

MINUTES OF THE NHLC
DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING
MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER 05, 2024

1. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:

RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD
AUGUST 29, 2024.

**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF AUGUST 29,
2024; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**

2. TABLED ITEMS:

None

3. SCHEDULED HEARINGS AT LIQUOR COMMISSION OFFICES, 50 STORRS STREET, CONCORD, NH:

September 17, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.:

- a. Chop Shop Pub and Grub LLC, 920 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Cocktail Lounge- Caterer, Off-Site License #1282534 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was under the age
of twenty-one.
Date of violation: 06/13/2024.
Case #: 24-509-OF
- b. Tuckaway NH LLC DBA Tuckaway Tavern, 58 Route 27, Raymond, NH 03077.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1442903 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – allowed to be sold or given away or caused or allowed or procured to
be sold, delivered, or given away alcoholic beverage to a person who was visibly intoxicated or who a
reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated.
Date of violation: 10/28/2023.
Case #: 23-1514-OF

September 17, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.:

- c. Sap House Meadery LLC, 6 Folsom Road, Center Ossipee, NH 03864.
On-Premises, Beverage & Wine- Restaurant License #1512903 pursuant to RSA 178:20.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:3/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to
expiration.
Date of violation: 04/24/2024
Case #: 24-293-OF.

September 17, 2024 at 2:00 p.m.:

- d. Informational Hearing Held May 14, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. Northwood Town Hall Room in the Public
Meeting Room, 818 First NH Turnpike, Northwood, NH 03261.
V.M.O. Inc. DBA Lake Shore Farm Inn, 275 Jenness Pond Road, Northwood, NH 03261.
Pending Hotel, Full Service With Lounge License #377302 pursuant to
RSA 178:21, II(b)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(k).
Decision dated 05/31/2024:
CONCLUSION OF LAW:
“The prospective licensee has failed to meet the requirements for a Hotel Cocktail license
pursuant to RSA 178:3, VII (b) & (f).”

RECOMMENDATION:

“The Division of Enforcement and Licensing shall not issue a liquor license to V.M.O. Inc. D/B/A Lake Shore Farm Inn due to the licensee’s inability to operate the business in strict accordance with all applicable state and federal beverage control laws and rules, and the fact that the very nature of the business is not an appropriate one given its location and the town of Northwood’s lack of resources.”

The Licensee filed a Motion to Appeal the Denial of the License.

The hearings office continued the July 23, 2024 hearing.

4. NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT:

None

5. NON-CONTESTED ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Buba Noodle Bar LLC, 36 Lowell Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1567803 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:3/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.
Date of violation: 06/30/2024
Case #: 24-612-OF.
Warning.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- b. El Rincon Zacatecano Taqueria LLC, 10 Lake Avenue, Manchester, NH 03101.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1584703 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:3/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.
Date of violation: 04/30/2024
Case #: 24-483-OF.
Warning.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Be Hoppy Brewing LLC DBA Wormtown Brewery, 72 Shrewsbury Street, Worcester, MA 01604.
Beverage Vendor License #138331 pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Manufacturer: Be Hoppy Brewing
30-Day Temporary License issued 08/30/2024.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- b. Bliss NH LLC, 16 Pleasant Street, Bristol, NH 03222.
To be issued On-Premises, Beverage & Wine- Restaurant License #1700703 pursuant to RSA 178:20.
30-Day Temporary License issued 08/28/2024.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- c. Ceasar Beverage Company LLC, 24 William Fairfield Drive, Wenham, MA 01984.
To be issued Carrier, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #766016 pursuant to RSA 178:14.
30-Day Temporary License issued 08/29/2024.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- d. Concord Hospital Trust at Elm Brook Park, 2097 Maple Street, Hopkinton, NH 03229.
To be issued Cocktail Lounge-Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations License #694641 for 09/07/2024 between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- e. Francestown Improvement & Historical Society
at Old Meeting House Building, 1 New Boston Road, Francestown, NH 03043.
To be issued Cocktail Lounge-Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations License #697241 for 09/02/2024 between 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- f. Reach for the Top Therapy Services, 61 Locust Street, Dover, NH 03820.
To be issued Cocktail Lounge-Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations License #691141 for 09/26/2024 between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- g. Reynosa Vielma LLC DBA Cinco's Cantina #03, 22 South Main Street, Rochester, NH 03867.
To be issued On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1702503 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 08/30/2024.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- h. Vinnie's Cap LLC DBA Vinnie's Pizzeria, 200 South Main Street, Concord, NH 03301.
To be issued On-Premises, Beverage & Wine- Restaurant License #1688103 pursuant to RSA 178:20.
30-Day Temporary License issued 08/28/2024.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- i. Vulgar Brewing Company LLC at City of Franklin Park, 316 Central Street, Franklin, NH 03235.
To be issued Beer Festival License #4023414 for 09/21/2024 between 12:00p.m. and 4:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:30.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

7. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING SEPTEMBER 03, 2024, 2024: 1,321.

None

9. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

10. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

- a. Atel LLC DBA 70 North, 70 Endicott Street North, Laconia, NH 03246.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1688503 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Requested a waiver for authorization for reduction of hours, to wit, to reduce the hours of operation to less than five (5) days a week, the schedule will be Thursday, Friday and Saturday between 4:30 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. and Sundays between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:21, II, a (2) and as indicated in email dated 8/25/2024 pursuant to RSA 179:21, II.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

- b. Mighty Moose Mart, 152 Winchester Street, Keene, NH 03431.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3426647 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
Requested approval for a temporary extension of service, to wit, for an outside area with the capacity of 113 for 08/31/2024 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- c. Tremont House of Pizza Inc, 134 Pleasant Street, Claremont, NH 03743.
On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor- Restaurant License #1059303 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Requested approval for a permanent extension of service, to wit, for an indoor area increasing the capacity by 30 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

11. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL

None

13. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

14. NOTIFICATION OF ALCOHOL COMPLIANCE CHECKS SCHEDULED WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS:

- a. Durham, NH and
- b. Manchester, NH.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

15. ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON ALCOHOL COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

None

16. NOTIFICATION OF TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS SCHEDULED WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS:

- a. Barrington, NH;
- b. Epsom, NH;
- c. Goffstown, NH;
- d. Hillsborough, NH;
- e. Hollis, NH;
- f. Kingston, NH;
- g. Loudon, NH;
- h. New Boston, NH;
- i. Newbury, NH;
- j. Newington, NH;**
- k. New Ipswich, NH;
- l. Newton, NH;
- m. Northfield, NH;
- n. North Hampton, NH;**
- o. North Haverhill, NH;
- p. Northwood, NH;**
- q. Nottingham, NH;**
- r. Penacook, NH;
- s. Peterborough, NH;

- t. **Rollinsford, NH;**
 - u. **Rye, NH;**
 - v. **Seabrook, NH;**
 - w. **Somersworth, NH;**
 - x. Stratham, NH;
 - y. Weare, NH;
 - z. **West Nottingham, NH;**
 - aa. Wilton, NH and:
 - bb. Wolfeboro, NH.
- COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.**

17. ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

None

18. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

Hearings held on August 20, 2024 :

- a. Hub Smoke and Vape, 433 Amherst Street, Nashua, NH 03063.
Retail Tobacco License #155117 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4/Liq. 601.03 (e) – sold tobacco products to an underage person.
Date of violation: 01/26/2024
Case #: 24-261-OF.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- b. Horseshoe Market II, 663 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3363847 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person.
Date of violation: 01/27/2024
Case #: 24-40-OF.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

19. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISIONS:

None

20. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

None