

MINUTES
BUSINESS LICENSE COMMISSION

FEBRUARY 2, 1988

I. CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the West Hollywood Business License Commission held on the above date in the City Council Chambers of West Hollywood City Hall, 8615 Santa Monica Blvd., West Hollywood, CA, was called to order at 7:12 p.m., by Commission Chair Lester Hirsch.

A. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Debbie Trunkenbolz.

C. Roll Call:

Commissioners Present: Ellis, Forbes, Hirsch, Smith, Stribling

Commissioners Absent: None

Staff Present: Paul Self, Business License Officer; Debbie Trunkenbolz, Code Enforcement Officer; Deputy Early Lincoln, L.A. County Sheriff's Licensing Detail.

D. Approval of Agenda

Action: To approve agenda, continuing Item III.C. to March 15, 1988.

(Motion: Stribling Second: Smith)
Motion Carried unanimously.

E. Approval of Minutes

Action: To approve minutes of January 5, 1988, with the following correction:

Under "Staff Present" include Debbie Trunkenbolz, Code Enforcement Officer

(Motion: Forbes, Second: Stribling)
Motion Carried unanimously.

Action: To approve the minutes of January 19, 1988 as written.

(Motion: Forbes, Second: Stribling)
Motion Carried unanimously.

II. ITEMS FROM CITIZENS: None

III. PUBLIC HEARINGS

A. BLC-87-024
JVL Books, Inc. dba "Casanova's Adult World"
7766 Santa Monica Blvd., West Hollywood.

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Application for renewal of Adult Bookstore license
(Continued from January 5, 1988.)

Staff report presented by Self.

Public Hearing Opened at 7:21 p.m.
Public Hearing Closed at 7:30 p.m.

Action: To renew the Adult Bookstore license for JVL Books, Inc. dba "Casanova's Adult World" with the following conditions:

1. The licensee must correct all outstanding Building and Safety and Zoning Ordinance violations within 15 days of approval by the Commission.

2. The licensee must distribute or must make available to patrons of the establishment "safe-sex" literature; that is, literature which provides information on sexual practices which avoid the spread of sexually transmitted diseases, as a condition of the renewal of the license.

(Motion: Smith Second: Stribling)
Motion Carried unanimously.

B. BLC-88-002
Alhar Enterprises, Inc. dba "Peanuts Disco"
7969 Santa Monica Blvd., West Hollywood
Renewal of Entertainment-Adult, Public Eating and
Dance business licenses
(Continued from January 5, 1988.)

Action: To continue the hearing to the regular meeting of March 1, 1988 and re-advertise, re-notice and re-open the public hearing.

(Motion: Smith Second: Ellis)

Ellis: Aye
Forbes: Aye
Hirsch: Aye
Smith: Aye
Stribling: Aye

Motion Carried unanimously.

IV. COMMISSION CHAIR'S REPORT: None.

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V. ITEMS FROM COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Smith reported to the Commission that the Business License Ordinance Task Force has met three times to-date and has reviewed the list of businesses which should be licensed and/or registered. The Commission thanked Commissioner Smith for her work.

The Commission also asked Staff to investigate whether or not the City Attorney could be present at specified Commission meetings.

VI. ITEMS FROM STAFF:

Staff reported to the Commission that there would be a clerical person to take minutes of the Commission beginning with the first meeting of the Commission in March.

VII. ITEMS FROM CITIZENS: None

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Action: To adjourn to the regular meeting of February 16, 1988.

(Motion: Forbes, Second: Ellis)
Motion Carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Leticia Gursic

CHAIR

Paul Jeff

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT