

Minutes of
VILLAGE OF COBDEN
LIQUOR ADVISORY BOARD
September 12, 2011

The Village of Cobden Liquor Advisory Board met at 5:35 p.m. on Monday, September 12, 2011 at the Cobden Village Hall.

Those in attendance were: Molly Beckley, Alma Gomez, Wes Wilkins, David Isom, Robert Finster, Alan Eddington

Mayor Beckley stated that the Village of Cobden is allowing the recording of this meeting by Robert Finster with the understanding that if the recording is posted on his or any other website or media, the recording will not be altered in any way. The only official website for the Village of Cobden is cobdenil.com. The Village is not responsible for the content of any other website.

Motion was made by Wes Wilkins, seconded by Alma Gomez, to approve the Minutes of the May 5, 2011 Liquor Advisory Board meeting. Upon roll call, the vote for approval was (4 – 0).

The purpose of this meeting was to consider a request from Robert Finster for a liquor license.

Mr. Finster is considering purchasing property at 307 Oak Street (former Tip Top Tavern) and would like to determine what liquor licenses may be available, in particular a Class A license.

Mr. Finster was advised by Mayor Beckley that there are no liquor licenses of any class available and it is unlikely that the ordinance would be revised to provide an additional Class A license. Advisory Board members agreed with Mayor Beckley.

Wes Wilkins stressed to Mr. Finster that even if another class of license would be created, that there would be no guarantee that Mr. Finster would be granted the license. Mr. Finster seemed to understand that there are no liquor licenses available and should take this into consideration when negotiating the purchase of the property.

Motion was made by Wes Wilkins, seconded by David Isom that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried and the meeting ended at 5:58 p.m.

Karen M. Winzenburger
Village Clerk