

# The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County...

## Metro Beer Board Meeting Minutes April 10, 2025

Meeting Date/Location: Thursday, April 10, 2025 @ 12:00 P.M.

**Metro Office Building** 

**Development Services Center** 

800 President Ronald Reagan Way, 1st Floor

Nashville, TN 37210

Start Time: 12:01 PM

End Time: 12:34 PM

BOARD MEMBERS	STAFF MEMBERS	OTHERS PRESENT
✓Mr. Brian Taylor, Chairperson  ✓Kia Jarmon, Vice Chairperson  ✓Mr. William Conway  ✓Ms. Delfine Fox  ✓Ms. Shani Glapion  ✓Ms. Karolyn Perry  ✓Ms. Bailey Spaulding  ✓Mr. Matthew Garth, Attorney	✓Benton McDonough, Director  ✓Terrence Darby Sr, Asst. Director  ✓Douglas James Jr, ASO III  □Darrell Hardrick Sr, ASO III  ✓Melvin S Brown Jr, Special Assistant to the Director  □Amanda Webb, Inspector III	

#### APPEAL OF DECISIONS

If you are not satisfied with a decision of the Metropolitan Beer Permit Board regarding your application or your hearing, you may appeal the decision to the Davidson County Chancery or Circuit Court pursuant to the requirements set forth in T.C.A. 57-5-108. The decisions of the Metropolitan Beer Permit Board take effect on a date to be determined by the board. However, you may file an appeal within 60 days of the date of entry of the board's decision. We advise that you seek your own independent legal advice to ensure that your appeal is filed in a timely manner and that all procedural requirements have been met.

#### I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES AND CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER

Approval of the March 26, 2025, Minutes:	Motion:	Approve minutes
Changes:		
Approval By:	First:	Ms. Jarmon
	Second:	Mr. Conway
Signature of Chairman	Opposed:	None

#### II. PUBLIC COMMENT

A maximum of five (5) persons who write their names on the sign-up sheet provided at the meeting will be allowed to comment on matters that are relevant to items on the agenda. Comments are limited to a maximum of two (2) minutes per person. To provide comment, you must sign up prior to the beginning of the meeting.

Notes: No public comments were made.

### III. APPLICATIONS FOR APPROVAL – STAFF RECOMMEND APPROVAL

(1) Joelton Hardware & Feed	d LLC, 5538 C Clarksville Pike 37080, <b>JOELTON</b>	T24-29152
HARDWARE & FEED		
ON/OFF-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #01)
(2) Friends of Shelby Park, In	nc., 2642 Airpark Dr 37206, <b>CORNELIA AIRPARK CONCERTS</b>	T25-29232
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT OLD)	(Dist. #06)
	May 17, June 14, July 19, August 23, 2025	
(3) Sho Pizzeria Riverside, La	LC, 1309 McGavock Pike 37216, SHO PIZZA BAR	T25-29291
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #07)
(4) Nine Tail, LLC, 1601 A R	iverside Dr 37216, <b>BABO</b>	T25-29333
CATERER		(Dist. #07)
(5) M&M Tavern, LLC, 3424	Lebanon Pike 37076, <b>M&amp;M TAVERN</b>	T24-29166
ON-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #14)
•	nd Inc, 3466 A Lebanon Pike 37076, LAS ISLAS MEXICAN	T25-29288
SEAFOOD		
ON-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #14)
(7) Middle Tennessee State U	Iniversity Foundation, 3130 McGavock Pike 37214, WMOT	T25-29335
ROOTS ON THE RIVERS		
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT OLD)	(Dist. #15)
	May 31, 2025	

(8) Wildhorse Saloon Entertainment Ventures, LLC, 120 2Nd Ave N 37201, CATEGORY 10	T25-29204
ON-SALE (EXPANSION)	(Dist. #19)
(9) Wildhorse Saloon Entertainment Ventures, LLC, 120 2Nd Ave N 37201, CATEGORY 10	23-28203
CATERER	(Dist. #19)
(10) Nashville West End Little Rey, LLC, 2019 West End Ave 37203, LITTLE REY	T24-28791
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
(11) Shaokao LLC, 1812 Hayes St 37203, SHAOKAO	T25-29211
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
(12) DOWNTOWN NASHVILLE SBB LLC, 210 4Th Ave N 37219, SUSHI BY BOU	T25-29270
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
(13) Music City Crawler, LLC, 801 Rep John Lewis Way S 37203, MUSIC CITY CRAWLER (SV3400)	T25-29321
MOBONSALE	(Dist. #19)
(14) Music City Crawler, LLC, 801 Rep John Lewis Way S 37203, MUSIC CITY CRAWLER (SV3401)	T25-29322
MOBONSALE (OTHER)	(Dist. #19)
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(15) Music City Crawler, LLC, 801 Rep John Lewis Way S 37203, MUSIC CITY CRAWLER (SV3400)	
MOBBYOB (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
(16) Music City Crawler, LLC, 801 Rep John Lewis Way S 37203, MUSIC CITY CRAWLER (SV3401)	T25-29324
MOBBYOB (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
(17) Cledis LLC, 7648 Highway 70 S #21 37221, <b>CLEDIS</b>	T25-29229
ON-SALE (NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #22)

(18) Krishna Giurungsubba, 1453 Bell Rd #106 37211, RAJDHANI GROCERIES & CAFE T24					
ON/OFF-SA	LE	(OTHER)	(Dist. #33)		
	(19) Volunteer State Horsemen's Foundation, 2500 Old Hickory Blvd 37221, IROQUOIS T25-29239				
STEEPLEC	CHASE 2025				
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT OLD)				
Saturday, May 10, 2025					
Notes:					
Motion:	Grant applications	Opposed or Abstained: None			
First:	Ms. Jarmon				
Second:	Mr. Conway				

IV. APPLICATIONS TO DEFER INDEFINITELY -STAFF RECOMMEND DEFER INDEF.			
(20) Summit Hotel TRS 060, L	LC, 250 Athens Way 37228, SPRINGHILL SUITES NASHVILLE	T25-29331	
ON/OFF-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #02)	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)		
(21) Stoke Haus, LLC, 948 Ma	nin St 37206, STOKE HAUS	T25-29328	
ON/OFF-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #06)	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)		

(22) Stoke Haus, LLC, 948 Main	a St 37206, STOKE HAUS	T25-29341
MNUFACTURE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #06)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(23) Tango of Tennessee, LLC, 5	540 Opry Mills Dr 37214, <b>DAVE &amp; BUSTERS</b>	T25-29325
ON-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #15)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(24) TENNESSEE ATOMIC LLC	C, 401 Wingrove St 37203, TENNESSEE ATOMIC	T25-29313
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #17)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(25) 2316 12th Ave South LLC, 2	2316 12Th Ave S 37204, <b>FONDA</b>	T25-29314
CATERER		(Dist. #18)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(26) Fine, 2115 10Th Ave S 3720	04, <b>FINE</b>	T25-29330
ON-SALE	(OTHER)	(Dist. #18)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(27) C&P HOPPIN RN LLC, 23	00 Bowline Ave #103 37207, HOPPIN RIVER NORTH	T25-29309
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(28) TENNESSEE ATOMIC LLC	C, 417 4Th Ave N 37219, <b>TENNESSEE ATOMIC</b>	T25-29312
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	

(29) Fast Fine Restaurants, LLC	, 820 Division St 37203, V MODERN ITALIAN	T25-29329
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(30) L J Legacy LLC, 512 Lea A	ve 37203, TIPSY SCOOP	T25-29334
ON/OFF-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(31) TPHTCS, LLC, 700 8Th Ava	e S #500 37203, THE PATTERSON HOUSE AND THE	T25-29337
CATBIRD SEAT		
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #19)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(32) Celebrate Nashville Inc., 25	500 West End Ave 37203, BEST OF NASHVILLE	T25-29318
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT NEW)	(Dist. #21)
	October 8, 2025	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(33) Celebrate Nashville Inc, 250	00 West End Ave 37203, <b>GRAND TASTING AND IRON</b>	T25-29319
FORK- MUSIC CITY FOOD A	AND WINE	
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT NEW)	(Dist. #21)
	April 26, 2025	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(34) Celebrate Nashville Inc., 25	500 West End Ave 37203, FOOD FAIRE- MUSIC CITY FOOD &	T25-29320
WINE		
SPECIAL		(Dist. #21)

	April 27, 2025	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(35) Sperrys Mercantile - Relle	vue LLC, 7745 Highway 70 S 37221, <b>SPERRYS MERCANTILE</b>	T25-29332
OFF-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #22)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	,
(36) Harding Academy, 170 Wi	indsor Dr 37205, WALKER CLAYTON FISH FRY MEMORIAL	T25-29338
SPECIAL	(SPECIAL EVENT OLD)	(Dist. #23)
	May 17, 2025	
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(37) Chivanada LLC, 5028 Cha	arlotte Ave 37209, STREET EATS WEST	T25-29339
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #24)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	
(38) APA USH Chicago Tongot	t LLC, 202 Summit View Dr 37027, <b>HYATT PLACE</b>	T24-29164
_		124-27104
NASHVILLE/BRENTWOOD ON-SALE	(CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP)	(Dist. #26)
ON-SALE	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	(DISt. #20)
	(MISSING BOCCMENTS)	
(39) Commercial Mohan Khem	ani Inc, 5119 Nolensville Pike 37211, CURRY CORNER	T25-29336
ON-SALE	(NEW LOCATION)	(Dist. #27)
	(MISSING DOCUMENTS)	

Notes:			
Motion: First: Second:	Defer applications indefinitely Ms. Jarmon Mr. Conway	Opposed or Abstained: None	
V. BOA	RD DISCUSSION AND DECISION	– APPLICANT REQUEST TO WITHDRA	١W
(40) <i>DOREMI</i> ON-SALE	INC, 2121 Belcourt Ave 37212, <b>DOREMI</b> (NEW		-29317 t. #18)
STAFF RECO	OMMENDATION: Withdraw the applicat	ion.	
Notes:			
Motion: First: Second:	Withdraw applications Ms. Jarmon Mr. Conway	Opposed or Abstained: None	

#### VI. COMPLAINTS

(41) R&R Energy, LLC, 5500 Clarksville PIKE 37080, Friendly Corner

15-17244

**OFF-SALE** 

(Dist. #01)

(Alleged violation of T.C.A 57-5-301(a)(1) Prior to making a sale of beer

for off-premise consumption, state law requires identification for the sale of

beer on or about March 05, 2025). (1st Offense; < 50 BBCC)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: \$500 Civil Penalty

(42) Heba Rezk, 507 Donelson PIKE 37214, Sandy Market Discount Tobacco

10-16735

**OFF-SALE** 

(Dist. #15)

(Alleged violation of M.C.L 7.08.140C It is unlawful for any beer permit

holder or his agent or employee to make or permit to be made any sale of

beer to a person under twenty-one years of age on or about March 16, 2025). (1st Offense)

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION: \$1500 Civil Penalty** 

(43) The Budge LLC, 109 2ND AVE N 37201, **BIG JIMMY'S** 

22-27577

**ON-SALE** 

(Dist. #19)

(Alleged violation of M.C.L 7.08.140C It is unlawful for any beer permit

holder or his agent or employee To make or permit to be made any sale of

beer to a person under twenty-one years of age on or about March 02, 2025). (2nd Offense x2)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: \$3000 Civil Penalty

(44) TMM, INC, 107 2ND AVE N 37201, <b>DOWNTOWN NASHVILLE MARKET</b> OFF-SALE			22-27921 (Dist. #19)	
(Alleged viola	tion of M.C.L 7.08.140C It is unlay	vful for	any beer permit	
holder or his a	ngent or employee to make or pern	nit to be	made any sale of	
beer to a perso	on under twenty-one years of age o	n or ab	out March 02, 2025). (2 <sup>nd</sup> Offense x2)	
STAFF RECO	OMMENDATION: \$3000 Civil Per	nalty		
Notes:				
Motion:	Issue citations as read		Opposed or Abstained: None	
First:	Ms. Jarmon			
Second:	Mr. Conway			
VII. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS				
N/A				
Notes:				
Motion:		Oppos	sed or Abstained:	
First:				
Second:				

#### VIII. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

2025 Privilege Tax Season.

Beer Board Beer Vendor Training.

Court Appointed Training.

#### Notes:

Asst. Director Terrence Darby informed the Board that the 2025 privilege tax season has been closed out. He also advised that we would be re-visiting the Beer Board Vendor Training Program. The Board was informed that staff plans to have a draft available for board review and approval by the end of the current fiscal year. The training will be something similar to the Responsible Vendor Program that the state currently has in place.

Inspector Melvin Brown discussed the challenges of compliance testing underage beer sales due to a shortage of police officers, which has led to a focus on more serious crimes. If approved, the Beer Board may consider having Beer Board inspectors write Metro citations themselves, which could save time and resources. The board also debated the pros and cons of criminal versus Metro citations, noting that criminal citations have more severe consequences.

#### IX. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Notes: Executive Director Benton McDonough provided a summary of the revenue report to the Board. The Board had no questions/concerns.

#### X. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:34 PM.

#### XI. NEXT MEETING INFORMATION

#### **Next Beer Board Meeting:**

Wednesday, 4/23/25, at 5:30 P.M.

#### Location:

Metro Office Building
Development Services Center
800 President Ronald Reagan Way, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor
Nashville, TN 37210

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