

ORDINANCE COMMITTEE

May 12, 2015

MEMBERS

Chairman Jones
Alderman Vota
Alderman Budd
Alderman Burtle
Mayor Brotherton

ALSO PRESENT

George Calvert
Alderman Heberling
Alderman Walters
Alderman Moore
Gary McNeely
Debbie & Don Wells
Cindy Dey

Chairman Budd called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

Liquor License Classifications-Micro Brewery & Bowling Alleys-Dram Shop Liquor Liability Insurance Language

The Committee discussed the proposed draft ordinance as prepared by the City Attorney regarding two (2) new Liquor License Classifications and language referring to Dram Shop Liquor Liability Insurance. The Class I and Class I-1 refer to a "Brew Pub" and Class J and J-1 refer to "Bowling Alleys". The applicant that intends to sell alcoholic liquors for use or consumption on the licensed retail premises must have in force liquor liability insurance coverage for that premises for the entire term of the requested liquor license. The Committee discussed limiting the Class I-1 to two (2) Liquor Licenses.

Motion by Alderman Vota and seconded by Alderman Budd to recommend to the City Council to direct the City Attorney to amend the proposed Ordinance as presented with the addition of limiting the Class I-1 Liquor License to (2) two. Motion carried 4-0.

Insurance Issues Re: Sidewalk/Street Blocking & Dumpster Permits (Section 3-11-8 of the City Code)

Chairman Jones presented to the Committee a request to incorporate similar insurance language to Section 3-11-8 pertaining to Sidewalk/Street Blocking & Dumpster Permits, as found in other Sections of the Taylorville City Code.

Motion by Alderman Vota and seconded by Alderman Budd to recommend to the City Council to table incorporating the proposed insurance language to Section 3-11-8 pertaining to Sidewalk/Street Blocking & Dumpster Permits until further clarification from the City Attorney and the City's Insurance Carrier. Motion carried 4-0.

HBO Updates

HBO Officer George Calvert presented pictures and updated the Committee of property violations and cleanups.

Any Other Matters

Mayor Brotherton advised the Committee that the City received a request from a landowner that purchased property formerly owned by Tenaska to de-annex or disconnect from the City. The landowner has obtained the required petition from the City Clerk's Office, had an engineer prepare the required Plat of Disconnection, and has paid the required \$100.00 fee to the City. The Mayor explained that no action could be taken at the current meeting because the law requires that the petition must be on file for at least 30 days before being considered by the City. The Mayor did ask the Aldermen present if any of them supported approving the request of disconnection and the majority of them appeared to be opposed to the idea. Mayor Brotherton advised that he would speak with the landowner or the party representing the landowner to see if they wanted to move forward on the request.

Motion by Alderman Burtle and seconded by Alderman Vota to adjourn. Motion carried 4-0.

Meeting adjourned at 7:29 P.M.

Bruce Jones, Chairman
Ordinance Committee