

MINUTES – PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
May 6, 2021

The Standing Committee on Public Safety was called to order at 5:35p.m. by Councilor Nicasro with Councilors Asack, Eaniri, Mendes, Nicasro and Rodrigues present.

Agenda read into the record.

The Committee first considered the following:

1. Petition of Hannoush Jewelers, George Hannoush of 170 Quarry Rd., West Springfield, Ma, for a Second Hand Precious Metal and Gems License located at 200 Westgate Drive, Brockton.

Invited to attend:

George Hannoush or designee

Comments by Councilor Nicasro

(re license has not been available for some time, just became available within the last 2 months, reads Ordinance, missing a Cori, subject to obtaining a CORI, reads requirements for operations, comments re mall hours)

Comments by Martin Bitar on behalf of Hannoush Jewelers

(not an issue to obtain a CORI, understands Sunday restriction)

Comments by Councilor Asack

(Ward 7 business, how many stores? Locations? Other licenses?)

Comments by Martin Bitar on behalf of Hannoush Jewelers

(over 50 stores throughout New England, owns licenses in all other stores)

Comments by Councilor Mendes

(pawn shop?)

Comments Martin Bitar on behalf of Hannoush Jewelers

(recycling gold, upgrading jewelry)

Motion to Recommend FAVORABLE WITH STIPULATION TO OBTAIN CORI APPROVAL PRIOR TO ISSUANCE by Councilor Asack, 2nd by Councilor Mendes. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion to adjourn, by Councilor Asack, 2nd by Councilor Eaniri. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:46 p.m.