

**RESOLUTION
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A RESOLUTION TO REVOKE THE BUSINESS LICENSE FOR "THE 12TH STONE"

pursuant to § 16-29 of the Selma Code of Ordinances

WHEREAS, pursuant to §16-29.1(a) of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Selma, the City Council is empowered to revoke the business license of any business, trade or profession operating in violation of Appendix A (Zoning) of the Code of Ordinances, in an illegal manner, in such a manner as to be detrimental to public morals or health or so as to constitute a nuisance; *and*

WHEREAS, the City of Selma received several complaints regarding "The 12th Stone", a business located at 1402 Water Avenue, implicating that said business is operating in a manner that is illegal and/or that manifests as a detriment to public morals and health, public safety and welfare and further constituting a nuisance; *and*

WHEREAS, the Selma Police Department has responded to several incidents of great concern that affected the safety, welfare of the patrons, police and the surrounding businesses; *and*

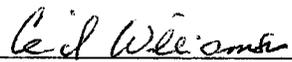
WHEREAS, after finding sufficient probable cause to do so and pursuant to §16-29.1(b) of the Code of Ordinance of the City of Selma, the City Council scheduled a hearing on Tuesday, August 23, 2011 at 4:00p.m. and continued on Thursday, October 13, 2011 at 5:00p.m., to hear arguments, witnesses and to consider evidence in support of the revocation and to allow the owner an opportunity to show cause, if any, why said license should not be revoked; *and*

WHEREAS, the City Council conducted said hearing(s) on the aforementioned dates and determined that the arguments, witnesses and evidence presented support findings that "The 12th Stone" was operated in a manner that was illegal and/or constituted as a detriment to public morals and health, public safety and welfare and further constituting a nuisance.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SELMA, ALABAMA, that the currently issued business license for "The 12th Stone", located at 1402 Water Avenue, Selma is and be hereby REVOKED

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that no refund for such license fee shall be made and that no license shall be issued to said licensee or on behalf of such licensee until and after six (6) months from the date of this resolution.

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SELMA, ALABAMA
on this the 13th day of October, 2011.**



DR. CECIL WILLIAMSON, *President*

ATTEST:


IVY HARRISON, *City Clerk*

APPROVED:


GEORGE P. EVANS, *Mayor*