DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA + + + + + ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD + + + + + MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF: : : Association for the Preservation of Historic : Congressional Cemetery, : t/a Historic : Fact-Finding Congressional Cemetery : Hearing 1801 E Street SE : License #117891 : Retailer CX - ANC 6B : • (Application for a New : License) :

## Wednesday April 7, 2021

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board met via Webex videoconference, Chairperson Donovan W. Anderson presiding.

PRESENT: DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson BOBBY CATO, JR., Member RAFI ALIYA CROCKETT, Member EDWARD S. GRANDIS, Member JENI HANSEN, Member JAMES SHORT, JR., Member

ALSO PRESENT:

SIMONE ANDREWS, DC ABRA Staff KIMBERLY MARCUS, Applicant PAUL WILLIAMS, Applicant

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1	P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S
2	10:56 a.m.
3	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, the
4	next case on our calendar is a fact finding
5	hearing. It's from the Association for the
6	Preservation of Historic Congressional, trade
7	name Historic Congressional Cemetery, License
8	Number 117896. This is an application for a CX
9	license.
10	Ms. Adams I'm sorry, Ms. Andrews,
11	can you please elevate the rights of the parties
12	in this case, please?
13	MS. ANDREWS: Sure, stand by.
14	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.
15	MS. ANDREWS: Mr. Williams, your
16	rights have been elevated. That's all, Mr.
17	Chair.
18	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.
19	Good morning, Mr. Williams. Do you have a
20	camera, sir? So you can open your camera so I
21	can at least see who I'm speaking to? If you
22	have one.
23	MR. WILLIAMS: I do, it should be
24	working now.
25	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I can hear you,

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1 but I can't see you. 2 MR. WILLIAMS: Okay, yep, here we go. 3 That should do it. CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. 4 5 Good morning, Mr. Williams. MR. WILLIAMS: Good morning. 6 7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning. 8 Can you please identify yourself for the record, 9 please? 10 MR. WILLIAMS: Sure, I'm Paul 11 I'm the president of Historic Williams. 12 Congressional Cemetery. 13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, so, 14 this is an application. It's my understanding 15 you have applied for a CX license. First off, tell us about the Historic Congressional 16 17 Cemetery, please. 18 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, we are a 35-acre 19 site located in Capitol Hill East, right near the 20 D.C. Jail, unfortunately, and RFK Stadium. We 21 are run by a nonprofit. We're owned by Christ 22 Church, but run by a nonprofit since 1976. We 23 have a variety of activities and events in the 24 cemetery for primarily fundraising purposes. And for some of those, including weddings, we get 25

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daily alcohol licenses. So we thought it would be a little more streamlined to get more of a catering license that we can kind of cover up to -- we probably have 75 events a year. So we thought we'd kind of streamline it. We want to do everything right and by the books and that's why we applied for it.

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So, but you 9 applied for a -- so tell me what types of events 10 do you envision providing services for? What 11 type of events?

12 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, one of our more 13 popular events is called Soul Strolls in the Fall 14 and it is a tour group of 25 people that leave 15 every 15 minutes by docents. They go to 16 gravesites where there's a costumed actor or 17 actress kind of telling their ultimate demise and 18 we usually have a bar set up in the chapel so 19 they can kind of start in the chapel, mingle, 20 wait for the tour. The tours take about an hour. 21 They can return to the chapel afterwards to kind 22 of discuss and regroup if their friends are on 23 different tours and things like that. That's 24 kind of one of our typical tour groups. 25 Sometimes we have weddings at the

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Sometimes we have authors giving 1 chapel. 2 lectures that we like to set up little wine and 3 beer tables to sell to make money. And then some are just kind of private tours that might include 4 5 wine and beer as you navigate throughout the 6 cemetery. 7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: What do you 8 So what are these private tours? mean? 9 MR. WILLIAMS: They're usually some of 10 our high-end donors. If you donate a certain 11 amount, we can give a docent and a private tour 12 to up to 25 of your friends. It goes around the 13 cemetery and talks about the people buried there, 14 different monuments, some of our architecture, 15 and our 216 years of history. 16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Now, you 17 applied for -- I'm sorry, so you're the president 18 of what again? I'm sorry. 19 MR. WILLIAMS: Our legal name is the Association for the Preservation of Historic 20 21 Congressional Cemetery. We just kind of narrowed 22 it down to Historic Congressional Cemetery, but 23 I'm the president of the nonprofit. 24 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So, who is 25 applying for the license?

MR. WILLIAMS: That would be our
 nonprofit, yeah.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So you are the 4 president of the nonprofit that's applying for 5 the license. Because part of the problem that 6 initially I had, you're a nonprofit and you did 7 not list who's applied for it. I see that it was 8 a Kimberly Marcus and her name was listed as the 9 front office manager, I believe that's what it 10 says.

11 MR. WILLIAMS: Yes. Yes. She's an 12 employee of ours and she's the one that has the 13 clean hands and the ability to get kind of our 14 individual liquor licenses.

15 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: But you're 16 applying for a permanent liquor license for the 17 establishment, so I believe it should be an officer of the -- it has to be an officer of the 18 19 nonprofit, because she's an employee. At least 20 in my view at this juncture, if you're applying 21 it. If you're an employee the license is applied 22 for so once the employee leaves, they leave with 23 the license.

24 MR. WILLIAMS: Okay. Yeah.
25 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Is

there a Kim Marcus -- if she's on the line, Ms. 1 2 Andrews, you can elevate her rights, please. Ι 3 think she just logged on. MS. ANDREWS: Sure, stand by. 4 5 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you. MS. ANDREWS: Ms. Marcus, your rights 6 7 have been elevated. 8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Marcus, if 9 you have a camera, can you please open your 10 camera and also spell and state your name for the 11 record, please? Ms. Marcus? 12 All right. Now, as I said before, you 13 applied for -- she's a person that her name is on 14 the application, and so I was somewhat concerned 15 that I saw the lease that you provided and there was the chair of the board of directors who had 16 17 signed the lease. I don't understand, explain 18 that to me. The lease that was provided was 19 signed by the board of directors, explain this to 20 me. How is there is a lease? I don't understand 21 the lease. 22 MR. WILLIAMS: Kim, I can explain that 23 if -- our property has been owned since 1807 by 24 Christ Church Episcopal Church, here on Capitol And beginning in 1976, we signed a long-25 Hill.

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term lease to maintain all aspects of the 1 2 property, operate the cemetery, restore the 3 headstones. And we renegotiated that lease, I think, in 2019, for a 25-year period. So, the 4 5 church has literally nothing to do with the cemetery. It's solely and wholly operated by the 6 7 nonprofit. 8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So the 9 nonprofit leases the cemetery from the church? 10 MR. WILLIAMS: Uh-huh, right. 11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay. 12 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, that's correct. CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: 13 So the 14 nonprofit then is responsible for the upkeep of 15 the cemetery, basically? 16 MR. WILLIAMS: That's right, yeah, 17 All aspects from burials to renovations to veah. 18 mowing the yard to all maintenance, uh-huh. 19 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Now, you 20 applied for a CX license and a CX license is 21 basically -- I'm sorry, you applied for a 22 multipurpose license. A multipurpose license, 23 this is the regulations, this is Chapter 25 of 24 the Code, Section 1113(g)(1). It states that a 25 multipurpose facility license shall be issued to

legitimate theaters, universities, museums, 1 2 conference centers, art galleries, facilities for the performance of sports, cultural or tourist-3 related activities and to indoor parks, 4 5 buildings, and facilities that primarily serve as a recreational playgrounds or work states. 6 7 So, how did you decide to choose this 8 specific license to apply for? There are other 9 types of licenses you could have applied for, so 10 why did you choose this specific type of license? 11 MR. WILLIAMS: Well, we've run into 12 this issue before with the city. Because we're a 13 cemetery, we don't really fit into any categories 14 that are typically run, like even the building 15 permits to get a certificate of occupancy for a 16 cemetery, it's never been done before. So we 17 kind of consider ourselves a museum and a park 18 and we just happen to be zoned residential for 19 some reason, but obviously our 70,000 people 20 don't count anymore, don't vote. 21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So you're 22 saying -- who considers you a museum/park? Who made that decision? And where can I find that? 23 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, we are actually 24 25 elevated up to a National Historic Landmark.

It's the highest level you can get for a historic 1 2 So, we consider ourselves a museum. We've site. 3 got 216 years of artwork out there in headstones, and history. We're a National Historic Landmark 4 5 and we're a community park. I mean, the entire city and visitors and tourists come to stroll 6 7 through our cemetery and glean some history. 8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So, really it's 9 a community park. What do you mean by -- explain 10 that. You said you're a community park, explain 11 that a little bit more for me, please. 12 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, unlike a lot of 13 other cemeteries that tend to be doom and gloom, 14 we do a lot of event programming. We have a lot 15 of people come and see our cherry trees. We have 16 a lot of people just coming in and enjoying lunch 17 at some of our picnic tables and really utilizing 18 the cemetery as though it were Central Park in 19 Manhattan. 20 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Do 21 any of the other Board members have any questions 22 for Mr. Williams? 23 All right. I don't hear any at the 24 Let me see. I know that over the last moment. 25 years your organization has requested a

significant amount of one-days from us and the Agency has granted it, so I guess you're saying now that rather than continuing to request onedays that you believe that it's better to just get a permanent license?

Yeah, yeah. One of our 6 MR. WILLIAMS: 7 issues is our rain dates, so if we try to hold an 8 event for an evening, movie night or a tour and 9 it rains, then we have to get two licenses. So, 10 we get a license for that night and then a week 11 later, as a backup, we get a second license, so 12 just for rain dates. Our kind of concern is if 13 it's not a CX license, I'm asking the Board, what 14 type of license we might fit in. I know we're 15 kind of a quirky situation that happens to us all 16 the time.

17 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And that's the 18 purpose of this fact finding hearing for us to 19 get more information from you to see whether or 20 not, for the type of license that you requested, 21 do you meet any of the qualifications. 22 MR. WILLIAMS: Okay, gotcha.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: You're saying
that--DCRA, do you have a certificate of
occupancy? I know you had mentioned that before

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1 so, what is it that if you have a certificate of 2 occupancy from DC Area, what does it say that you 3 are?

MR. WILLIAMS: I think it says that we are a nonprofit office. We have an old house that now serves as an office for 11 employees and so they categorized us as a nonprofit office.

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, so 9 they're saying that--do you have any, I know that 10 you said that you serve as a recreational 11 facility or a museum, do you have any official 12 government document that some other entity has 13 recognized you as a museum or as a recreational -14 - do you have any -- has any government entity, 15 in the sense that you're saying that you're on the Historical Preservation List -- so tell me 16 17 what it is. re you recognized by any other 18 entity as either a museum or recreational center? 19 How are you recognized?

20 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, we are 21 recognized, we get a business license from the 22 city every two years, I believe, and we are 23 recognized as a certified nonprofit that happens 24 to operate a cemetery. But we're mostly 25 categorized as a nonprofit.

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1	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay. Under
2	your articles of incorporation, what does it say
3	that you are?
4	MR. WILLIAMS: I believe it says that
5	we are a historic cemetery. Yeah, we're a
6	nonprofit and operate the historic cemetery, if
7	I'm correct. Yeah, there's our C of O.
8	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Board Member
9	Short has joined us, so the Board now has six
10	members in attendance.
11	So, tell me, you're saying that you're
12	a museum so tell me some significant historical
13	fact about your museum, please.
14	MR. WILLIAMS: Sure, sure. I just
15	brought up our Certificate of Occupancy and it
16	says that we are a cemetery, office and chapel is
17	the official on the occupancy permit. We were
18	laid out by Pierre L'Enfant that laid out the
19	city plans. We're that old. We're 1807, our
20	first burial was in 1807. We have Vice President
21	Eldridge Gerry that is buried here. We have J.
22	Edgar Hoover. We've got photographer Matthew
23	Brady, musician John Philip Sousa, and Marion
24	Barry himself is buried here, too.
25	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Hold on a
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1	minute, please. Mr. Short, can you please mute
2	your phone, please? I'm sorry, go ahead, sir.
3	MR. WILLIAMS: About the history?
4	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, uh-huh.
5	MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, sure. We have
6	quite a bit of notables here. We've got everyday
7	people. We've got a vice president, Eldridge
8	Gerry. We have J. Edgar Hoover that's buried
9	here. Civil War photographer Matthew Brady.
10	Musician John Philip Sousa with the Marine Corps
11	Band, and even recently former mayor Marion Barry
12	is buried here.
13	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. How
14	often do you have this Fall Stroll, as you
15	stated, how often do you have that, please?
16	MR. WILLIAMS: We do two weekends of
17	that in the fall, so it's four nights in October
18	and then we have a similar event that's happening
19	in May, so it's kind of lantern, docent-led
20	guided tours.
21	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: You said in
22	October, so is that around Halloween or do you
23	just this is in October.
24	MR. WILLIAMS: Good question. We
25	respectfully don't do anything for the Halloween
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1 itself, so it's in early October. 2 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, 3 fine. And you're also saying that you do private So, in a typical year, how many private 4 tours. 5 tours do you do? MR. WILLIAMS: Oh, it would average --6 7 MS. MARCUS: Fifty. 8 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, probably about 9 50. At least once a week, uh-huh. 10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And you have 11 this at least once a week and, I'm trying to 12 build a record, that's why. I'm not asking you 13 these questions just to ask. 14 MR. WILLIAMS: No, that's all right. 15 (Simultaneous speaking.) 16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: -- public 17 record so if we're going to make a determination 18 and we need to figure out whether or not this is 19 the proper license that, at least you should 20 apply for. 21 MR. WILLIAMS: Sure, sure. 22 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So, that's why 23 I'm trying to build a record by asking certain 24 questions for you to tell me what is it that you do and so basically, then the Board will make a 25

determination to see based on what you do, if 1 2 this is the appropriate category or are we going 3 to say to you that based on what you do, we 4 believe you should apply for a different type of 5 license so that's one of the reasons why I'm 6 asking. 7 Mr. Chairman? MEMBER GRANDIS: 8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, Mr. 9 Grandis? 10 MEMBER GRANDIS: May I ask a question? 11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Go ahead, Mr. 12 Grandis. 13 MEMBER GRANDIS: Good morning, all. 14 Mr. Williams. I believe the struggle, if I could 15 use that term, that we have looking at this application is not that we don't want to be 16 17 supportive, but we have very defined definitions 18 of the categories for our license classes. 19 MR. WILLIAMS: Sure. 20 MEMBER GRANDIS: I appreciate the 21 investigation that our Chairman is doing in 22 trying to elicit answers that allow us then to 23 consider the category that you're requesting. So, 24 I hope you understand that we're trying to assist 25 your organization, but just from the conversation

and what I can read from the application, it 1 2 seems that the city sees you as a 501(c)(3), no, 3 a 501 -- is it a (c)(3) for cemeteries? CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: 4 Yes. 5 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, (c)(3). Uh-huh. MEMBER GRANDIS: And as well as they 6 7 see you as, you know, a nonprofit that's related 8 to the activities of the cemetery. Is that fair? 9 Yeah, yes, that's fair. MR. WILLIAMS: Uh-huh. 10 11 So, if you've had a MEMBER GRANDIS: 12 chance to look at the definitions of our various 13 categories, rather than just sort of picking one, 14 and I understand probably why your board and you 15 did this, but I think we need some clarification 16 on how we fit you in. 17 MR. WILLIAMS: Sure. 18 MEMBER GRANDIS: Otherwise I think, 19 you know, although that it's laborious to try to 20 get one-days, but if you've been able to get one-21 days through the Agency in the past, we are very 22 -- I hope I don't speak out of turn, but we are 23 supportive of that. Yeah. 24 MR. WILLIAMS: 25 MEMBER GRANDIS: I hope what I'm

1 saying is helpful to you. 2 MR. WILLIAMS: Yes. Yeah. 3 MEMBER GRANDIS: It's a pleasure to see you, Paul. 4 5 Thanks, Ed. I hadn't MR. WILLIAMS: seen in 15 years, so it's good to see you, too. 6 7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Well, I guess 8 what I understand up here is that Mr. Williams 9 knows Board Member Grandis. I think, Mr. 10 Grandis, just as an FYI, since 2013 it's my 11 understanding that this entity has requested over 12 100 one-days and so the Board does, when we look 13 to see that an entity has consistently requested 14 one-days from the Agency, then the Agency will 15 reach out to the entity to say, well, you know, I 16 think that you should apply for a permanent 17 license rather than every week you're applying 18 for a one-day. 19 I'm not sure if the Agency has 20 contacted them to say to them that I think you 21 should do that, but I know that since I've been 22 Chair that the Agency has looked at entities who 23 have consistently requested one-days from us and 24 then we say to them, we believe that you should 25 apply for a full-time liquor license, a full

1	liquor license, rather than consistently
2	requesting one-days, because clearly if you
3	request a liquor license then this will be
4	placarded and the neighbors would weigh in to
5	whether or not a license should be granted, while
6	if you always request a one-day, then the
7	neighbors they do not have a say, the Agency
8	grants it, and the neighbors complained to say
9	they're having a party every day and how did you
10	give these people a liquor license?
11	And so that's one of the reasons why
12	I believe that Mr. Williams is here today to
13	request a full-time liquor license, a full liquor
14	license.
15	MEMBER GRANDIS: Mr. Chairman?
16	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, Mr.
17	Grandis.
18	MEMBER GRANDIS: I just want to note
19	for the record I think the nearby residents are
20	members of the cemetery.
21	MR. WILLIAMS: They are. And once in
22	a while we get a special event license where we
23	have to collect signatures from the neighbors and
24	it's never been a problem. But the neighbors
25	really enjoy the cemetery. We're large enough,

the 35 acres, that usually any of our events are
 thousands of feet away from the neighbors across
 the street.

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. I 5 was just trying to clarify words. So, thank you 6 for that also. Now, sir, are you applying for --7 what type of -- are you just asking for beer and 8 wine or you believe that you need beer, wine and 9 spirit?

10 MR. WILLIAMS: We are asking for 11 spirits, as well. Most of our events are beer 12 and wine, but the Soul Strolls and a few other 13 events do include spirits and we also have movie 14 nights, where we bring in families to watch 15 movies. We have 5K races. Our biggest race is 16 probably the Pride 5K, where we do beer after the 17 Pride 5K in June.

18 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. So,
19 how large typically is an event that you have?
20 How large is that event?

21 MR. WILLIAMS: I would say our Soul 22 Strolls might define our typical event and we 23 will cycle through about 400 people a night on 24 Soul Strolls between like 7 p.m. and 10 p.m. so 25 the leave in groups of 25. Not a big party for 400 people, but every 15 minutes a docent takes
 away 25 people to do a tour and then they usually
 leave the cemetery.

Yeah, the Pride 5K we haven't had for 4 5 a year and a half because of COVID, but it usually brings in about 1,500 runners that are 6 7 here between 8 o'clock at night and 10 o'clock 8 and they run out of the cemetery onto the 9 Anacostia Trail and then end back in the cemetery 10 our, we have an LGBT corner that they start and 11 stop at.

12 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Hold on, hold 13 on. Did you say 8 o'clock at night or 8 o'clock 14 in the morning?

MR. WILLIAMS: It's usually an evening run, so the bell usually sounds about 7 o'clock at night actually and then they're all gone by 10 o'clock.

19 (Simultaneous speaking.) 20 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I'm sorry. Do 21 they run in the cemetery or do they run on the 22 streets, which one? Where do they run? 23 MR. WILLIAMS: It's a little bit of 24 both. They start at our -- we have an LGBT 25 corner where a lot of LGBT individuals are

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1 buried, so they start there. They run around the 2 cemetery and then we have a gate that gives us 3 access and they run up to RFK Stadium basically 4 on the trail and then back into the cemetery 5 where they finish. CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So this happens 6 7 during -- so you're saying this happens usually 8 during the summer? 9 In June, yeah, during MR. WILLIAMS: 10 the 11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: In June. Now 12 the reason why I'm asking because it's like the days are longer in summer. I'm just curious 13 14 about having a run while it's dark in a cemetery, 15 but that's why 16 (Simultaneous speaking.) 17 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. 18 Since it's in the summer and the sun normally 19 sets later, so a 7 o'clock start to run in the 20 cemetery would not be necessarily out of, say, 21 the ordinary? 22 MR. WILLIAMS: Yeah, right. Most of 23 our events happen between March and October and 24 we're pretty dormant in the winter because of the 25 hours and the weather. So most of it's March

through October. 1 2 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, 3 thank you. 4 MR. WILLIAMS: Uh-huh. 5 All right, any CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: questions? I know that I've asked this before. 6 7 Mr. Short, you can pull your camera a little bit 8 down, sir, so I can see your face. We're not 9 seeing your face. Mr. Short? 10 All right. Any additional questions 11 by any Board member based on the questions that I 12 asked? 13 All right, Mr. Williams, any 14 additional information you want to provide to 15 the Board? I don't think so. 16 MR. WILLIAMS: I've 17 got some staff members here. We've got some, our 18 zoning map is a little irregular which doesn't 19 surprise us because we're a cemetery that is over 20 200 years old. We are adjacent to an HE-4 and an 21 HE-3 and I'm not really sure if that makes any 22 difference for us, but we often run into kind of 23 categorizing issues with the city because we are 24 just a cemetery and you can imagine trying to get 25 a Certificate of Occupancy for a cemetery.

1 It took me about a year and a half to 2 finally figure out the right check box for the 3 city to make us legit.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. 4 One 5 of the things that I'm going to suggest that you do, and I'll ask the Agency, the Board will take 6 7 this matter under advisement and let you know 8 what the next step is. But I believe that you 9 would have to amend your application because you 10 are nonprofit, so it has to be someone with an --11 and I'll talk to the Agency, but it's more likely 12 than not it would have to be one of the officers 13 of the entity who is requesting the license.

But I believe that the Agency will let you know because I notice that on the application none of the officers were listed, but the Agency should walk you through the process to correct at least some of the deficiencies that I see in the application itself.

MR. WILLIAMS: Okay.

21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: But the Board 22 will take this matter under advisement and we'll 23 get back to you on whether or not -- and so the 24 next step is that if we believe that this is the 25 proper type of license, then I think the Agency

1 will placard this as part of the process. 2 So, the next step would be -- it's not that it's not going to be approval or 3 4 disapproval, it would be stating to the Agency 5 allow the process to move forward regarding 6 seeking a license. Okay? 7 Yep, that makes sense. MR. WILLIAMS: 8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So. thank you 9 for your appearance here today, sir. Again, as I 10 stated, we'll take this matter under advisement. 11 All right? 12 MR. WILLIAMS: Okay. Thank you, sir. 13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you. 14 MR. WILLIAMS: Yep. 15 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Have a great 16 day. All right. 17 MR. WILLIAMS: You, too. 18 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Bye-bye. 19 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter went off the record at 11:24 a.m.) 20 21 22 23 24 25

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