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Hearing Impaired: 711

MEMORANDUM

Liquor License Meeting - Tuesday, March 28, 2023 – 1:30pm

TO: The Hearings Officer
FROM: Natalie Kiel, Business License Specialist
DATE: March 21, 2023

AGENDA ITEM 4.C: For Possible Action: Discussion and possible action regarding an application for a Dining Room with Beer/Wine License (LIQUOR-007747-2023) with Brandon Lafave as the liquor manager for Emerald Blue Ventures LLC dba Z Bistro located at 725 Basque Way #1, Carson City, NV 89706.

Recommendation: To approve an application for a Dining Room with Beer/Wine Liquor License with Brandon Lafave as the liquor manager for Emerald Blue Ventures LLC dba Z Bistro at 725 Basque Way #1, Carson City, NV 89706 subject to the following approval:

1. The applicant must sign a sworn affidavit consistent with Carson City Municipal Code (CCMC) 4.13.060 regarding a server training course.
2. The holder of the liquor license must maintain on the premises, evidence of employee server training certification for all employees that serve or sell alcohol.

Per Carson City Municipal Code (CCMC) 4.13, all liquor license requests are to be reviewed by the Hearings Officer. The Hearings Officer may grant or deny the application for a liquor license or place conditions on a license to ensure compliance with the Municipal Code.

The subject request is for Emerald Blue Ventures LLC dba Z Bistro to have a Dining Room with Beer/Wine Liquor License with Brandon Lafave as the liquor manager.

The business is a full-service restaurant under new ownership. The business is currently operating under the former liquor license, LIQUOR-004903-2020 during the interim, with new business license BL-007741-2023.

The Sheriff's Office did a background investigation and did not find any disqualifying information based on CCMC 4.13.125.

This request has been reviewed by the Health Department. The Health Department inspected the premises and is recommending approval. Comments provided by the Health Department in the attached memo have been incorporated as conditions of approval where appropriate.



CARSON CITY LICENSE APPLICATION

Please type or print in black ink; Incomplete or illegible applications will not be accepted. Applications must bear an original signature

Business License #: **BL-00-7741-2023**
Liquor License #: **LIQUOR-00-7747-2023**
Submittal Date: **1.19.23**

1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Business	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Location/Mailing	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Change of Corporate Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	
2	Type of License(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Business	<input type="checkbox"/> Short-Term	<input type="checkbox"/> Gaming	<input type="checkbox"/> Liquor	
3	Type of Entity	<input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietor	<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit
Entity Name				Business Opening Date		
4 Emerald Blue Ventures LLC				5 2/1/2023		
Business Name (DBA)				7 EIN #		
6 Z Bistro				92-1121633		

Business Address		City	State	Zip Code
8 725 Basque Way #1		Carson City	NV	89706
Mailing Address		City	State	Zip Code
9 PO Box 1142		Genoa	NV	89411
Corporate Phone	Business Phone	Cellular Phone	Business Fax	
10	775-885-2828	775-671-1480		
E-mail Address		Business Website		
11 lafavebrandon@mac.com		www.zbistro.net		

12 Owner(s), Manager(s), or other Principal(s) attach additional pages if required			
Last, First, MI		Percent Owned	Title
Lafave, Brandon, J.		100	Owner/Chef
Residence Address (Street)		City, State, Zip	Residence Telephone
497 Daggett Creek Loop		Genoa, NV 89411	775-671-1480
Last, First, MI		Percent Owned	Title
Residence Address (Street)		City, State, Zip	Residence Telephone
Last, First, MI		Percent Owned	Title
Residence Address (Street)		City, State, Zip	Residence Telephone
Liquor Manager (if applicable)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On-Site	Contact Phone Number
Brandon Lafave		<input type="checkbox"/> Off-Site	775-671-1480
Residence Address (Street)		City, State, Zip	

3 Describe in detail the activity of your business	
Restaurant open for dinner, serving Wed thru Sat, 5-9pm	

Type of Liquor License Applying for (If applicable)					
<input type="checkbox"/> Tavern/Bar	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dining Room w/Beer and Wine Only	<input type="checkbox"/> Packaged Liquor	<input type="checkbox"/> Dining Room w/Hard Liquor	<input type="checkbox"/> Combo (On-Premise & Pkg)	<input type="checkbox"/> General Wholesale
<input type="checkbox"/> Catering	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Wet Bars	Will there be an Intoxim Management Agreement?			
		15 See attached			
6 List number of slot machines (If applicable)			List number of table games (If applicable)		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 cent	<input type="checkbox"/> Multi	<input type="checkbox"/> Craps	<input type="checkbox"/> Baccarat		
<input type="checkbox"/> 5 cent	<input type="checkbox"/> Poker	<input type="checkbox"/> Ronlette	<input type="checkbox"/> Race Book		
<input type="checkbox"/> 25 cent	<input type="checkbox"/> Mega Buck	<input type="checkbox"/> Twenty-One	<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Book		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1.00		<input type="checkbox"/> Keno	<input type="checkbox"/> Poker		

7 If this application is for a change of business name, location, or ownership, list the previous name, address, and owner below:	
Change of Ownership	
Kathleen & Gilles Galhaut 1431 Shadowridge Drive Carson City NV 89411 (775) 450-3716 galhaut@gmail.com	

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CARSON CITY
BUSINESS LICENSES

Miscellaneous Information

Please answer this section if your business is *located* in Carson City. If you are unsure of your answer or are installing signage, contact the Planning Division at (775) 887-2180

Is your business location zoned for this type of business YES	Has a Special Use Permit been obtained for this business location NO
Will you be installing any outdoor signs NO	Are there any existing signs of the property YES
Will there be any outside storage (If yes, please explain items being stored and how being screened) NO	
Will any commercial vehicles be used for this business (If yes, please describe size, type, and location of storage) NO	
Please list the quantities, types, and storage location of any chemicals or hazardous materials that will be used for this business None other than dish and floor washing supplies	

Rules and Regulations

I, the undersigned understand that I cannot operate my business until my license is actually issued by this office indicating approval by all necessary city departments

- If any changes are made after completing said license application this office must be notified immediately and an updated is required.
- A business license, liquor license, and/or gaming license are issued to a given owner at a SPECIFIC LOCATION and are NON-TRANSFERRABLE to a different owner or different location.
- Non-payment of annual and quarterly business license, liquor license, and/or gaming license fees by the due date will result in applied penalties and is grounds for the revocation of the license.
- Any exception to any of the above is considered a violation of the Carson City Municipal Code and is subject to citation.

I hereby certify that the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that failure to complete this form truthfully is an act of perjury.

Applicant's Signature [Signature] **Date** 1-13-2023

FEE STRUCTURE	FEE	LICENSE TOTAL FEES
Business License Fee		Business License Annual Fee:
Square Footage		Business License Pro-rated Fee:
Number of Employees		Business License Application/Update Fee:
Health Fee		Liquor License Annual Fee:
Number of Rental Units		Liquor License Pro-rated Fee:
Number of Coin Operated Machines		Liquor License Application Fee:
Number of Slot Machines		Liquor License Investigation Fee:
TOTAL FEES DUE:		Gaming License Quarterly Fee:
Payment Type		Gaming License Application Fee:
Received By	Date	Fictitious Name Fee:
Date Applicant Fingerprinted	By	File #
		Health Pre-Inspection Fee:

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CK. NO. Online
DATE 1-17-23

\$500
\$500

**AGREEMENT TO USE EXISTING BEER AND WINE LICENSE
FOR Z BISTRO**

In reference to the PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT executed by and between Emerald Blue Ventures LLC, DBA Z Bistro/Brandon Lafave (the "Buyer") and LOQ, LLC/Gilles Galhaut (the "SELLER"). LOQ, LLC/Gilles Galhaut (the "SELLER") and the CURRENT LIQUOR MANAGER at Z Bistro (Kathleen Galhaut) located at ~~275 Basques~~ Way #1, Carson City, NV 89706 AGREES to and allows Emerald Blue Ventures LLC, DBA Z Bistro to operate under Liquor-004903-2020 until the new Liquor License for Z Bistro with Brandon Lafave as the Liquor Manager is issued by the Carson City Business License Division. LOQ LLC/Gilles Galhaut (the "Seller") will assume full responsibility for any liability arising from an incident related to or affecting the Liquor License at Z Bistro.

725 Basque Wx

Seller's Signature

Gilles O. Galhaut

Date

1/18/23

Buyer's Signature

Brandon Lafave

Date

1/18/23



CARSON CITY, NEVADA
CONSOLIDATED MUNICIPALITY AND STATE CAPITAL

Memorandum

To: Liquor Board Hearing Officer

From: Carson City Health and Human Services (CCHHS) Date: 02/06/2023

Re: Liquor License – 007747-2023 , BLR- BL-007741-2023

Type of Liquor License Approval:

☐ Pre-Packaged Liquor

☐ Hard Liquor/Mixed Drinks

☒ Beer and Wine ONLY

☐ Combo - Packaged Liquor and On-Premise

On 02/03/2023 The Carson City Health and Human Services Environmental Health Division conducted an inspection/advisory phone call with Z Bistro located at 725 Basque Way #1 . Acknowledgement and adherence of the following:

- Serving of alcohol must come from approved sources.
- NO changes to bar set up may be made without approval from health authority. All hand-washing sinks and dump sinks must be properly used according to the FDA Food Code and NAC 446.
- FDA Food Code and NAC 446 for operational purposes.

None for the bar.

Issues pending at this time include:

At this time, Z Bistro

has met the necessary requirements for Health.

☒ Recommend Approval

☐ Do Not Recommend Approval

REHS Environmental Health Specialist
Kandis Harvey

Date: 02/06/2023

Maria Menjivar
Environmental Health Division Manager

Date: 02/06/2023

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Promotion
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Ken Furlong
Sheriff

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To: Liquor Board

From: Carson City Sheriff's Office

Re: Liquor License Application
Z Bistro
Lafave, Brandon

The Sheriff's Office has conducted a background investigation on the above applicant for a liquor license and has found the following:

- Background of premises: Z Bistro is located at 725 Basque Way #1 and has been operating since 2006. The restaurant was recently purchased by Mr. Lafave who reopened the business in mid February under his ownership. The Sheriff's Office performed a walkthrough of the location on March 14, 2023.
- Financial arrangements: Mr. Lafave is the sole owner of Z Bistro and has invested his personal savings as well as securing a loan from his father for the investment.
- Method of operation: Z Bistro is a full-service restaurant which is open Wednesday - Saturday for dinner and offers sales of beer and wine. Mr. Lafave will employ approximately four persons and will be onsite full time as the Chef and manager.
- Results of backgrounds: The background for Brandon Lafave consisting of DMV records, local agency checks, Nevada criminal history record and credit report did not find any disqualifying factors based on CCMC 4.13.125.

By: Elizabeth Martin
Elizabeth Martin
Administrative Assistant
Investigations Division

Date 3/14/23

Recommend Approval ☒

Do Not Recommend Approval ☐

Ken Furlong
Ken Furlong
Sheriff

Date 3/15/23