

Meeting Minutes

ABC Type 87 Community Meeting
The Dark Horse Inn
942 Geneva Ave. SF, CA 94112
11/24/17, 5:30pm

Attending

Sean Ingram, Dark Horse owner
Andrea Ferrucci, Dark Horse owner
Ben Van Houten, OEWD
Cathy M. Meyer, Supervisor's Office
Linda D'Avirro
Joelle Kenealey
Justin Balenzuela

Announcement

The Dark Horse Inn is applying for a new ABC Type 87 liquor license for its current location.

- The cocktail program will be limited and largely local, in keeping with the current craft beer/wine program. Price points will be comparable to current menus. Food menu will remain similar, with some updates.
- Hours will remain the same as current for the time being, with possible future expansion of food & beverage service.

Discussion

Public question posed about the application process. Ben Van Houten explains major points including Board of Supervisors process & meeting dates; required mailings & postings; 3-4 month expected turnaround.

Public question: Will there be a special event? Owners predict yes, there will be some sort of launch event TBD.

Public question: Will sources [vendors] be local? Owners plan to use local distilleries/vendors and small-batch producers whenever possible, to mirror craft beer program.

Public question about other applicants. 19 applied, 5 selected in lottery. Some are still trying to secure location. No others in this neighborhood at the time. Explanation of how many total licenses will be granted, which neighborhoods, and when.

Public question about next steps: How can we help? Package for BoS meeting, public comment not necessary. Full application to be completed. Strong public support present, no opposition as yet.

Meeting Adjourned.