

PURCHASING AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

11-0301R

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE TEMPORARY EXPANSION OF THE ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE OF CHASERS OF DULUTH, INC. (BEDROCK BAR), 2023 WEST SUPERIOR STREET AND ALPINE BAR & LOUNGE, INC. (ALPINE BAR & LOUNGE), 1308 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE.

CITY PROPOSAL:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the city council of the city of Duluth hereby approves the temporary expansion of the designated serving area of the following on sale intoxicating liquor license, subject to departmental approvals, with any specific restrictions:

Chasers of Duluth, Inc. (Bedrock Bar), 2023 West Superior Street, for June 18, 2011, from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Alpine Bar & Lounge, Inc. (Alpine Bar & Lounge), 1308 Commonwealth Avenue, for June 25, 2011, from 8:00 p.m. to midnight.

Approved as to form:

  
Attorney

CLERK JJC/MAO:mao 6/1/2011

Alcohol, Gambling and Tobacco Commission discussion: 6/1/11

**CHASERS OF DULUTH, INC. (BEDROCK BAR), 2023 W. SUPERIOR ST** - APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY EXPANSION OF THE ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JUNE 18, 2011.

Tammy Benson was present on behalf of the application. Ms. Benson explained that the Lincoln Park business district is having their annual fishing tournament, and they would like to use their parking lot for the awards program that night. To questioning from the board, Ms. Benson replied that they are using the parking lot which will be contained by snowfencing which will allow for the overflow of people that the tournament will bring to the bar. She continued saying they are having an outside bar and will have off an duty police officer checking ID's at the bar. To further questioning, Ms. Benson replied that the event will be from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Officer Vang stated that he has approved this application. There being no further discussion, Mr. Birchland moved that THE APPLICATION OF CHASER'S OF DULUTH, INC, (BEDROCK BAR), 2023 W. SUPERIOR ST., FOR TEMPORARY EXPANSION OF THEIR ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JUNE 18, 2011, BE APPROVED, AND THE SAME BE RECOMMENDED TO THE CITY COUNCIL FOR APPROVAL. Mr. Pekkala seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.

**ALPINE BAR & LOUNGE, INC., (ALPINE BAR & LOUNGE), 1308 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE** - APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY EXPANSION OF LICENSED PREMISES OF THEIR ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JUNE 25, 2011.

Kim Eskola was present on behalf of the application. Mr. Eskola explained that there is going to be a street dance on Commonwealth Avenue on June 25<sup>th</sup> as part of the Far West Fest, and his is applying for a permit to sell alcohol in his parking lot during the street dance. He continued saying that the event organizers are applying for a special events license which will close down one block with the dance being held from 8:00 p.m. to midnight. To questioning from the commission, Officer Vang replied that there have been several meetings between the police department and the organizers of the event and have most of the details completed. There being no further discussion, Mr. Pekkala moved THAT THE APPLICATION OF ALPINE BAR & LOUNGE, INC., (ALPINE BAR & LOUNGE), 1308 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE FOR TEMPORARY EXPANSION OF LICENSED PREMISES OF THEIR ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JUNE 25, 2011, BE APPROVED, AND THE SAME BE RECOMMENDED TO THE CITY COUNCIL FOR APPROVAL. Mr. Birchland seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.