

The City of New York

Queens Community Board 11

Serving the Communities of Auburndale, Bayside, Douglaston, Hollis Hills Little Neck and Oakland Gardens

Paul DiBenedetto Chairperson / Joseph Marziliano District Manager

To: All Board Members

From: Jack Fried

Date: January 28. 2025

Re: New York State Liquor Authority 30-Day Advance Notice

On January 28, 2025, the CB11 Public Safety and Licensing Committee met to discuss a NYS Liquor Authority 30-Day Advance Notice.

Committee Members

Jack Fried, Committee Chair
Paul DiBenedetto – Board Chair
Henry Euler, 2nd Vice Chair
Adriana Aviles
Matthew Mamak
Karen Mazza
Steve Pivawer
Michelle Fields
C. Omarr Evans

CB11 Staff

Joseph Marziliano, District Manager Christina Coutinho, Community Associate

Applicants

Rocco Petronella Thomas McCallen, Esq.

Mr. Fried called the meeting to order by introducing the applicant, Thomas McCallen, representing Bayside Speak Easy located at 40-12 214th Place, Bayside, NY 11361. This is an application to the NY State Liquor Authority for a full On-Premises liquor license. The Committee discussed that since this establishment is in a mixed-use dwelling (commercial and residential in same dwelling), the hours of operations should be from 5:00 PM to 1:00 AM, Sunday through Thursday and 5:00 PM to 2:00 AM, Thursday through Saturday.

Also, the entrance door is at the end of an alleyway, therefore, signage should be added in front to alert FDNY, NYPD and patrons that this venue exists in the rear of the building; not to be confused with the front door leading to the residential units. The Committee voted unanimously in favor with the stated above conditions. A letter will be sent to the New York State Liquor Authority.

The meeting adjourned.