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**Joseph Russo**  
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### **Economic Development Committee**

**November 4, 2020.7:30 PM**

**Cisco Webex**

Present: T. Accomando, H. Acampora, B. Bieder, A. Chirico, L. Popovic, T. Chambers,  
J. Roberts, T. Smith, P. Caruso

Absent: J. Onwu

The meeting began at 7:35 with the Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Accomando thanked all in attendance for participating in the WebEx meeting and expressed his concern that this is a very difficult time for the restaurant establishments.

The committee then went on to address the Renewals. Mr. Accomando stated when your establishment is called on please tell us how you've been managing during the coronavirus crisis. Some establishments expressed many concerns of the unknown future for the business and coping as best they could under the city's regulations, while others expressed troubling concerns and felt that they are not getting any help from their elected officials and the community board itself. Mr. Accomando stated that the Community Board has limited powers and that they are doing everything they can to advise the establishments going forward. Noting that Patrick Caruso has been diligently distributing countless emails and taking phone calls on a regular basis. Most establishments acknowledge the good work and the cooperation they have received from the office. One establishment expressed his concern that his restaurant has been inundated with countless inspections for no reason and believes he's being targeted for no reason. The committee found this very disturbing and Mariel De La Cruz from the Comptroller's office who was in attendance found this to be troubling as well, and will look into it and see if they can be of any assistance in this manner. We will follow up with her. At this time the chairman made a motion to except the renewals and it was made by Mr. Bieder and second by Mrs. Chambers. The vote was unanimous.

"Resolved...at the recommendation of the Economic Development Committee of Bronx Community Board #10, that the following establishments applying for renewal licenses have agreed to comply with the best management practice standards contained within the Stipulations, by signing them, and to further agree to attend ATAP training, and that their compliance be sent to the State Liquor Authority, along with the Resolution and the vote, and copies placed in the Board's file:"

\*Crosstown Diner, 2880 Bruckner Blvd, 10465, between E Tremont & Revere Aves, License #1004086, which expires on 12/31/2020.

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\*P J Brady’s, 3201 Philip Ave, 10465, between Vincent & Wilcox Aves, License # 1004087, which expires on 01/31/2021.

\*IKKO, 3938 E Tremont Ave, 10465, between Dewey & Sampson Aves, License #1311097, which expires on 12/31/2020.

\*Redwood Pleasure Club, 2680 Schurz Ave, 10465, between Graff & Buttrick Aves, License #1003341, which expires on 02/28/2021.

\*Buhre Mini Mart & Deli, 3056 Buhre Ave, 10461, between Hobart & Jarvis Aves, License #1212225, which expires on 01/31/2021.

\*T N Memorial Post #1456, 1456 Shore Rd, 10465, between Barkley & Layton Aves, License #1003343, which expires on 02/28/21.

\*D A Beach Club, 665 Shore Drive, 10465, between Randall & Schley Aves, License #1003338, which expires on 02/28/21.

\*Manhem Club, 688 Clarence Ave, 10465, between Randall & Schley Aves, License #1003340, which expires on 02/28/2021.

\*Sam Young Post #620-Am Legion, 1530 Hutchinson River Pkwy, 10461, between Zulette & E Tremont Aves, License #1003323, which expires on 01/31/2021.

The committee went on to address the new licenses. There was a discussion between the new owners and the committee members. Mr. Accomando noted that this is the first time applying for a license and that they must attend a ATAP training. At this time the Chairman made a motion to except. It was made by Mr. Bieder and seconded by Mr. Roberts. The vote was unanimous.

“Resolved...at the recommendation of the Economic Development Committee of Bronx Community Board #10, that the following establishments applying for a new license, have agreed to comply with the best management practice standards contained within the Stipulations, by signing them, and to further agree to attend ATAP training, and that their compliance be sent to the State Liquor Authority, along with the Resolution and the vote, and copies placed in the Board’s file:”

\*Empire Express Kitchen, 3486 E Tremont Ave, 10465, between Bruckner Blvd & Barkley Ave, License #NEW.

Indoor	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
Hours:	11AM-1AM	11AM-1AM	11AM-1AM	11AM-1AM	11AM-1AM	11AM-1AM	11AM-1AM
MOP:	Recorded Music						

The committee then went on to address the Change in Method of Operation. The owner of Parq wasn't present at this time and a motion to table for next month was made by Mr. Bieder and seconded by Mr. Roberts. The vote was unanimous. The committee went onto the next establishment. A motion to accept was made by Mr. Bieder and second by Mr. Smith. The vote was unanimous. The chair recognized them for

their outstanding contribution of distributing over 100 meals at Christmas time to the community.

**Change in Method of Operation Licenses**

“Resolved...at the recommendation of the Economic Development Committee of Bronx Community Board #10, that the following establishments applying for a change in method of operation, have agreed to comply with the best management practice standards contained within the Stipulations, by signing them, and to further agree to attend ATAP training, and that their compliance be sent to the State Liquor Authority, along with the Resolution and the vote, and copies placed in the Board’s file:”

\*Archies Tap & Table, 536 City Island Ave, 10464, between Cross & Beach Sts, License # 1282407, which expires on 04/30/2021. **(Wine & Beer to Full Liquor & Change in Hours)**

<b>Indoor</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Tues</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Thur</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Sat</b>
<b>Old Hours:</b>	<b>9AM-5PM</b>	<b>Closed</b>	<b>Closed</b>	<b>5PM-9:30PM</b>	<b>1PM-9:30PM</b>	<b>1PM-9:30PM</b>	<b>10AM-10PM</b>

<b>Indoor</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Tues</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Thur</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Sat</b>
<b>New Hours:</b>	<b>9AM-10PM</b>	<b>9AM-12AM</b>	<b>9AM-12AM</b>	<b>9AM-12AM</b>	<b>9AM-12AM</b>	<b>9AM-12AM</b>	<b>9AM-12AM</b>

There was no Old Business or New Business at this time.

Respectfully submitted by Thomas Accomando