

MINUTES OF THE NHLC
DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING
FOR THURSDAY, APRIL 14 2022

1. **RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES FROM THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD APRIL 7, 2022.**
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF APRIL 7, 2022; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

2. **SCHEDULED HEARING AT LIQUOR COMMISSION OFFICES, 50 STORRS STREET, CONCORD, NH:**

Date to be determined.

Opus Lounge, 14 West Hollis Street, Nashua, NH 03060.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1593703 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served alcoholic beverage to a person who was visibly intoxicated or who a reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:27 – allowed patrons to self-serve alcohol beverages.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:50 – allowed patrons to smoke hookah devices on the premises – 2 counts.

Dates of violation: 1/25/2021, 5/7/ 2021 & 10/30/2021.

Case #: 21-57-OF, 21-258-OF & 21-575-OF.

THE DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT REQUESTED AND WAS GRANTED A CONTINUANCE ON 11/29/2021; THE HEARING HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR 1/12/2021 AT 1:00 P.M.

THE LICENSEE REQUESTED AND WAS GRANTED A CONTINUANCE ON 1/10/2022. RESCHEDULED TO 1/26/2022 AT 2:00 P.M.

THE DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT REQUESTED AND WAS GRANTED A CONTINUANCE ON 1/25/2022. RESCHEDULED TO 3/2/2022 AT 2:30 P.M.

THE DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT REQUESTED A CONTINUANCE ON BEHALF OF ATTY. JOSEPH PRIETO; A CONTINUANCE WAS GRANTED ON 2/23/2022; DATE TO BE DETERMINED.

SETTLEMENT PENDING.

3. **NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT:**

None

4. **NON-CONTESTED ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:**

None

5. **LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:**

- a. Allora Pasticceria LLC DBA Riverwalk Bakery & Café, 35 Railroad Square, Nashua, NH 03064.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1644703 pursuant to RSA 178:21.

90-Day Temporary License issued 4/6/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- b. Biagio Cru and Estate Wines LLC, 1900 Hempstead Turnpike, Suite #413, East Meadow, NY 11554.
To be issued Beverage Vendor License #119031 pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Manufacturer: Riva rosesas-Falon de Provence, France.

30-Day Temporary License issued 4/7/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- c. Contocook Holdings LLC DBA Dimitri's Pizza/Riverside Pizza, 14 Park Avenue, Contocook, NH 03229.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1644003 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 4/6/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- d. First Choice Foods LLC DBA The Breeze, 25 Dock Road, Gilford, NH 03249.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1639003 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 4/5/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- e. Independence Inn LLC, 6 Drake Hill Road, Strafford, NH 03884.
To be issued Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1639703 pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).
90-Day Temporary License issued 4/5/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- f. Jenna's Market LLC, 255 West Street, Keene, NH 03431.
To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3414647 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
30-Day Temporary License issued 4/5/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- g. La Esquina Restaurant LLC, 363 Chestnut Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1644303 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 4/4/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- h. Local's Café and Tavern LLC DBA The Local's Café and Tavern, 4 Slip Road, Greenfield, NH 03047.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1634403 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 4/5/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- i. Los Reyes Street Tocos & More LLC, 127 Rockingham Road, Units #15 & 16, Derry, NH 03038.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1640403 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 4/5/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- j. New Pho LLC, 13 Broad Street, Nashua, NH 03062.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1644503 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 4/7/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- k. Thrive Boxing & Martial Arts Center LLC, 109 Hillside Avenue, Unit J, Londonderry, NH 03053.
To be issued Ballroom License #361411 pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(c).
90-Day Temporary License issued 4/8/2022.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

7. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING APRIL 8, 2022: 1,379

- a. Emmitt Scorsone Wines LLC, 1830 Jameson Road, Healdsburg, CA 95448.
To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery)
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- b. Rivers Marie Wines LLC, 900 Foothill Boulevard, Calistoga, CA 94515.
To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery)
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- c. Stone the Crows LLC DBA The Three Twins, 3730 Silverado Trail North, Saint Helena, CA 94574.
To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery)
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

9. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

- a. Auspicious Brew, 1 Washington Street, Suite #1103, Dover, NH 03820.
Beverage Manufacturer License #294818 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Portsmouth, NH Farmers' Market, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, NH between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. from 5/7/2022 to 11/5/2022 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- b. Big Day Brewing, 20 Glen Road, Gorham, NH 03581.
Brew Pub License #2006215 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:13.
Requested a waiver for a reduction of hours, to wit, to limit hours of operation for ninety (90) Days on Sundays from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. due to a staffing shortage and pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(k).
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- c. Coffin Cellars Winery, 1224 Battle Street, Webster, NH 03303.
Wine Manufacturer License #562930 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for tasting and retail sales at farmers' market, to wit, Canterbury, NH Farmers' Market, 9 Center Road, Canterbury, NH between 4:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. from 6/1/2022 to 9/28/2022 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- d. Coffin Cellars Winery, 1224 Battle Street, Webster, NH 03303.
Wine Manufacturer License #562930 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Henniker, NH Farmers' Market, Community Park, 57 Main Street, Henniker, NH between 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. from 5/7/2022 to 10/20/2022 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- e. Riverwalk Bakery & Café, 35 Railroad Square, Nashua, NH 03064.
Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1644703 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.

Requested an exception to opening requirements, to wit, to limit hours of operation for evening meals to three (3) days a week effective immediately and open five (5) days a week once fully staffed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(k).

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

- f. Throwback Brewery, 7 Hobbs Road, North Hampton, NH 03862.
Brew Pub License #2002415 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:13.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Portsmouth City Hall/Portsmouth Farmers' Market, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, NH between 8:00 a.m.. and 12:00 p.m. from 5/7/2022 to 11/5/2022 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

- g. Wildbloom Beer LLC, 129 Centervale Road, Henniker, NH 03242.
Nano Brewery, Beer and/or Specialty Beer License #208422 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12-a.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Concord Farmers' Market, Capitol Street, Concord, NH between 8:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. from 5/7/2022 to 10/29/2022 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

10. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

11. TABLED ITEMS:

None

12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

Bold Rock Partners, 1020 Rockfish Valley Highway, Nellysford, VA 22958.
Beverage Vendor License #106631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Requests approval of Bold Rock Bolder Hard Mango Lemonade that has an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII; sample provided.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

13. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

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

Bristol, NH;
Canaan, NH,
Durham, NH,
Hillsborough, NH and
Lebanon, NH.

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

Alcohol Compliance Checks –

Bristol, NH:

- A1. Park & Go Markets, 101 Lake Street, Bristol, NH 03222.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #66247 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 3/21/2022.

Case #: 22-154-OF.

Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- A2. Pizza Bene, 34 Central Square, Bristol, NH 03222.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1583103 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:20.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 3/21/2022.

Case #: 22-154-OF.

Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- A3. Traveler's Rest., 22 Hemp Hill Road, Bristol, NH 03222.

Brew Pub License #2005615 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:13.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 3/21/2022.

Case #: 22-154-OF.

Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- A4. Very Excellent, 290 Lake Street, Bristol, NH 03222.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1601303 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 3/21/2022.

Case #: 22-154-OF.

Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

Seabrook, NH:

- A5. 99 Restaurant & Pub, 831 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #936403 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 12/6/2021.

Case #: 21-569-OF.

Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- A6. Casa Tequila, 620 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1517303 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 12/6/2021.
Case #: 21-569-OF.
Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- A7. Catalano's Market, 207 Ocean Blvd., Seabrook, NH 03874.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3370947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 11/10/2021.
Case #: 21-569-OF.
Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- A8. Chili's Grill & Bar at Seabrook, 403 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1334003 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 12/6/2021.
Case #: 21-569-OF.
Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- A9. Circle Discount Beverages, 100 Lafayette Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3238647 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 11/10/2021.
Case #: 21-569-OF.
Warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- A10. Master McGrath's, Route #107, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #255203 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 12/6/2021.
Case #: 21-569-OF.
\$500 fine and four (4) points assessed to the liquor license.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- A11. NH Borderline Express, 5 Main Street, Seabrook, NH 03874.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3346647 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 11/10/2021.
Case #: 21-569-OF.
\$500 fine and four (4) points assessed to the liquor license.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

Tobacco Compliance Checks –

Strafford County:

- B1. Kwik Stop, 874 Central Avenue, Dover, NH 03820.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3287547 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 4/4/2022.
Case #: 22-189-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- B2. Circle K 4707226, 165 Knox Marsh Road, Dover, NH 03820.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3220247 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 4/4/2022.
Case #: 22-189-OF.
Warning and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

16. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

None

17. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION:

None

18. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

Hampton Area Chamber of Commerce, 47 Winnacunnet Road, Hampton, NH 03842.
Issued Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #636941 for 4/14/2022 between 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).
COMMISSIONER ACKNOWLEDGED.