

RESOLUTION 2023-21

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF KINGSTON, COUNTY OF LUZERNE, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE R#15520, LID # 54066 INTO THE MUNICIPALITY OF KINGSTON FROM MARK STEMKO T/A PALACE BAR & GRILL OF HAZLETON, PA

WHEREAS, Act 141 of 2000 (“the Act”) which amends the Commonwealth’s Liquor Code, authorizes the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board to approve, in certain instances, the transfer of liquor licenses across municipal boundaries within the same county regardless of the quota limitations provided for in Section 461 of the Liquor Code, if sales of liquor and malt or brewed beverages are legal in the municipality receiving the license; and

WHEREAS, the receiving municipality must issue a resolution approving the transfer of the license from outside the municipality to inside the municipality; and

WHEREAS, amendments to the Liquor Code stipulate that, prior to adoption of a resolution by the receiving municipality, at least one hearing must be held for the purpose of permitting interested parties to state their concerns regarding the transfer of a retail liquor license into the receiving municipality; and

WHEREAS, on October 2, 2023 the Municipality of Kingston conducted a public hearing for the purpose of receiving comments and/or recommendations of interested individuals residing within the municipality with respect to the request for transfer; and

WHEREAS, an application for transfer filed under the Act must contain a copy of the resolution adopted by the municipality approving the transfer of a retail liquor license in the municipality.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Kingston 1985, LLC has requested the approval of the Municipality of Kingston for the proposed transfer of a Pennsylvania Retail Liquor License to its facilities within Kingston Municipality which will trade as Bistro on the Ave. located at 174 United Penn Plaza, Kingston, PA 18704 with the understanding that said transfer must be approved at a later date by the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Town Council of the Municipality of Kingston finds that the transfer of a restaurant liquor license into Kingston Municipality by Kingston 1985, LLC will not adversely affect the welfare, health, peace and morals of the municipality or its residents.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Kingston Municipality approves, by adoption of this Resolution, the proposed transfer of License R # 15520, LID # 54066 to be located at 174 United Penn Plaza, Kingston, PA 18704.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the license transfer is subject to approval by the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board.


FOR THE TOWN COUNCIL

BY: 
Robert Jacobs, President

ATTEST


Angela Sallemi, Secretary

APPROVED:


Jeffrey R. Coslett, Mayor

Date: 10-8-03

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Resolution was approved by the Town Council of the Municipality of Kingston at its meeting on October 2, 2023.



Angela Sallemi, Secretary