

Beer Board Meeting Minutes

The Shelbyville Beer Board met in regular session on Wednesday, November 9, 2016 at the City Hall Annex 109 Lane Parkway. Chairman Reeves called the meeting to order at 6:00pm, roll was called and the following members were present: Member Finney, Member Fisher and Member Hughes. Member York and Attorney Shofner were absent. Also attending was City Recorder Mai.

The first item of business was **approval of the agenda**. Hearing no requests for additions or revisions Member Hughes made a motion to approve, Member Finney seconded and the motion carried unanimously by oral vote.

Next was **approval of the minutes of October 12, 2016**. Hearing no requests for revisions Member Fisher made a motion to approve, Member Hughes seconded and the motion carried unanimously by oral vote.

Old Business was next.

The first item under old business was **Consideration of an application to sell beer (consume) by Las Palmas, Abundio Garcia, 503 South Cannon Blvd Shelbyville, TN 37160 (Deferred from August, September & October)**. Chairman Reeves asked Mr. Garcia to come before the Board and be sworn in by Recorder Mai. Chairman Reeves then asked Mr. Garcia if he had heard anything regarding his citizenship. Mr. Garcia said yes and that someone had called and spoken with Recorder Mai. Chairman Reeves asked Mr. Garcia if he wanted Mrs. Mai to explain the situation to be Board and he answered yes. Mrs. Mai explained to the Board that she had spoken with Mr. Mike Perez, a Special Agent with Homeland Security on October 21st and was told that Mr. Garcia was in the country as a witness in a Court Case, that he will be in the country through May of 2017 but that they would revisit his status at that time. Chairman Reeves explained to Mr. Garcia that without proof of legal status the Board could not issue a Beer Permit in his name, but encouraged him to reapply after May of 2017 if he knows something certain about his citizenship at that time. Member Finney made a motion to deny the Beer Permit for Las Palmas, Abundio Galindo Garcia, Member Hughes seconded and the motion carried unanimously by oral vote.


The next item under old business was **Consideration of a Motion to take action on Beer Board Policies and Procedures providing for a new fee structure for offenses. (Continued from October)**. With Attorney Shofner being absent Member Fisher made a motion to defer this item to the next meeting, Member Finney seconded and the motion carried unanimously by oral vote.

There were no items of new business or staff reports. With no further business to discuss Member Hughes made a motion to adjourn, Member Fisher seconded and the motion carried unanimously by oral vote. Meeting adjourned at approx. 6:07pm.

Approved:


Chairman Jason Reeves

Attest:


City Recorder Anna Mai