 07036

**John Russell Wheeler Post #1397 2009-31-085-001**

Vetereans of Foreign Wars

20 Pennsylvania R.R. Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Board of Alcoholic Beverage Control of the City of Linden, does hereby approve the renewal of the aforesaid alcoholic beverage licenses for the license term July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019.

Mr. Chesney moved for the approval of the Resolution renewing licenses for the 2018/2019 licensing term. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cosby and was unanimously ordered approved by a roll call vote.

**LICENSE TRANSFER**

**PERSON-TO-PERSON TRANSFER OF LICENSE 2009-33-026-005 FROM**

**DMJ STANLEY, INC. TO BLUEWALL HOLDING, LLC**

**WHEREAS,** an application has been filed for a Person-to-Person Transfer of Plenary Retail Consumption License Number 2009-33-026-005, heretofore issued to DMJ Stanley, Inc., located at 1410 East Elizabeth Avenue, Linden, New Jersey; and

**WHEREAS,** the submitted application form is complete in all respects, the transfer fees have been paid, and the license has been properly renewed for the current license term; and

**WHEREAS,** the applicant is qualified to be licensed according to all standards established by Title 33 of the New Jersey Statutes, regulations promulgated thereunder, as well as pertinent local ordinances and conditions consistent with Title 33; and

**WHEREAS,** the applicant has disclosed and the issuing authority reviewed the source of all funds used in the purchase of the license and the licensed business and all additional financing obtained in connection with the license business.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Linden Board of Alcoholic Beverage Control does hereby approve, effective July 10, 2018, the transfer of the aforesaid Plenary Retail Consumption License, to Bluewall Holding, LLC and does hereby direct the A.B.C. Board Secretary to endorse the license certificate to the new ownership as follows: “This license, subject to all its terms and conditions, is hereby transferred to Bluewall Holding, LLC effective July 10, 2018.”

Mr. Chesney moved for the approval of Resolution transferring the license. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cornwell and was unanimously ordered approved by a roll call vote.

Mr. Chesney welcomed Mrs. and Mr. Ray to Linden and inquired about the use of the kitchen. He also advised Mrs. Ray to always keep the neighbors in mind when running the business as it is located in a mixed residential neighborhood. Ms. Cosby also congratulated Mrs. Ray and asked about when she planned to open the establishment. Mrs. Ray thanked the board.

**LICENSE STATUS REPORTS**

Mr. Bodek briefed the Commissioners on the licenses remaining un-renewed for the 2018-2019 license terms.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Board, Mr. Chesney moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cornwell and was unanimously ordered approved by a roll call vote. Meeting was adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph C. Bodek

A.B.C. Secretary