



MINUTES
Committee on Public Safety
Thursday, April 16, 2026 @ 4:00 p.m.
City Council Conference Room, 10th Floor City Hall

CALL TO ORDER

Council Member Spadafore called the meeting to order at 4:00 pm

PRESENT

Council Member Peter Spadafore, Chair
Council Member Adam Hussain, Vice Chair
Council Member Clara Martinez, Member

OTHERS PRESENT

Sherrie Boak, Council Legislative Office Manager
Matt Staples, OCA
Meredith Johnson, Code Compliance
Rawley Van Fossen, Code Compliance
Council Member Kost

MINUTES

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER MARTINEZ TO APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM APRIL 2, 2026, AS PRESENTED. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

PUBLIC COMMENT

DISCUSSION

RESOLUTION – Set Show Cause Hearing; 813 Bement St.

Mr. Van Fossen informed the Committee that since the last meeting, owner applied for plan review and a hand full not approved. Recommending a 30-60 day table at this Committee.

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER HUSSAIN TO REMOVE FROM THE TABLE. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

Council Member Spadafore noted that May 21, 2026 would be 30 days.

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER HUSSAIN TO TABLE UNTIL THE MAY 21, 2026 MEETING. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

ORDINANCE – Amend Chapter 1240, Section 1240.04 Define the Term “liquor store”

Council Member Spadafore asked if Committee or OCA had anything else to add to this ordinance or discussion. The City Attorney stated not changes, and these are off -premise liquor licenses.

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER HUSSAIN TO APPROVE THE ORDINACE AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 1240, SECTION 1240.04. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

ORDINANCE – Amend Chapter 1250, add Section 1250.03.13 limitation on proximity between liquor stores

Council Member Spadafore asked for any comments, and Committee did not have any other comments.

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER HUSSAIN TO APPROVE THE ORDINANCE AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 1250, ADD SECTION 1250.03.13. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

ORDINANCE – Amend Chapter 1243, Table 1243.03; Add “liquor store” to Commercial Mixed Use Districts Allowable Use Table

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER HUSSAIN TO APPROVE THE ORDINANCE AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 1243, TABLE 1243.03 ADDING LIQUOR STORE TO COMMERCIAL MIXED USE. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

ORDINANCE – Amend Chapter 1245, Table 1245.03; Add “liquor store” to Special Districts Allowable Use Table

MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER HUSSAIN TO APPROVE THE ORDINANCE AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 1245, TABLE 1245.03 ADDING LIQUOR STORE TO SPECIAL DISTRICTS. MOTION CARRIED 3-0.

OTHER

No other topics at this time.

ADJOURN

Adjourned at 4:04 p.m.

Submitted by

Sherrie Boak, Recording Secretary

Lansing City Council

Approved by the Committee on May 21, 2026