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Liquor License Committee Meeting

Date: Tuesday, September 13, 2016
Time: 7:30 p.m.
Place: Community Board 8 Office
197-15 Hillside Avenue
Hollis, NY 11423

Michael Hannibal, *Liquor License Committee Chair*

Board Members: Carolann Foley, Kevin Forrestal, Marc A. Haken, James Gallagher Jr., Michael Hannibal, Mark J. Lefkof, Frank Magri.

Also in attendance: Raquel M. Farez, Owner – Raquel’s Restaurant NY Corp.
Valerie Tapia, Translator – Raquel’s Restaurant NY Corp.
Ellen Lee, Applicant Representative – ABC License
Andy Lee, Owner – Stellar 153, Inc.
Shawn Joseph, Owner – Fitz J., Inc.
Michael Joseph – Fitz J., Inc.
Shun Fa Wu, Owner – ACCJ Enterprises, LLC
Jae Yu, Applicant Representative – NY License
Soo Jeong Choi, Owner – Waker USA, Inc.
Marie Adam-Ovide, Community Board 8, District Manager
Jatnna Reyes, Community Board 8 Staff

Liquor License Committee Chair Michael Hannibal called this meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. This was followed by self-introductions of all Board Members and staff.

Purpose:

This is to introduce the applicants to the Community Board to make them aware of the expectations of the Board for businesses with on-premises liquor licenses. This establishment is applying for a full liquor license for a Restaurant.

- I. Raquel’s Restaurant NY Corp.**
172-37 Hillside Avenue, Jamaica NY 11432

Michael Hannibal –

Have you ever filed for an application of this nature before?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – No, this is the first time. We haven’t filed the application yet because we wanted to get the approval from the Community Board first.

Carolann Foley – *That don't happen.*

Mark J. Lefkof –
That's a reverse process.

Ellen Lee –
We were told that we have to get the approval from the Community Board before we apply, so we waited until the meeting today.

DM Adam-Ovide –
They cannot submit their application until they meet with us.
Answer: [Michael Hannibal] – Ok.
[Mark Lefkof] – Ok.
[Carolann Foley] – Ok.

Kevin Forrestal –
We've always had applications before.
Answer: [DM Adam-Ovide] – They have the application. They notify us that they are about to apply but they are not allowed to submit the application to the State Liquor Authority (SLA) until they have had a chance to meet with the Community Board and get our approval. That was something the Community Board requested to the SLA, otherwise SLA would have given them approval without our input.
Answer: [Michael Hannibal] – Thank you for clarifying that for us.

Is this establishment going to be a restaurant?
Answer: [Ellen Lee] – Yes.

At this time do you have a Certificate of Occupancy (C of O)?
Answer: [Ellen Lee] – Yes, there is a valid Certificate of Occupancy. Maximum occupancy allowed is 44 persons. We have emailed the Community Board a copy of that C of O prior to this meeting. There is a new C of O that was issued in 2011.

DM Adam-Ovide –
In the past, at the same location the previous owner was cited for having 80 people that was in 2014, doing a march operation. Is the capacity more than 44? Or is the capacity 80 and you seek not to get the Public Assembly Permit?
Answer: [Ellen Lee] - The capacity is definitely less than 75. There is only seating for 44 people at this restaurant. I don't know why the other operator had more than the certain numbers allowed. We cannot answer for the previous owner.

Michael Hannibal –
Then you will not need a Place of Assembly Permit?
Answer: [Ellen Lee.] – No.

Mark J. Lefkof –
Is it strictly a restaurant or will there be a bar?
Answer: [Ellen Lee] – No bar. We are applying for full liquor only because she needs to sell cocktails which will have liquor in it.

Frank Magri –
So this establishment will be a restaurant? Not a Bar/Lounge?
Answer: [Ellen lee] – It's a restaurant not a Bar/Lounge.

Michael Hannibal –
What will be the hours of operation?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – From 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., Monday to Thursday. Friday, Saturday and Sunday she will open from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. The reason for closing late on weekends is because families gather a little late. We will not go beyond 1:00 a.m. We will change them if we have to.

In terms of underage drinking, how will that be handled?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – I discussed this with her prior to coming to the meeting. Every customer who orders a drink will be asked to present a valid ID. If they are not over 21, the order will not be taken at all.

Will you have signs around the establishment to emphasize that?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – Yes.

What security measures will be taken?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – We are not planning to have security because this is more of a restaurant operation not a bar. If there are rowdy customers, they will be asked to leave the restaurant. If they refuse to do so, the police will be called. We do not need to hire security. It is not a restaurant where we will be expecting college students for drinks or have a shot. This is not the type of establishment we will have at this location.

Mark J. Lefkof –

For the record, we should make a notation that Ms. Raquel is acknowledging and undersanding everything that the representative is saying about the establishment.

Valerie Tapia –

Ms. Tapia translated everything that was said to Ms. Raquel in Spanish.

Answer: [Raquel Farez] – No security. This is not a bar, it is a restaurant.

Kevin Forrestal –

Can you ask her if she understands everything that is being said.

Answer: [Ms. Tapia] – Yes, she is understanding. Her problem is that she can't speak English very well. I am here today to translate.

Michael Hannibal –

How will you maintain cleanliness in front of your establishment (i.e. smokers (ashtray))?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – No smoking will be emphasized within the establishment at all times of operation. I know there are some smokers that will want to smoke outside. We will have signs that will say, "Please respect our neighbors". We will not have ashtrays outside because it will attract more people to smoke outside. Ms. Raquel will clean the establishment before opening and after closing.

Is there any relationship with the gentleman that came back in June for Kiko's Bar/Lounge? What is that relationship?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – She is not related to Kiko's Bar. The relationship with those two partners from Kiko's fell apart. The lease was in Mr. Edison's name and he could not sell the establishment. Ms. Farez is very close to Mr. Edison and he decided to sell her the establishment since Ms. Farez always wanted to own a restaurant.

So there isn't a relationship between the two? Family?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – No. She bought the business from him. She took over the lease and made renovations herself, and is up to this part of the process.

So, we are looking at a new owner here with Ms. Forez?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – Yes.

Mr. Hannibal opened the meeting for questions from the Board Members.

Carolann Foley –

I know we have discussed security and it was said that there will be none, I can understand that with a restaurant that will only hold 44 people. What disturbs me a little bit is; any establishment that is open between 11 p.m. and 1 a.m. is a target for many different things. Perhaps, coming in and wanting you to serve them that shot that you think you don't want to serve. Parts of Union Turnpike are desolate at 1:00 a.m., your opening Hillside Avenue. We think you should reconsider having security at least for those late hours. I work for the 107th Precinct, we have meetings for merchants and the community every fourth Tuesday of the month, I think you should come and introduce yourself to the community so that if you have any issues NYPD is there for you and viceversa.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – Ms. Farez will hire security if necessary for those late hours to prevent unwanted situations from occurring.

Not just for our patrons but also for herself and her employees.

Michael Hannibal –

Your are also right across from the Park. There may be questionable people showing up at that time.

Kevin Forrestal –

You may want to change the hours of operation. You already indicated that you are interested in doing that if it works. You may want to consider that.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – We are only stretching it to 1:00 a.m. We are not going to be open until that time.

Carolann Foley –

You are using that as a wall so that people don't get angry! I see what you're doing.

Answer: [Ellen lee] – Once she opens the restaurant and sees that not many customers walk-in after a certain hour, that certain hour will be her closing time.

Mark J. Lefkof –

I suggest that you put security cameras.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – She is installing surveillance cameras all over the establishment.

Do they have the 30 day tape on them?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – Yes.

We have on file a Stop Work Order for this location. Can you tell us about that?

DM Adam-Ovide –

There is a Stop Work Order that is still in effect on this location.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – Yes, I saw that but that was back in 1991.

Mark J. Lefkof –

No.

DM Adam-Ovide –

The Borough Commissioner has issued a 15 day letter of intent to revoke and that was for permit #42125023. The date is May 4, 2016.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – May 4, 2016? I didn't see that.

Mark J. Lefkof –

You stated that renovations were done.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – She signed the lease on June 28, 2016. The renovations were done after this date not prior.

There is a Stop Work Order on the property itself. It doesn't make a difference whether is before, after or during.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – We will speak to the landlord and have it cleared sir.

We want you to be aware that it exists.

Michael Hannibal –

When you have that resolved, can you get back to us as soon as possible?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – We will get the answer back from the landlord.

Does she know what a Stop Work Order is?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – This Work Order is addressed to 172-41 Hillside Avenue.

DM Adam-Ovide –

When we go to the main it shows that address.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – That is because it’s referring to the whole address. It is under one block and lot.

Carolann Foley –

We really would like to know that this is clarified.

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – We will speak to the landlord about this.

Marc A. Haken –

On Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, how many guitars?

Answer: [Ellen Lee] – No guitars sir. There is no room for guitars. It’s just really recorded music.

Mark J. Lefkof made a motion to accept the application for a Liquor, Wine and Beer License for Raquel’s Restaurant NY Corp. located at 172-37 Hillside Avenue, seconded by Kevin Forrestal with the condition of clarifying the disposition of the existing Stop Work Order.

Votes in favor: 7

Votes against: 0

Board Members who voted in favor: Carolann Foley, Kevin Forrestal, Marc A. Haken, James Gallagher Jr., Michael Hannibal, Mark J. Lefkof, Frank Magri.

Board Members who voted against: None.

Mr. Hannibal congratulated the applicants and advised them to inform the Community Board once the issue with the Stop Work Order is taken care of.

Purpose:

This is to introduce the applicants to the Community Board to make them aware of the expectations of the board for businesses with on-premises liquor licenses. This establishment is applying for a full liquor license for a Restaurant.

**I. Stellar 153, Inc.
153-11 Union Turnpike, Flushing, NY 11367**

This type of establishment is going to be a restaurant?

Answer: [Andy Lee]- Yes. A Japanese restaurant.

Have you ever applied or filed for an application before?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – Yes.

When was this?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – I’ve been operating Kyoto Restaurant that has been at this location for over 12 years. I currently have a full liquor license.

Carolann Foley –

So why is this new and not a renewal?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – We are inventing a new restaurant. We'll have a new chef, new food and it will have a new name.

Michael Hannibal –

It's an incorporation all together.

At this time do you have a Certificate of Occupancy?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – Yes.

What is the maximum occupancy of the location?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – Less than Seventy-five (75).

Then you will not need a Place of Assembly Permit?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – No.

What will be the hours of operation?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – The restaurant will be open from 11 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Friday 11 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Saturday 12 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. and Sunday is 12 p.m. to 10 p.m.

How will you handle underage drinking?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – We ask for IDs at all times.

Marc A. Haken –

Is it a natural bar/restaurant? Or just table serves?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – Table serves. There is only seven (7) seats at the bar.

So people can be seated at the bar?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – Yes.

Michael Hannibal –

In terms of security measures, will they remain the same as now?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – Yes, they will stay the same. We have security cameras.

How will you maintain cleanliness in front of your establishment (i.e. smokers (ashtray))?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – We sweep every hour.

Mr. Hannibal opened the meeting for questions from the Board Members.

Carolann Foley –

Did you say there are cameras or there are no cameras?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – Yes, we have cameras.

Michael Hannibal –

How is your relationship with the 107th precinct?

Answer: [Andy Lee] – My brother-in-law is a Lieutenant there.

Kevin Forrestal made a motion to accept the application for a Liquor, Wine and Beer License for Stellar 153, Inc. located at 15311 Union Turnpike, seconded by Marc A. Haken.

Votes in favor: 7

Votes against: 0

Board Members who voted in favor: Carolann Foley, Kevin Forrestal, Marc A. Haken, James Gallagher Jr., Michael Hannibal, Mark J. Lefkof, Frank Magri.

Board Members who voted against: None.

Purpose:

This is to introduce the applicants to the Community Board to make them aware of the expectations of the board for businesses with on-premises liquor licenses. This establishment is applying for a full liquor license for a Bar/Tavern.

**II. Shawn Joseph (trade name TBD)
178-23 Hillside Avenue, Jamaica, NY 11432**

This type of establishment is going to be a Bar/Tavern? Correct?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph]- Yes.

Have you ever applied or filed for an application before?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – No. This is the first time.

Kevin Forrestal –

You haven't established who you are yet?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – We have a corporation.

Michael Hannibal –

What is the corporation's name?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Fitz J. Corp.

At this time do you have a Certificate of Occupancy?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Yes. It's a real old copy, I didn't bother printing it out because I didn't think it was going to print clearly. I can email it to you if you want. I have a copy on my phone.

DM Adam-Ovide –

If you have a copy on your phone can you email it to: qn08@cb.nyc.gov?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Ok.

What is the address that you have on that Certificate of Occupancy?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – The current address: 178-23 Hillside Avenue.

Are you sure it is 23? I could not find it on the Department of Buildings website.

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – It says 178-23 here.

I saw 178-21 and 178-21A but not 178-23.

Michael Hannibal –

What is the maximum occupancy of the location?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – We only have Twenty-five (25) seats available at this establishment.

With standing, how many people will be able to go in there?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Between 40 to 50 people.

Then you will not need a Place of Assembly Permit?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – No.

What will be the hours of operation?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Monday to Saturday from 3:00 p.m. to 2:30 a.m. Sundays 3:00 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. If it slows down we'll close early.

Frank Magri –

Will you stay later than 2:30 a.m.?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – I’ll try not to.

Carolann Foley –

What do you mean you’ll try not to? Is this establishment in operation now?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Yes. We have a temporary license in place.

Michael Hannibal –

How will you handle underage drinking?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – We ask for IDs at all times. We’ll also have a ID Card reader.

Carolann Foley –

What kind of IDs do you ask for?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – State Photo ID.

Do you have security there? Cameras?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Yes. We have eight (8) cameras.

Inside and outside?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Yes.

Mark J. Lefkof –

How long does it take?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – 30 days.

Michael Hannibal –

What other security measures will you have there?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] –If we feel the need, we will hire a licensed security firm. The previous owner said he never had the need for it.

Carolann Foley –

Do you have any relationship with the previous owner of this establishment?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – No.

Michael Hannibal –

How will you maintain cleanliness in front of your establishment (i.e. smokers (ashtray))?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – We sweep in front of the business all the way to the curb, we also clean the back.

Do you have carting to pick up extra trash?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Yes. We have Action Carting Service.

Mr. Hannibal opened the meeting for questions from the Board Members.

DM Adam-Ovide – DM Adam-Ovide showed the Certificate of Occupancy that is on file on the Department of Buildings website which shows 178-21 & 178-21A as the address for this establishment. She asked which address is the corresponding one for the C of O for this establishment.

Carolann Foley –

In the application it shows that the establishment is located on the first floor and basement. What is the basement being used for?

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – The basement has the walk-in cooler.

I invite you to attend the 107th Precinct Council meetings every fourth Tuesday of the month at the 107th Precinct. As a merchant I think it may be a good idea for you to attend.

Answer: [Shawn Joseph] – Sure, will do.

Marc A. Haken made a motion to accept the application for a Liquor, Wine and Beer License for Shawn Joseph (trade name TBD) located at 178-23 Hillside Avenue, seconded by Kevin Forrestal.

Votes in favor: 7

Votes against: 0

Board Members who voted in favor: Carolann Foley, Kevin Forrestal, Marc A. Haken, James Gallagher Jr., Michael Hannibal, Mark J. Lefkof, Frank Magri.

Board Members who voted against: None.

Frank Magri made a motion to accept the application for a Liquor, Wine and Beer License for Shawn Joseph (trade name TBD) located at 178-23 Hillside Avenue, seconded by Carolann Foley, with the exception of clarifying the correct address of the C of O and obtaining an ID Scanner to prevent underage drinking.

Votes in favor: 7

Votes against: 0

Board Members who voted in favor: Carolann Foley, Kevin Forrestal, Marc A. Haken, James Gallagher Jr., Michael Hannibal, Mark J. Lefkof, Frank Magri.

Board Members who voted against: None.

Purpose:

This is to introduce the applicants to the Community Board to make them aware of the expectations of the board for businesses with on-premises liquor licenses. This establishment is applying for a full liquor license for a Restaurant.

**I. AACJ Enterprises, LLC.
181-08 Union Turnpike, Fresh Meadows, NY 11366**

This type of establishment is going to be a restaurant?

Answer: [Jae Yu]- Yes.

Have you ever applied or filed for an application before?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – No.

At this time do you have a Certificate of Occupancy?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes. Here is a copy.

What is the maximum occupancy of the location?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – It’s about 127 people.

Then you will need a Place of Assembly Permit?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes, but right now I do not have a PA Permit. The previous owner has one. We had a transition of change of ownership. We didn’t find enough time to locate the PA once I have that I’ll email it over to you.

Mark J. Lefkof –

What was in this location previously?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – A Chinese restaurant. It’s been there for 65 years.

Marc A. Haken –

Is this King Yum?

Answer: [Joyce Wu] – Yes.

Mark J. Lefkof –

The community had understood that this was going to be an Asian Senior Center. This is what the community was told.

Answer: [Jae Yu] – No. It is a restaurant.

Marie Adam-Ovide –

I do not believe that the Public Assembly Permit can be transferred from one owner to another. You need to file for a new PA Permit.

Answer: [Jae Yu] – I think so, yeah.

Michael Hannibal –

We'll need some clarity around that.

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes. We are working on it. The New York City processing is not fast enough.

Marie Adam-Ovide –

If you are having problems with the Public Assembly Permit, I can talk to the Department of Buildings about that. Make sure that you have an inspection or whatever needs to be done. We help everyone with that so you can let us know about issues that you are having with DOB.

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Can I have a business card.

Michael Hannibal –

What will be the hours of operation?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Monday through Sunday from 11 a.m. to 12 a.m.

How will you handle underage drinking?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – We will ask for government issued IDs. If they are underage we will not serve them liquor.

Marc A. Haken –

How many seats at the bar?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – 11 to 12.

Michael Hannibal –

In terms of security measures, what are you doing?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – It is going to be a family orientated restaurant. We will not have security. We have a good number of employees who can monitor the customer's behavior sitting at the table.

Do you have security cameras?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes.

How will you maintain cleanliness in front of your establishment (i.e. smokers (ashtray))?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – We will have standing smoking receptacles outside for smokers. Before opening/after closing the restaurant, the employees will clean the front of the establishment and wherever else is necessary.

Mr. Hannibal opened the meeting for questions from the Board Members.

Frank Magri –

You said you are not concerned about security and that's a good feeling. You checked Disc Jockey on the application on your method of operation. Recorded music is one thing but once you have a Disc Jockey, aren't you concerned about the crowd that you are going to attract (i.e. young crowd)?

Carolann Foley –

Are you having Karaoke there?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes. We will have Karaoke on Fridays.

Frank Magri –

Is that what you mean by Disc Jockey?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes. I have to re-notify you because I forgot to put it there.

So it is safe to say that you will not have a Disc Jockey there and it will be a Karaoke?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes.

Carolann Foley –

How often?

Answer: [Joyce Wu] – Every Friday night.

What are you going to be do about being open from 12 a.m. to 12:30 a.m. at night to maintain the quality of life for the people that live around you?

Answer: [Joyce Yu] – We'll close on time.

Answer: [Jae Yu] – We'll close at 12:30 a.m. but the Karaoke will not last that late. Karaoke will be from 9:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

Michael Hannibal –

So the method of operation will be Reocorded Music and Karaoke?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes. I am going to re-notify you tomorrow.

Yes, you will have to re-do the application.

Mark Lefkof –

I am very familiar with the previous owner. What type of food are you going to be serving? Is it Asian Fusion, Chinese, Cantonese?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – The menu will be very similar. We will just add a few things to it (i.e. Honey Garlic Chicken).

Will you have enough dumpsters, so that the lids can close? The nature of the community is that this restaurant is very close to the park. You have to make sure the bins will be closed at all times. How often will Sanitation pick up the trash?

Answer: [Joyce Wu] – They come every night.

Kevin Forrestal –

The restaurant was closed for several sanitary reasons by the Department of Health and received several B ratings. Is there something systemic going on or is there a facility problem with the hot water, dish washers?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Actually, I went there to do site survey for the Liquor License. The place has been there for over 65 years and it's going to be remodeled.

Michael Hannibal –

I recommend that you get involved with the 107th precinct and attend their council meeting on the fourth Tuesday of every month.

Marc A. Haken made a motion to accept the application for a Liquor, Wine and Beer License with the exception of getting the Public Assembly Permit and removing Disc Jockey from the application, for AACJ Enterprises, LLC located at 181-08 Union Turnpike, seconded by Carolann Foley.

Votes in favor: 7

Votes against: 0

Board Members who voted in favor: Carolann Foley, Kevin Forrestal, Marc A. Haken, James Gallagher Jr., Michael Hannibal, Mark J. Lefkof, Frank Magri.

Board Members who voted against: None.

Purpose:

This is to introduce the applicants to the Community Board to make them aware of the expectations of the board for businesses with on-premises liquor licenses. This establishment is applying for a Wine/Beer License for a Restaurant.

**I. Waker USA, Inc.
180-10 Union Turnpike, Fresh Meadows, NY 11366**

Have you applied for an application before?

Answer: [Soo Jeong Choi] – No. This is the first time.

This type of establishment is going to be a restaurant?

Answer: [Soo Jeong Choi]- Yes.

At this time do you have a Certificate of Occupancy?

Answer: [Soo Jeong Choi] – Yes. (A copy of the C of O was provided to the Community Board)

What is the maximum occupancy of the location?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – 20 to 25 people maximum occupancy.

Your particular establishment only holds 25 people?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes.

Then you will not need a Place of Assembly Permit?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – No.

What will be the hours of operation?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – From 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Seven (7) days a week.

How will you handle underage drinking?

Answer: [Soo Jeong Choi] – We will ask for photo ID.

What security measures will be taken?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – There is only about 10 to 14 chairs with 5 to 6 tables. We'll have three (3) employees who will observe the customers. We are not going to have any security guards. Employees will monitor the customers behavior.

Will you have surveillance camera?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes, we do.

Inside and outside?

Answer: [Soo Jeong Choi] – Yes, we have seven (7) cameras, inside and outside.

Is it a 30 day recording cameras?

Answer: [Jae Yu] – Yes.

How will you maintain cleanliness in front of your establishment (i.e. smokers (ashtray))?

Answer: [Jae Wu] – it is a very small space in front of the establishment. Ms. Choi will clean before opening and after closing. As far as smoking I will recommend her to have standing cigarette ashtrays.

Mr. Hannibal opened the meeting for questions from the Board Members.

Marc A. Haken –

What type of food will you be serving?

Answer: *[See Jeong Choi] – Korean food.*

Will you be doing take-outs? Since you'll only have fourteen (14) tables.

Answer: *[Soo Jeong Choi] – Yes.*

Mark J. Lefkof made a motion to accept the application for a Wine and Beer License for Waker USA, Inc. located 180-10 Union Turnpike, seconded by Carolann Foley.

Votes in favor: 7

Votes against: 0

Board Members who voted in favor: Carolann Foley, Kevin Forrestal, Marc A. Haken, James Gallagher Jr., Michael Hannibal, Mark J. Lefkof, Frank Magri.

Board Members who voted against: None.

Carolann Foley –

Congratulations! & Good Luck!

This meeting was adjourned at 8:53 p.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Jatna Reyes, Community Board 8 Staff
September 20, 2016*