



# **City of Grand Island**

**Tuesday, February 23, 2010**

**Council Session**

## **Item E1**

**Public Hearing on Request from Sin City, LLC dba Sin City Grill,  
410 West 3rd Street for a Class "C" Liquor License**

**Staff Contact: RaNae Edwards**

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

**Meeting:** February 23, 2010

**Subject:** Public Hearing on Request from Sin City, LLC dba Sin City Grill, 410 West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street for a Class “C” Liquor License

**Item #'s:** E-1 & I-1

**Presenter(s):** RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

## **Background**

Section 4-2 of the Grand Island City Code declares the intent of the City Council regarding liquor licenses and the sale of alcohol.

### **Declared Legislative Intent**

It is hereby declared to be the intent and purpose of the city council in adopting and administering the provisions of this chapter:

- (A) To express the community sentiment that the control of availability of alcoholic liquor to the public in general and to minors in particular promotes the public health, safety, and welfare;
- (B) To encourage temperance in the consumption of alcoholic liquor by sound and careful control and regulation of the sale and distribution thereof; and
- (C) To ensure that the number of retail outlets and the manner in which they are operated is such that they can be adequately policed by local law enforcement agencies so that the abuse of alcohol and the occurrence of alcohol-related crimes and offenses is kept to a minimum.

## **Discussion**

Sin City, LLC dba Sin City Grill, 410 West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street has submitted an application for a Class “C” Liquor License. A Class “C” Liquor License allows for the sale of alcohol on and off sale inside the corporate limits of the city.

City Council action is required and forwarded to the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission for issuance of all licenses. This application has been reviewed by the Clerk, Building, Fire, Health, and Police Departments.

Also requested is a Liquor Manager Designation for Brent Lindner, 1322 West John Street.

### **Alternatives**

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Approve the application.
2. Forward to the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission with no recommendation.
3. Forward to the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission with recommendations.
4. Deny the application.

### **Recommendation**

Based on the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission's criteria for the approval of Liquor Licenses, City Administration recommends that the Council approve the application.

### **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the application of Sin City, LLC dba Sin City Grill, 410 West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street for a Class "C" Liquor License contingent upon final inspections and the request for Liquor Manager Designation from Brent Lindner, 1322 West John Street.

02/08/10  
14:33

Grand Island Police Department  
LAW INCIDENT TABLE

Page: 450  
1

City : Grand Island  
Occurred after : 14:58:15 02/05/2010  
Occurred before : 14:58:15 02/05/2010  
When reported : 14:58:15 02/05/2010  
Date disposition declared : 02/05/2010  
Incident number : L10020616  
Primary incident number :  
Incident nature : Liquor Lic Inv Liquor License Investigation  
Incident address : 410 3rd St W  
State abbreviation : NE  
ZIP Code : 68801  
Contact or caller :  
Complainant name number :  
Area location code : PCID Police - CID  
Received by : Viterra D  
How received : T Telephone  
Agency code : GIPD Grand Island Police Department  
Responsible officer : Viterra D  
Offense as Taken :  
Offense as Observed :  
Disposition : ACT Active  
Misc. number : RaNae  
Geobase address ID : 11444  
Long-term call ID :  
Clearance Code : CL Case Closed  
Judicial Status : NCI Non-criminal Incident

INVOLVEMENTS:

Px	Record #	Date	Description	Relationship
NM	68498	02/08/10	Lindner, Brent C	Owner/Manager
NM	76988	02/08/10	Lindner, Michelle L	Brent's Wife

LAW INCIDENT CIRCUMSTANCES:

Se	Circu	Circumstance code	Miscellaneous
1	LT03	Bar/Night Club	

LAW INCIDENT NARRATIVE:

I Received a Copy of a Liquor License Application for Sin City and a Liquor Manager Application for Brent Lindner.

LAW INCIDENT RESPONDERS DETAIL:

Se	Responding offi	Unit n	Unit number
1	Viterra D	318	Viterra D

02/08/10  
14:33

Grand Island Police Department  
LAW INCIDENT TABLE

450  
Page: 2

LAW SUPPLEMENTAL NARRATIVE:

Seq	Name	Date
1	Vitera D	14:20:07 02/08/2010

Grand Island Police Department  
Supplemental Report

Date, Time: Mon Feb 08 14:20:23 CST 2010  
Reporting Officer: Vitera  
Unit #: 865

I checked Brent and Michelle Lindner through Spillman and found an entry for each one of them. Spillman didn't show anything that would lead me to believe either one of them had any convictions resulting in investigations by the GIPD or HCSO. I also checked Brent and Michelle through NCJIS. I did not find any convictions.

Lindner's own The Glass Bar, Wave Pizza Company, and J. Alfred Prufrock's. The GIPD does not have any substantial problems at any of these places. The GIPD does not object to the liquor license for Sin City or the liquor manager position for Brent Lindner.