

MINUTES OF MEETING
GOODLETTSVILLE BEER BOARD

Date: July 12th, 2017
Time: 9:00 AM
Place: Massey Chambers

Present:

Chairman Harry Bell
Vice Chairman Bill Hoffman
Henry Bolding
Doug Mullican
Carl Sloan

Also Present:

City Manager Tim Ellis
Chief Garry Goodwin
Elizabeth Simpson

Absent:

Chairman Bell called the meeting to order. Mr. Bolding made a motion to approve the June 14th, 2017 minutes, seconded by Mr. Hoffman, and approved 5-0.

With no citizen comments, staff comments or old business on the agenda Chairman Bell moved on to new business. City Manager Tim Ellis explained that there have been events at each establishments that had risen to a level of concern in accordance with the Municipal Code for facilities that sell beer. Chief Goodwin asked Commander Driver to present the issues that were of concern for the board to gain an understanding of what the police department had been handling at each facility.

Commander Driver began with Fun Eats and Drinks, LLC DBA: Bailey's Sports Bar and Grille located at 786 Rivergate Parkway, Ste. 12 in Goodlettsville, TN. Commander Driver presented reports from the following five dates: 3/6/2017 – Driving Under the Influence, 5/15/2017 – Public Intoxication, 5/31/2017 – Public Intoxication, 6/3/2017 – Public Intoxication, 6/15/2017- Public Intoxication and Disorderly Conduct, 6/15/2017 – Possession for Resale.

With no questions from the board Commander Driver continued with ZPZ, LLC DBA: Silverado's Sports Bar and Grill located at 709-A Rivergate Parkway, Goodlettsville, TN. This is Silverado's second appearance before the board since their initial appearance on May 14th, 2014. Commander Driver presented the reports from the following two dates: 5/19/2017 – Fight call with Firearms. All subjects were given a complaint card and told to go to DA screening when they were sober to make reports. This call tied up a large portion of the police force during this incidence. 5/19/2017 – Driving Under the Influence, 5/19/2017 – Public Intoxication, 6/16/2017 – Public Intoxication and Simple Possession.

Chief Goodwin presented the following twenty one dates of evidence as proof to the board of a pattern of occurrences since the May 2014 meeting: 6/6/2014 – Disorderly conduct and Public intoxication, 6/14/2014 – Arrest, 6/28/2014 – Fight, 8/2/2014 – DUI, 8/6/2014 – 2 Assaults, 8/30/2014 – Assault, 11/1/2014 – Assault, 11/30/2014 – Assault with hospital transportation, 1/11/2015 – Assault, 4/18/2015 – Public Intoxication and Public Indecency, 5/9/2015 – Public Intoxication, 5/21/2015 – Driver ran into Silverado's porch, assaulted officers and combative with ER staff, 8/15/2015 – Arrest, 9/19/2015 – Public Intoxication, 11/7/2015 –Aggravated assault, resisting arrest

and disorderly conduct. Officer injured during these calls. 12/13/2015 – 2 Assaults, 12/19/2015 – Public Intoxication, 7/17/2016 – 2 Arrests and Public Intoxication, 7/31/2016 – 2 Arrests disorderly conduct and 1 public intoxication, 8/1/2016 – Assault, 8/7/2016 – Aggravated assault. District Manager Adam Hensley represented Bailey's Sports Bar and Grille. Hensley stated he believed they needed to maintain a much stronger presence with monitoring the amount of alcohol served to individuals. Bailey's does not have security staff. They have a host who check's identification to make sure they are of age and intoxication level upon entry of the establishment. Their managers and employees are to maintain the floor presence and check for intoxication levels while interacting with clients. Bailey's is open 7 days a week from 11:00 am to last call at 2:30am. Management is trained off site and staff is trained in house.

In discussing the number of incidents at Bailey's Commander Driver added in 2015 and 2016, prior to Fun Eats and Drinks, LLC taking ownership of Bailey's, the aforementioned host was investigated by the 18th Drug Task Force and arrested for selling cocaine inside and outside of Bailey's restaurant. The host was not charged with these offenses as he agreed to work with the drug task force to work off these charges. This matter has been cleared up since that time and the information is now able to be released. District Manager Hensley stated that he, himself was unaware of prior misconduct on the host's behalf. Chairman Bell showed concern that the local manager of Bailey's was not in present at this meeting. Hensley stated he was asked by the company to attend this meeting and assured Chairman Bell that he would be able to immediately address the issues at the Goodlettsville location.

Eugene Parris represented Silverado's Bar and Grill. Parris did agree to calling Police when a gun was pulled at the establishment and agreed that was not a good incident. Parris tried to get the second call to leave using an Uber service but the client denied the ride and tried to start fights. Parris then called officers to assist. Chief Goodwin confronted Parris about the overserving of alcohol at Silverado's and that being a violation of the City Ordinance. Parris stated they were not trying to overserve their clients and that they were trying to work with the City. Mr. Hoffman confronted Parris about their "all you can drink policy". Parris stated it was free beer for a cover charge but not all you could drink. Parris stated that Silverado's does have security, all of their servers are ABC trained and know their policies. Silverado's Bar and Grill is open 3 days a week; Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 7:00pm to 3:00am.

The board discussed their options and thoughts on the incidents at hand. Each member was in agreement that the behavior at each facility was unacceptable. The Goodlettsville Police Department is here to protect and serve their community however, it is also the responsibility of the business owners to make sure they are not overserving alcohol to their patrons.

Motion was made by Mr. Hoffman to suspend both Fun Eats and Drinks, LLC and ZPZ, LLC's beer permits for Friday July 14th and Saturday July 15th. Seconded by Mr. Bolding the board voted 5-0 for a two day beer permit suspension. Parris of Silverado's offered to drop off and pick up their beer permit. Bailey's permit will be picked up by the police department on Friday morning and returned Sunday morning. Chief Goodwin offered a sixty day time frame for both establishments to review any incidents that may occur. Mr. Hoffman made a motion to allow the sixty day time frame and should there be any incidents the City Manager will summons both establishments back before the board. Seconded by Mr. Bolding the board voted 5-0.

City Manager Ellis informed the board that Ms. Jobe was not present this meeting because she did not provide parking letters or a new set of seating plans by the submittal date for the July meeting. He also informed the board that Happy Asian Bistro changed the name of the restaurant and will be

before the board next month. They discussed Chicago Style Gyro submitting plans but not starting construction.

Mr. Bolding made a motion to adjourn the meeting and seconded by Mr. Sloan the board voted 5-0. Meeting adjourned at 9:59 am.

Elizabeth Simpson, City Clerk

Harry Bell, Chairman