

**Liquor Advisory Committee Meeting**  
**Wednesday, November 6, 2024 4:00 PM**  
**Jackson County Sheriff's Office Conference Room**

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**Call to Order**

*(4:00pm)*

*Present: Basden, Snyder, Calandro, Gale*

*Absent: Ihle, Cervantez, Kilquist*

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**Approval of Minutes**

I. 2024-914 Approval of July 23, 2024, Minutes

*A motion was made by Snyder, seconded by Basden, to approve the July 23, 2024, Minutes as presented. The motion carried by unanimous vote.*

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**Communication**

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**Old Business**

II. 2024-915 Gaming Fee Increase for FY26

*The County Administrator commented that the state statute allows the liquor board to charge up to \$250 per gaming machine. The board discussed options to increase the gaming fee for FY26 and asked questions including what the average cost per gaming machine is in surrounding counties, when the gaming fees were last updated, how many gaming devices are currently in the county, and what a fee increase schedule would look like. The County Administrator commented that she would gather the information and have it available for discussion and voting at the next liquor meeting.*

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**New Business**

III. 2024-916 Bottom's Up One Time Event Application

*A motion was made by Basden, seconded by Gale, to approve Bottom's Up One Time Event Application. The motion carried by the following roll call vote: **YES** (4): Basden, Snyder, Calandro, Gale **ABSENT** (3): Ihle, Cervantez, Kilquist*

IV. 2024-917 2025 License Applications

1. Backwoods Gaming
2. Bottoms Up Bar & Grill
3. Carbon Lake
4. Club Coyote

5. Crazy Joe's Fish House
6. Frank's Real Bait Shop & Trading Post
7. Southern Sisters Spirits
8. Also Lucky Gaming, LLC
9. Hickory Ridge Vineyard & Winery
10. Jackson County Country Club Golf, LLC
11. JB's Place
12. JB's Place Forget Me Knots
13. Kite Hill Vineyards
14. Life O Riley Venue, LLC
15. Longbranch Shooting House & Saloon
16. Makanda Inn
17. Mason Ridge-Mase's Place Bar & Grill
18. Midland Inn
19. Mi Patio Restaurant, Inc.
20. Mulholland Enterprises LLC dba SevenOneFive Gaming
21. Murphysboro Moose Lodge #1591
22. Pomona Winery
23. Rose's Boat and Motor
24. Roses Bourbon Rail
25. Roses Bourbon Rail Corporation dba Kincaid Bar and Grill
26. Route 51 Brewing Company
27. Scratch Brewing Company
28. St. Nicholas Brewing Company
29. Unique Expressions & More, LLC
30. Von Jakob Winery
31. Von Jakob Brewery, LLC
32. Walkers Bluff-The Cellar
33. Walkers Bluff-Legends Restaurant

*The board discussed the various liquor and gaming applications for the listed establishments. Gale commented that Unique Expressions & More had not turned in a gaming or liquor application and that the health department had not given them a permit number yet. The County Administrator commented that Carbon Lake had not turned in a gaming license this year and that the Board Office would follow up to ensure they still have games. Basden commented that he wanted to remove Frank's Real Bait Shop from the list before voting on a motion to approve. A motion was made by Gale, seconded by Snyder, to approve the 2025 License Applications listed, excluding Unique Expressions & More, LLC for gaming and liquor, Carbon Lake for gaming only, and Frank's Real Bait Shop & Trading Post for liquor only. The motion carried by the following roll call vote: **YES** (4): Basden, Snyder, Calandro, Gale **ABSENT** (3): Ihle, Cervantez, Kilquist*

*Basden questioned why Frank's Real Bait Shop & Trading Post had turned in a 2021 application and whether the application had changed since then. The County Administrator reviewed the application and compared it to a 2024 application and commented that no items on the application had changed. A motion was made by Basden, seconded by Snyder, to approve Frank's Real Bait Shop & Trading Post Liquor application. The motion carried by the following roll call vote: **YES** (4): Basden, Snyder, Calandro, Gale **ABSENT** (3): Ihle, Cervantez, Kilquist*

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## **Executive Session**

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### **Adjourn**

*(4:19pm)*

*A motion was made by Basden, seconded by Snyder, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried by unanimous vote.*