



Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: **63.**

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON: OCTOBER 6, 2010

DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY
DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC

☐ Consent ☒ Discussion

SUBJECT: Hearing, discussion and possible action regarding complaint seeking disciplinary action against James Cooper d/b/a The Amazing Art Company, 3814 Meadows Lane, Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada, for violations of the Las Vegas Municipal Code - Ward 1 (Tarkanian)

Fiscal Impact

☐ No Impact ☐ Augmentation Required
☐ Budget Funds Available

Amount:

Funding Source:

Dept./Division:

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

James Cooper d/b/a The Amazing Art Company holds Retail Gallery License A-48-00227-1-147116. On February 12, 2009, and June 17, 2010, James Cooper sold graffiti implements in the form of a 15mm silver paint marker and four cans of spray paint to underage decoys without the consent of the parent or guardian of such minors. As a result of these repeated offenses, it is alleged that James Cooper d/b/a The Amazing Art Company has operated in an illegal manner, contrary to law and in violation of LVMC 6.02.330, and 10.48.090.

RECOMMENDATION:

Revocation of Retail Gallery License A-48-00227-1-147116

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Complaint for Disciplinary Action
2. Abeyance Letter by James Cooper
3. Submitted at Meeting Complaint for Disciplinary Action and Other Related Documents/Photos by Staff and Photographs by James Cooper
4. Verbatim Transcript
5. Submitted after Meeting Order Approving Complaint and Notice of Hearing, Affidavit of Service and Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order Revoking Retail Gallery License

Motion made by LOIS TARKANIAN to Approve the Revocation of the Business License

Passed For: 5; Against: 2; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0

RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, GARY REESE, STEVEN D. ROSS, STAVROS S. ANTHONY; (Against-STEVE WOLFSON, OSCAR B. GOODMAN); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)

NOTE: Motion for dismissal by GOODMAN failed with REESE, TARKANIAN, ROSS, BARLOW and ANTHONY voting no.

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Minutes:

The Verbatim Transcript is made a part of the Final Minutes.

APPEARANCES:

OSCAR GOODMAN, Mayor

PHILIP BYRNES, Deputy City Attorney

JAMES COOPER, The Amazing Art Company

BRAD JERBIC, City Attorney

STEVE WOLFSON, Councilman

RICKI Y. BARLOW, Councilman

WILLIAM SCHOEN, Detective, Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department, Special Investigation Section

J. DeSCHUTTER, Detective, Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department, Special Investigation Section

GARY REESE, Councilman

STEVEN D. ROSS, Councilman

STAVROS S. ANTONY, Councilman

LOIS TARKANIAN, Councilman

