

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE
July 5, 2016
MINUTES

1.0 Roll Call 6:15PM

Present: Alderman Taylor, Alderman Newsome, Alderman Moisio, Alderman Valko, Alderman TenPas

Absent: None

2.0 Approval of June 6, 2016 Minutes

Motion by Alderman TenPas, seconded by Alderman Valko to approve the Minutes of the July 6, 2016 Judiciary Committee meeting.

AYES: All NAYES: None

3.0 Old Business

None

4.0 New Business

4.1 Motion authorizing the proper City officials to draft an ordinance creating a new class of license, specifically, EE-B, said license reading as follows:

(10.6) *Class "EE-B"* which authorizes the retail sale, but not for consumption on the premises where sold, of beer and wine in the original package by a person whose principal business is other than the sale at retail of such beer and wine, said store having a minimum square footage of 13,000 square feet and a maximum square footage of 29,999. All persons ringing up alcoholic liquor must be 21 years of age and must successfully complete BASSET or equivalent training. The annual fee for such license shall be in accordance with the fee schedule listed in subparagraph (d) of this section.

(d) *Fee schedule.* The annual fee, starting with the 2011 license year, shall be in accordance with the following fee schedule:

License Class	Section 3-40 subsection	Fee
EE-B—Retail sale but not for consumption of beer/wine in original package primary other than sale at retail, said store having a minimum square footage of 13,000 square feet and a maximum square footage of 29,999.	(10.6)	1,400.00

Alderman Moisio gives Alderman Cunningham permission to speak from the floor.

Alderman Cunningham asks how many new licenses this will create.

Mayor Motley responds that stores like Walgreens, CVS, and Aldi would qualify.

Alderman Cunningham asks which Walgreens.

Mayor Motley responds that all of them qualify.

Alderman Cunningham states that these new licenses will cripple the existing establishments all of the businesses will be negatively affected and recommends that the Judiciary Committee vote no.

Alderman Moisio states that alcohol is a legal commodity just like any other product that is sold and there is too much overregulation.

Alderman Cunningham states that more information is needed and all of the local business in town will be negatively affected and major corridors will take a hit and the he will hold this over at council.

Alderman Moisio states that there have been plenty of new liquor stores opened in the past few years that have not resulted in negative impacts on the older liquor stores.

Motion by Alderman Taylor and seconded by Alderman Valko to recommend authorizing the proper City officials to draft an ordinance creating a new class of license, specifically, EE-B.

AYES: Taylor, Valko, Moisio NAYES: TenPas, Newsome

5.0 Adjournment

Motion by Alderman Taylor and seconded by Alderman Valko to adjourn the July 5, 2016 Judiciary Committee meeting.

AYES: All NAYES: None

6:30PM