

**CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA
CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
SPECIAL SESSION**

The Dubuque City Council met in special session at 6:00 p.m. on April 24, 2017 in the Historic Federal Building, 350 W. 6th Street.

Present: Mayor Buol; Council Members Connors, Del Toro, Jones, Lynch, Resnick; City Manager Van Milligen

Absent: Council Member Rios

Mayor Buol read the call and stated this is a special session of the City Council called for the purpose of conducting such business that may properly come before the City Council and a work session on Inclusive Dubuque.

CONSENT ITEMS

Motion by Lynch to receive and file the documents, adopt the resolutions, and dispose of as indicated. Seconded by Resnick. Motion carried 6-0.

1. Alcohol License Application: City Manager recommending approval of a request from Sportster's Pub and Grub, 2600 Central Avenue, for an outdoor service, special event alcohol license in conjunction with a fundraising event on, Saturday, April 29, 2017. Upon motion the documents were received and filed and Resolution No. 151-17 Approving applications for beer, liquor, and/or wine permits, as required by City of Dubuque Code of Ordinances Title 4 Business and License Regulations, Chapter 2 Liquor Control, Article B Liquor, Beer and Wine Licenses and Permits was adopted.

WORK SESSION

Inclusive Dubuque Quarterly Work Session

Inclusive Dubuque network partners Katrina Farren-Eller, Alicia Ries, Shirley Horstman, Dr. John Eby and Loras College Interfaith Research Team, Sam Giere, Kelly Larson and Katherine McFarlin reported on activities and accomplishments since December 2016. Topics included:

- Purpose of the network
- Kotter's Change Model to implement change powerfully and successfully
- Funding partners
- Definitions of diversity, equity and inclusion
- Three levels of network equity education goals and strategies: individual, institutional and systems
- Polarity between individual and institutional levels
- Network partners working at the individual and institutional levels
 - Education sector: collaborative effort, vision, funding, Moxie Squad
 - Community Climate Survey: objectives and survey results

- Areas of interest for Inclusive Dubuque: gender identity, sexual orientation, heritage, political perspective, religious orientation
- Data collection / Next steps
- “I am a Dubuquer” community campaign
- Infrastructure teams and goal areas
 - Americorps / VISTA program collective impact and economic opportunity-centered projects; academic achievement; My Brother’s Keeper initiative

There being no further business, upon motion the City Council adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

/s/Kevin S. Firnstahl, CMC
City Clerk

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