

CITY OF LEWISTON  
BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING  
FINAL MINUTES for January 16, 2019

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- I. **ROLL CALL:** The meeting was held in the City Council Chambers on the first floor of City Hall and was called to order at 6:04 p.m. Patricia Gagne' chaired the meeting.

**Members in Attendance:** Patricia Gagne', John Clifford IV, Paula Masselli, Phyllis Rand and Roger Dupre

**Members Absent:** Daniel Dube' and Leslie Dubois

**Associate Members Present:** Steve Bannister

**Associate Members Absent:** Alexander Willette

**Staff Present:** David Hediger, Director of Planning & Code and Cathy Lekberg, Administrative Assistant, Department of Planning & Code Enforcement  
Kathy Montejo, City Clerk, Brian O'Malley, Chief of Police and Lt. Dave St. Pierre

IV. **NEW BUSINESS:**

Continuation of an application submitted by Justin Storer to appeal the denial of his Lewiston City Tattoo license.

The meeting was to start at 6:00 pm but the appellant was not in attendance at that time. David called the appellant and he said he there was at an accident and would be about 15 minutes late.

Members agreed that they should move forward with the meeting at this time. Patricia opened the meeting at 6:04 and stated to the Board that they would review the Policies and Procedures and elect officers at the February 6, 2019 meeting.

Patricia also appointed Steve Bannister as full voting member for this meeting.

John stated that the failure of the appellant to appear on time was concerning because this was his livelihood and he should have been here on time or shown up earlier. He also did not call and let staff know he would be late. Members agreed with John.

**MOTION:** by **Paula Masselli** to proceed with the meeting for the tattoo license denial. Second **Roger Dupre**.

**VOTED:** **6-0 (Passed)**

Patricia asked the Board if there was any other discussion. Members discussed the fact that the appellant said at the December 19, 2018 meeting that he was not working at the tattoo business at the time he was on probation but the additional information provided by staff from Facebook postings showed that he was actually working and that he was not being truthful.

**MOTION:** by **John Clifford, IV** to deny the appeal for the renewal of Justin Storer's tattoo license. Second **Steve Bannister**.

**VOTED:** 6-0 (Passed)

V. **READING OF MINUTES:** Draft Minutes for the December 19, 2018 meeting.

**MOTION:** by **John Clifford, IV** to accept the draft minutes from the December 19, 2018 meeting as presented. Second **Paula Masselli**.

**VOTED:** 6-0 (Passed)

VI. **ADJOURNMENT:** The following motion was made to adjourn.

**MOTION:** by **Paula Masselli** that this meeting adjourns at 6:15 p.m. Second by **John Clifford, IV**.

**VOTED:** 6-0 (Passed).

Respectfully Submitted:

*Paula Masselli*  
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Paula Masselli, Secretary