



# Blount County Government

359 Court Street  
Maryville, TN 37804-5906

## Meeting Minutes - Final

### Beer Board

*Commissioner Robbie Bennett*  
*Commissioner Richard Carver*  
*Commissioner Misty Davis*  
*Commissioner Ron French*  
*Commissioner Scott King*  
*Commissioner Staci Martin*  
*Commissioner Earl McMahan*  
*Commissioner Steve Mikels*  
*Commissioner Dawn Reagan*

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Tuesday, May 7, 2024

6:15 PM

Blount County Courthouse, Room 430

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Live stream via <https://zoom.us/join>

Zoom Meeting ID: 860 9886 7914

### ROLL CALL

**BE IT REMEMBERED**, that a meeting of the Blount County Beer Board was held on Tuesday, May 07, 2024 at 6:22 p.m. in the Blount County Courthouse of Maryville, Tennessee. Blount County Beer Board Chairman Steve Mikels called the meeting to order. An electronic roll call was taken by Blount County Deputy Clerk Lauri Bell. There were 5 members present and 4 were absent. The Chairman declared that a quorum did exist. The following proceedings were held, to wit:

- Present** 5 - Commissioner Scott King, Commissioner Staci Martin, Commissioner Earl McMahan, Commissioner Steve Mikels, and Commissioner Dawn Reagan
- Absent** 4 - Commissioner Robbie Bennett, Commissioner Richard Carver, Commissioner Misty Davis, and Commissioner Ron French

### A. SETTING OF AGENDA.

A motion was made by Commissioner King, seconded by Commissioner Martin, that the agenda be set. An electronic vote was taken. The Chairman declared the motion to have passed by the following vote:

**Yes:** 5 - King, Martin, McMahan, Mikels, and Reagan

**No:** 0

**Absent:** 4 - Bennett, Carver, Davis, and French

**Abstain:** 0

### B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

1. [Minutes for Beer Board Meeting on April 18, 2024.](#)

**Attachments:** [2014\\_M\\_Beer\\_Board\\_24-04-18\\_Meeting\\_Minutes\(1\)](#)

A motion was made by Commissioner Reagan, seconded by Commissioner Martin, that the minutes be approved. An electronic vote was taken. The Chairman declared the motion to have passed by the following vote:

**Yes:** 5 - King, Martin, McMahan, Mikels, and Reagan

**No:** 0

**Absent:** 4 - Bennett, Carver, Davis, and French

**Abstain:** 0

**C. PUBLIC INPUT ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA.**

**D. UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

**E. NEW BUSINESS.**

1. [Public Hearing for an On-premises Beer Permit Request for Thirsty 13, 4514 Airport Highway, Louisville, 37777.](#)

**Attachments:** [Application Thirsty 13](#)  
[2B-Notice Beer Permit Application 2 1](#)  
[2A-Public Notice of Beer Board Public Hearing 1 2](#)  
[1-Public Notice of Beer Board 1st Reading](#)

The Chairman read the call and recognized Beer Board Attorney Craig Garrett who opened the public hearing and administered the oath to Ms. Margie Helen Schrupp. Ms. Schrupp affirmed that the request for an on-premises beer permit is for a bar for which there is a current beer permit. The store being located at 4514 Airport Hwy, Louisville, TN 37777. Ms. Schrupp affirmed that the information provided in the application as being true and correct to the best of her knowledge. The statistics according to the GPS distances performed by the Blount County Sheriff's Office state the nearest church or place of worship being Beech Grove Baptist Church is 1.12 miles away; the nearest school being Alcoa Elementary School is 4.65 miles away, and is also the nearest place of public gathering; and the nearest resident is 2,633 feet away. The attorney asked if there was anyone from the public in attendance that wished to speak. There was none. He asked if any members of the board had any questions. There was none. Attorney Garrett advised the board that the applicant having met the criteria for the issuance of a beer permit be approved, and closed the public hearing.

A motion was made by Commissioner McMahan, seconded by Commissioner Reagan, that the request for an on-premises beer permit be approved. An electronic vote was taken. The Chairman declared the motion to have passed by the following vote:

**Yes:** 5 - King, Martin, McMahan, Mikels, and Reagan

**No:** 0

**Absent:** 4 - Bennett, Carver, Davis, and French

**Abstain:** 0

2. [Setting of the Next Beer Board Meeting.](#)

**F. ADJOURNMENT.**

A motion was made by Commissioner King that the meeting be adjourned. The Chairman declared the meeting to be adjourned. The Blount County Beer Board adjourned on Tuesday, May 7, 2024, at 6:27 p.m.