



City of Bartlett

A. Keith McDonald, Mayor

BEER BOARD MEETING MINUTES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2020 - BARTLETT CITY HALL - 6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Cordell Battles: Present, Deborah Williams: Present, Ryan Smith: Present, Anna Brown: Present.

MINUTES APPROVAL

Minutes of the October 1, 2019 Beer Board Regular

RESULT:	ACCEPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Ryan Smith
SECONDER:	Cordell Battles
AYES:	Battles, Williams, Smith, Brown

NEW BUSINESS

Assessment of penalties for violations of Section 8-310(5) of the City of Bartlett Codified Ordinances which makes it unlawful for a permit holder to make or allow any sale of beer to a minor under twenty-one (21) years of age.

1. Elect a Board Chairperson.

Mr. Smith nominated Deborah Williams as Chairperson.

RESULT:	APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Ryan Smith
SECONDER:	Cordell Battles
AYES:	Cordell Battles, Deborah Williams, Ryan Smith, Anna Brown

2. Exxon, 7804 Highway 70
First violation - March 4, 2019

Representatives of Exxon, located at 7804 Highway 70, Attorney Milton McGee and Mr. Mina Abelmalk were in attendance.

City Prosecutor David Lakin related that Exxon concurred that the sale to a minor did occur. No identification was checked and Exxon is not contesting the violation.

Attorney Milton McGee spoke on Exxon's behalf stating that the corporate office has now installed Point of Sale registers which require the salesperson to either scan or key the identification information.

In addition, Mr. Ablemalk stated they now require their sales people to key in, rather than scan, personal identification so they must look at the individual buying beer.

Ms. Williams asked if training was in place and Attorney McGee stated there was and there had been no other violations since this one in March, 2019. Mr. Battles emphasized that the City of Bartlett's Beer Board views the selling of beer to minors as a serious infraction and the next violation would be more severe.

RESULT:	\$1,000 CIVIL PENALTY [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Ryan Smith
SECONDER:	Cordell Battles
AYES:	Cordell Battles, Deborah Williams, Ryan Smith, Anna Brown

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 6:07 PM