

**CATOOSA COUNTY ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION**  
**MINUTES FOR August 16th, 2016**

The Catoosa County Alcoholic Beverage Commission met at the Catoosa County Administrative Building in Ringgold on Tuesday, August 16th, at 8:30 a.m.

Members present: Chairman Dusty Bridges, Odell Garrett, Ben Scott, Ernest Pursley, Yvonne Morgan  
Also in attendance: James Davis Zoning Administrator, Donna Howell, Clerk

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Chairman Bridges called the meeting to order.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

The following minutes summarize the actions of the Commission:

Motion made by Odell Garrett to approve the minutes from May 3rd, 2016.

Yvonne Morgan seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0 with the following actions:

Chairman Dusty Bridges - approved  
Odell Garrett - approved  
Ben Scott - approved  
Ernest Pursley - approved  
Yvonne Morgan - approved

**REPORTS:**

Ben Scott discussed with the Alcohol Board Commission that the Superior Court Order amendment regarding D&M Motorsports DBA Boyd Speedway contradicts itself in the statement written that "No alcoholic beverage sales will be allowed or permitted unless a proper license **and** special use permit is obtained from Catoosa County. "A Special Event vs. a Proper License has different meaning. The Court Order amendment does not meet the criteria of what the County ordinance reads. Chairman Bridges asked if there were anything in the ordinances that would prevent D&M Motorsports from applying for a regular alcohol permit. James Davis replied that per the ordinance, that alcohol being consumed on the premises regarding the proper license definition is 51% of food sales. James Davis is uncertain at this time, if they meet the criteria required. Ben Scott stated that the special event permit is a one-time event and should be applied for each and every time they plan to have one.

Ben Scott and James Davis mentioned that no one from the Catoosa County Sheriff's Department was present at this meeting regarding D&M Motorsports' alcohol permit.

Dusty Bridges asked if the county attorney could be notified to attend this meeting; or can a meeting be re-scheduled at a later time for clarification.

James Davis tried to contact the County Attorney for this meeting but due to other appointments was unable to attend. James Davis will re-schedule a meeting within two weeks or as soon as he hears from the County Attorney on a specific

date and time.

At this time, the application for D&M Motorsports DBA Boyd's Speedway will be tabled until further notice.

Motion was made by Odell Garrett to table this application for now. Ernest Pursley seconded the motion. Motion carried 4-0-1

Chairman Bridges- yes  
Odell Garrett-yes  
Ben Scott-No  
Ernest Pursley-yes  
Yvonne Morgan-yes

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Nothing to Report

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Nothing to Report

**OPEN SESSION:**

Nothing to Report

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Motion was made by Ben Scott to adjourn meeting. Ernest Pursley seconded the motion. Motion was carried 5 - 0

Dusty Bridges - yes  
Odell Garrett - yes  
Ben Scott - yes  
Ernest Pursley - yes  
Yvonne Morgan - yes

Approved this 20<sup>TH</sup> day of SEPT, 2016.

  
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Chairman of Alcohol Beverage Commission.

cc: Catoosa County Board of Commissioners  
County Manager  
Catoosa County Alcoholic Beverage Commission  
James Davis, Zoning Administrator  
Chad Young, Attorney