

MINUTES
BEER BOARD MEETING
January 20, 2011

The Jackson, Tennessee, Beer Board met at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 20, 2011, in the City Council Chambers at City Hall. Present were Board members Charles "Pepper" Bray, Johnny Lee Dodd and Charles Rahm. Also present were Gary Hardee, Housing Codes Enforcement Coordinator; Jackson Police Lieutenant Mike Johnson; Lewis Cobb, City Attorney; Sonny Phillips, Revenue Officer; and Anita Brooks, recorder of the minutes.

The meeting was called to order. On the motion of Board member Dodd, seconded by Board member Bray, the minutes from the December 17, 2010, and January 4, 2011, meetings were approved.

A request from Go Gas Quik Stop, Inc., located at 107 Carriage House Drive, for selling, storing and distributing beer for consumption off the premises was presented for consideration. Bassam Saleh, owner of the business, was present. Bassam Saleh advised that he had never owned a convenience store but he had work at one for five years. On the motion of Board member Dodd, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved. Bassam Saleh was advised to card everyone who purchased beer from his establishment.

A request from the Frontier Rodeo Company for a special occasion permit to sell, store and serve beer at an event to be held at the Jackson Oman Arena on January 21st and 22nd, 2011, known as the Bud Light Bull Riding Classic was presented for consideration. Craig Copeland, manager for the Frontier Rodeo

Company, was present and answered questions regarding the event. On the motion of Board member Dodd, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved.

A request from El Comal 3, Inc., located at 1110 Vann Drive, for selling, storing and serving beer on the premises where sold was presented for consideration. Jose Onate, one of the owners of the business, was present. Jose Onate advised that he had been in the restaurant business before. Jose Onate advised that all of the owners of the El Comal Mexican Restaurant resided in Middle Tennessee, and the restaurant manager, who resided in Dickson, Tennessee, planned to move to Jackson. Jose Onate advised that they planned to open the restaurant for business next week. Jose Onate also answered questions regarding the ownership of the real estate property and the personal property equipment where the restaurant was located. On the motion of Board member Dodd, seconded by Board member Bray, the request was unanimously approved.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

CHARLES RAHM, CHAIRMAN