

MINUTES
BEER BOARD MEETING
March 10, 2009

The Jackson, Tennessee Beer Board met at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 10, 2009, in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Present were Board members Charles “Pepper” Bray, Johnny Dodd and Charles Rahm. Also present were Lewis Cobb, City Attorney; Gary Hardee, Neighborhood Services Coordinator for Codes Enforcement; and Anita Brooks, recorder of the minutes.

The meeting was called to order. On the motion of Board member Rahm, seconded by Board member Bray, the minutes of the February 3, 2009 meeting were approved and signed.

Chairman Dodd presented a request for an establishment known as The Neely House/The Neely House Café, located at 575 South Royal Street, for “selling, storing and serving beer on the premises where sold.” Mrs. Christi Crocker, manager of the business, and Mr. Hal Crocker were present. On the motion of Board member Rahm, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved.

Chairman Dodd presented a request for an establishment known as Golf DRS LLC at Jones Creek Golf Course, located at 2993 Paul Coffman Drive, for “selling, storing and serving beer on the premises where sold.” Mr. Jeff Reuter, owner and manager of the business, was present. On the motion of Board member Bray, seconded by Board member Rahm, the request was unanimously approved.

Chairman Dodd presented a request for an establishment known as South Pole Lounge, located at 734 Airways Boulevard, for “selling, storing and serving beer on the

premises where sold.” Mr. Joseph Martin, owner and manager of the business, was present. Mr. Martin advised that this was his first time operating a sports bar and that he had made himself familiar with the city’s beer laws. On the motion of Board member Rahm, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved.

Chairman Dodd presented a request for an establishment known as Love’s Travel Stops & Country Stores, Inc. doing business as Love’s Travel Stop #244, located at 2050 Highway 70 East, for “selling, storing and distributing beer for consumption off the premises.” Mr. Ben Moyer, general manager for the store, was present and advised that the area where the store was located was annexed into the city and that they had sold beer at this store location for the last three years. On the motion of Board member Rahm, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved.

Chairman Dodd presented a request for an establishment known as Sridyumna, located at 2059 Highway 70 East, for “selling, storing and distributing beer for consumption off the premises.” Ms. Jyothi Yaram, part owner and manager of the business, was present. Ms. Jyothi Yaram advised that the area where the store was located was annexed into the city. On the motion of Board member Rahm, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved.

Chairman Dodd presented a request for an establishment known as Lane Express, located at 369 Lane Avenue, for “selling, storing and distributing beer for consumption off the premises.” Ms. Iman Zeekeh and Ms. Sozit Omar, owners of the business, were present. The Beer Board and the City Attorney stressed to the owners the importance of not selling beer to underage persons. On the motion of Board

member Rahm, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

JOHNNY DODD, CHAIRMAN