Hastings, Minnesota City Council Minutes June 2, 2017

The City Council of the City of Hastings, Minnesota met in a special meeting on Friday, June 2, 2017 at 7:30 a.m. in the Volunteer Room at the Hastings City Hall, 101 East 4th Street, Hastings, Minnesota

Members Present: Councilmembers Balsanek, Braucks, Folch, and Leifeld

Staff Present: City Administrator Melanie Mesko Lee

Administrative Services Director Julie Flaten

Public Works Director Nick Egger

Councilmember Balsanek called the meeting to order at 7:39 a.m.

Grant conditional approval of Sidewalk Cafe, Liquor License Amendment and License to Encroach for Lock and Dam Eatery

Mesko Lee explained the request by the licensee is to open a newly expanded sidewalk café on Sunday, June 4th. This is prior to the required public hearing and council approval scheduled for June 19th. Council is asked to provide conditional approval.

Jennifer Melecio, owner of Lock and Dam Eatery, was in attendance to provide clarification on the request.

The licensee intends to have live music on Sundays from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. on the patio.

The conditional approval is conditioned in part upon the receipt of the signed License to Encroach, insurance requirements, and payment of all outstanding fees prior to operation. The conditional approval would be effective only until the matter is brought back before the Council on June 19th for final consideration after receiving any input at the public hearing.

An amendment was added to allow live music on Saturday, July 22 from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. during Rivertown Days weekend.

It was noted that any live music outside the instances noted needs to be brought back before City Council for approval.

Moved by Councilmember Leifeld, seconded by Councilmember Braucks to approve the conditional Sidewalk Café License, Liquor License Amendment, and License to Encroach the as amended.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 a.m. made by Councilmember Leifeld and seconded by Councilmember Folch. 4 Ayes; Nays, None.

Paul Hicks, Mayor

Julie Flaten, City Clerk