

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE AND CANNABIS BOARD
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MEETING

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IN THE MATTER OF:
BA Frontier, LLC
t/a Bozzelli's
Italian Deli
3000 K Street NW
Retailer DR - ANC 2E
License No. 118868
Case #23-PRO-00051
(Substantial Change -
Summer Garden with
12 Seats)
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Wednesday
July 26, 2023

The Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis
Board met via WebEx videoconference, Chairperson
Donovan W. Anderson presiding.

PRESENT:

- DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson
BOBBY CATO, JR., Member
EDWARD S. GRANDIS, Member
JAMES SHORT, JR., Member

ALSO PRESENT:

- JOSE ORELLANA, DC ABCA Staff

1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 10:38 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning.

4 As chairperson of the Alcoholic Beverage and
5 Cannabis Board for the District of Columbia and
6 in accordance with D.C. Code Section 2571 of the
7 Open Meetings Act, OMA, I'm welcoming you to the
8 regular scheduled meeting of the Alcoholic
9 Beverage Cannabis Board. This meeting is being
10 conducted pursuant to guidance made by the
11 District of Columbia's Office of Open Government
12 regarding electronic meetings held by public
13 bodies. Electronic meetings by the ABC Board are
14 authorized pursuant to Section 2577A of the D.C.
15 Code. Pursuant to the OMA requirements, notice
16 of today's meeting was provided 48 hours in
17 advance of the meeting on ABCA's website and on
18 the District Central Meeting calendar. The
19 notice included the time, date, agenda and call
20 in or log-in information for public
21 participation. This electronic meeting has been
22 hosted by a WebEx account provided by the
23 District of Columbia government. Please address
24 any questions or complaints to the OOG@
25 opengovoffice@dc.gov.

1 My name is Donovan Anderson; I'm
2 chairperson of the Board. I would like to
3 introduce the other members of the ABC Board who
4 are also participating electronically. Please
5 respond when I announce your name.

6 Mr. James Short?

7 MEMBER SHORT: Mr. James Short,
8 present.

9 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Bobby Cato?

10 MEMBER CATO: Bobby Cato, present.

11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Edward
12 Grandis?

13 MEMBER GRANDIS: Edward Grandis,
14 present.

15 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The board has
16 four members in attendance for the conduct of
17 business today and that constitutes a quorum.

18 Before we get on with today's hearing
19 calendar, I need to make a few instructions clear
20 so that the conduct of these hearings is
21 understood by everyone.

22 There are three cases scheduled for
23 this morning's calendar; once your case is
24 called, I will take a moment for our IT
25 specialist to elevate the rights of each party to

1 enable their camera and microphone. Then and
2 only then will you have the ability to enable
3 your equipment. If your case is not being heard,
4 you will remain mute and your camera will be
5 disabled. At the conclusion of each case the
6 parties will have the option to leave. If the
7 party chooses to stay, all cameras and
8 microphones of the concluded case will be
9 disabled. Should you have any questions or
10 require assistance during the hearing, please
11 submit them using the question and answer
12 feature.

13 Our first case on our calendar it's
14 Case No. 23-PRO-00051, Bozzelli's Italian Deli,
15 License No. 118868. This case has been cancelled
16 due to the presentation of a settlement agreement
17 to the Board for its consideration and approval.

18 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
19 went off the record at 10:40 a.m.)
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<p style="text-align: center;">A</p> <p>a.m 2:2 4:19 ABC 2:13 3:3 ABCA 1:21 ABCA's 2:17 ability 4:2 above-entitled 4:18 account 2:22 Act 2:7 address 2:23 advance 2:17 agenda 2:19 agreement 4:16 Alcoholic 1:2,14 2:4,8 ANC 1:8 Anderson 1:15,18 2:3 3:1,9,11,15 announce 3:5 answer 4:11 approval 4:17 assistance 4:10 attendance 3:16 authorized 2:14</p>	<p>conclusion 4:5 conduct 3:16,20 conducted 2:10 consideration 4:17 constitutes 3:17</p>	<p>JR 1:18,19 July 1:13</p>	<p>provided 2:16,22 public 2:12,20 pursuant 2:10,14,15</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">B</p> <p>BA 1:6 Beverage 1:2,14 2:4,9 board 1:2,15 2:5,9,13 3:2,3,15 4:17 Bobby 1:18 3:9,10 bodies 2:13 Bozzelli's 1:6 4:14 business 3:17</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">D</p> <p>D.C 2:6,14 date 2:19 DC 1:21 Deli 1:7 4:14 disabled 4:5,9 District 1:1 2:5,11,18 2:23 Donovan 1:15,18 3:1 DR 1:8 due 4:16</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">K</p> <p>K 1:7</p> <p style="text-align: center;">L</p> <p>leave 4:6 License 1:8 4:15 LLC 1:6 log-in 2:20</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Q</p> <p>question 4:11 questions 2:24 4:9 quorum 3:17</p>
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