Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission (LPGC)

Wednesday, October 16, 2024

10:00 A.M.

Department of Public Safety

7919 Independence Blvd. – Conference room C Baton Rouge, LA 70806

**Member Name: Present**

Ira Cleveland, Chairman

Dominique Monlezun, Vice Chairman

Commissioner Todd Thompson

Commissioner Ricky Cleveland

LTC Joseph Hasselbeck

**Staff:**

Don Robin, Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission Executive Director

Attorney Juliette Scionceaux

Various Industry representatives

**Call to Order:**

Ira Cleveland, Chairman, called the meeting to order.

**Roll Call:**

Ira Cleveland, Chairman, called roll.

**Public Comments:**

No Comments

Introduction of newest LPGC employee – Brian Breaux.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Commissioner Monlezun made a motion to approve the September18, 2024 minutes. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion. All approved. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

1. **LPGC reports**
2. Statistical report for September 2024
3. Detailed appropriation report recap for September 2024
4. Accounting total reports for September 2023 & September 2024
5. Fire and accident report for September 2024
6. Compliance audits for September 2024
7. **Possible citations for next meeting**
8. Regular citations – None
9. Insurance citations – None
10. Permit renewals – None – next permit cycle ends 10/31/2024
11. **Applications to be heard (if applicable)**

**The following applicants applied for a Class 2 permit:**

* Bobby Brannon Heating & Air Conditioning LLC – P.O. Box 5276 Bossier City, LA 71111 – On motion by Commissioner Thompson, seconded by Commissioner R. Cleveland, the application was postponed.
* Ultimate RV Center – 4495 NW Evangeline Thruway Carencro, LA 70520 – Gordon Stephens approached the Commission. On motion by Commissioner Monlezun, seconded by Commissioner R. Cleveland the permit was granted.
* Ameritrust Plumbing Solutions, LLC – Juan Ortiz approached the Commission - 67476 Marshall Vaughn Rd. LaCombe, LA 70445 – On motion by R. Cleveland, seconded by LTC Hasselbeck, the permit was granted.

**The following applicants applied for a Class 6 permit:**

* Antioch Store LLC – 380 Pace Ln. Farmerville, LA 71241 – On motion by Commissioner Thompson, seconded by Commissioner Monlezun, the application was dismissed.
* Powered by Propane LLC – 570 River Rd. Alexandria, LA 71302 – Danny Thibodeaux approached the Commission. On motion by Commissioner Monlezun, seconded by Commissioner Thompson, the permit granted.
* 21 Fuel Stop LLC – 28860 Hwy. 1071 Angie, LA 70426 – On motion by R. Cleveland, seconded by Commissioner Thompson, the application was postponed.

**The following applicants applied for a Class 6X permit:**

* Jennie V’s Seafood – 4836 Highway 311 Houma, LA 70360
* Pinewood Fuel – 14447 Denham Road Pride, LA 70770
* Scott Hayden Enterprises LLC – 1333 Hwy. 2 Sterlington, LA 71280
* Bayou Cane Seafood Market – 6539 West Main St. Houma, LA 70360
* Templets Market & Grocery LLC – 3602 Hwy. 70 S. Pierre Part, LA 70339

*On motion by Commissioner Thompson, seconded by Commissioner R. Cleveland, the permits were granted.*

1. **Violations to be heard (if applicable) – no violations**
2. **Market Development business**

a. Chase bank reconciliation as of October 14, 2024: **$759,225.25.** – Discussion about possible Rebate Program. Attorney Scioneaux will provide guidance at a later time.

1. **LPGC Advisory Board – President Artie Cole –** Update on current marketing incentives with conversations regarding current programs. Next meeting in November with proposals. The Association is hosting their meeting in Natchitoches, LA on December 11, 2024.
2. **Commission Legislation and/or Rule Change – Office of Legal Affairs**
3. **Open discussion by the Executive Director Robin and/or Chairman Cleveland**
4. **Next meeting date – November 20, 2024 – Baton Rouge, LA**
5. **Industry Communication – representative unavailable.**
6. **Adjournment –** Commissioner Thompson made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner R.Cleveland seconded the motion. All approved. Meeting adjourn.