

Village of Cecil Special Board Meeting 06-25-14

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM by Pres J Nolan.

Those attending the meeting were J Nolan, D Moesch, J Slatky, A Kallies, J Herbel, T Sumnicht, P Wescott, T Schmid-Village Attorney, J Giese-Cecil Bay Pub & Grill, J Zierden-WE Inc.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Announcements:

Motion was made to approve the agenda and deviate from it by A Kallies, seconded by J Herbel, motion carried.

The meeting is in compliance with the "Open Meeting Law", being both published and posted.

Discussion and Action: Due Process Hearing on Liquor License for J Giese d/b/a/ Cecil Bay Pub & Grill. T Schmid, Village Attorney, laid out the procedure for the non-renewal of the liquor license, the questioning process, the notice; the proceeding is being taped. The Village Clerk was sworn in by the Deputy Clerk. The Clerk presented to the board the case before the village in regards to the J Giese License. J Giese was allowed to question the Clerk. J Giese then presented his case to the board. J Giese gave to the board a copy of the calls to his location, he explained the calls made to his establishment, he gave to the board a copy of the calls made to competitors in Cecil. J Giese compared his disturbances to the other establishment disturbances. J Giese then explained what he thought he could do to solve the problems that are occurring with the establishments, starting with a camera system. Regarding the Facebook issue, he claims that he did not put this picture on Facebook and wishes to have it removed, he is appalled by the picture. J Giese apologized for having a bar on the sidewalk, outside his establishment on June 14th, 2014. J Giese then explained that if he were not renewed 3 people would lose income as well as his landlord Mr Zierden, who also was in attendance. J Giese thanked the board for listening and apologized to the board for putting them through the special meeting. T Schmid questioned J Giese about the Gun issue in the Cecil Bay Pub & Grill, J Giese denied saying what was listed in the police report. He was also questioned by board members about the sign/boat hanging over his establishment, and about the young bartender that draws in underage drinkers. J Giese explained that he has now gotten an older bartender along with himself to bartend on weekends, using the younger bartender during the week. J Giese then explained how he has been cited for things that happen in front of his establishment that other establishments are not. J Giese then went on to explain other incidents that happened at his establishment. T Schmid asked if he knew that he was responsible even though he was not on the premises. J Giese was questioned as to who managed his Facebook Account. J Giese stated that it was not his Facebook Ad and that he was not the person who put the picture on Facebook. J Giese did admit that he had a Facebook site, but claimed that this was not his site, and claims that he has been trying to remove it for 2 years.

Motion was made by J Slatky not to renew the license of J Giese of the Cecil Bay Pub & Grill due to the over 40 calls made to the police department, the 3 convictions for underage drinking or patrons in the establishment, seconded by A Kallies, roll call vote, 3 abstentions, 4 ayes, motion carried.

Motion made by A Kallies to adjourn the meeting, seconded by J Herbel, motion carried.
Meeting adjourned at 6:52PM

Teri Westerfeld, Clerk/Treasurer

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