



Liquor Licensing Authority Minutes

Friday, June 5, 2026 – 1 p.m.

Virtual Hearing via Zoom Webinar

1. Call to Order

Liquor License Authority Mark Gonzales called the Hearing to order at 1:00 p.m.

Order to Show Cause

2. Old Chicago Taproom II LLC

dba Old Chicago #10
2349 W 29th St.
Greeley, CO 80631
Hotel and Restaurant

Continued from January 16th, February 13th, March 6th, April 10th, and May 8th Hearings

Tanner Spracklen was present from the City Attorney's Office. No one was present from Old Chicago Taproom II LLC. Mr. Spracklen stated he did not have an explanation as to why the licensee was not present but did state that he had been in contact with Ms. Karlan, who represented the establishment May 8th, on June 1st. Judge Gonzales continued this item to the July 17th docket and asked that the licensee be personally served notification.

3. Pura Vida Bar LLC.

dba Pura Vida Bar
818 9th St.
Greeley, CO 80631
Tavern

Continued from March 6th, April 10th, and May 8th Hearings

Lucas Corliss was present from the City Attorney's Office. Attorney Chris Carr was present to represent Pura Vida Bar LLC. Mr. Carr stated that a stipulation agreement was sent to the licensees. Mr. Carr also requested a review Hearing for July 31st as stipulated in the agreement. Mr. Corliss concurred with the information presented by Mr. Carr but did want to confirm that the owners of the establishment did intend to sign the agreement. Mr. Carr confirmed. Judge Gonzales set a review of this item at the regularly scheduled Hearing on July 17th.

4. Wirth Inc

dba The Doghouse Pub & Grub
1815 65th Ave. Unit 2
Greeley, CO 80634
Hotel and Restaurant

Continued from April 10th and May 8th Hearings

Mr. Spracklen was present from the City Attorney's Office. Attorney Brent Behler and owner Ricque Wirth were present from Wirth Inc. Mr. Spracklen stated that a stipulation agreement was in discussion with the licensee. Because of this, he asked that this item be continued to the July 17th docket. Mr. Behler had no objections. Judge Gonzales granted the continuation.

~~5. Dugout Bar-B-Q LLC~~

~~dba Dugout Bar and Grill
2509 11th Ave.
Greeley, CO 80631
Tavern~~

~~Continued from May 8th Hearing~~

STIPULATION REACHED PRIOR TO HEARING

Status Conference for Renewal Hearing

6. J&G Stores LLC

dba Greeley Liquor Warehouse
1020 28th Ave Unit 107A & 107B
Greeley, CO 80631
Retail Liquor Store
Internal Permit Number: LLR2510-0822

Continued from April 10th and May 8th Hearings

Sunita Sharma was present from the City Attorney's Office. Attorney Brent Behler was present to represent J&G Stores LLC. Ms. Sharma reiterated that the City Attorney's Office planned to file an "Order to Show Cause" for the allegations, but Liquor Enforcement had not yet finished their investigation. Because of this, Ms. Sharma asked that this item be continued to the July 17th docket. Mr. Behler had no objections. Judge Gonzales granted the continuation.

Administrative Review of Previous Stipulation Agreements

7. Bogey's Pub & Grill Inc

dba Bogey's Pub & Grille
2200 Clubhouse Dr.
Greeley, CO 80634
Hotel and Restaurant

Ms. Sharma was present from the City Attorney's Office. Prior to the Hearing, the Police Department supplied a memo that stated Bogey's Pub & Grille had followed the previously agreed upon stipulation. Ms. Sharma had no concerns with the licensee. Judge Gonzales found successful completion of the stipulation agreement.

8. Bittersweet Liquor Investment LLC

dba Bittersweet Liquor
3504 W 10th St.
Greeley, CO 80634
Retail Liquor Store

Ms. Sharma was present from the City Attorney's Office. Prior to the Hearing, the Police Department supplied a memo that stated Bittersweet Liquor had followed the previously agreed upon stipulation. Ms. Sharma had no concerns with the licensee. Judge Gonzales found successful completion of the stipulation agreement.

Public Hearing

9. CoCo Inc

dba Doug's Diner
801 9th St.
Greeley, CO 80631
Hotel and Restaurant
Internal Permit Number: LLN2605-0020

Ms. Sharma was present from the City Attorney's Office. Owners Rickey Bruening and Eralinda Hernandez were present from CoCo Inc. Judge Gonzales asked for an update on the case regarding the prior owners of Doug's Diner, Girl Grub Inc. Mr. Bruening stated that matter was being handled in bankruptcy court. Judge Gonzales was satisfied to proceed with the Hearing. Shelby Fletcher of the City Clerk's Office read the Clerk's Report into the record. Mr. Bruening and Ms. Hernandez were sworn in to provide testimony. Mr. Bruening outlined his previous ownership of the establishment and past experience with the prior liquor license. He then provided insight into the legal issues with Girl Grub and how he and Ms. Hernandez repossessed the property. Ms. Hernandez then stated that Girl Grub Inc. gathered any remaining alcohol. Both owners then testified to their process for the Needs and Desires requirement. Ms. Sharma asked the owners to further clarify the ongoing legal matters with Girl Grub Inc. Being satisfied with the explanation, Ms. Sharma had no objections to the application. The Public Hearing was opened for comment at 1:25 p.m. No one was present to comment, and the Public Hearing closed at 1:26 p.m. Judge Gonzales approved the application.

10. Approval of Minutes: May 8, 2026

The May 8th Minutes were approved as written.

11. New Business

Judge Gonzales asked that the April 23, 2027 Liquor License Authority Hearing be reset to April 16, 2027. There were no objections to this change.

12. Next Hearing: July 17, 2026 at 1 p.m. by Zoom

13. Adjournment

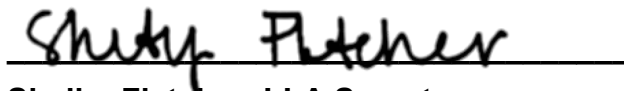
The Hearing was adjourned at 1:31 p.m.

Approved:

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Mark Gonzales, LLA Hearing Officer

Attest:

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Shelby Fletcher, LLA Secretary