

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD
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MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Alamac, Inc.
t/a The River Inn/Dish
924 25th Street, NW
License No. ABRA-001782
Case #15-PRO-00019
Retailer Class CH

Roll Call
Hearing

(Substantial Change
Sidewalk Café with 28 seats)

MONDAY, APRIL 13, 2015

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board met in the Alcoholic Beverage Control Hearing Room, Reeves Building, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009, Ruthanne Miller, presiding:

PRESENT:

RUTHANNE MILLER, Chairperson
NICK ALBERTI, Member
HERMAN JONES, Member
MIKE SILVERSTEIN, Member
HECTOR RODRIGUEZ, Member
JAMES SHORT, Member

1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 10:15 a.m.

3 MS. FLETCHER: Would the parties in
4 the matter of The River Inn/Dish please come
5 forward, the parties in the matter of The River
6 Inn/Dish. This is Case Number 15-PRO-00019,
7 Alamac, Inc., trading as The River Inn/Dish, 924
8 25th Street, NW, License Number ABRA-001782.

9 This is a Retailer Class CH,
10 Substantial Change, Sidewalk Café with 28 seats.
11 The protest issues are adverse impact on peace,
12 order, and quiet.

13 My name is LaVerne Fletcher, and I'm
14 conducting the Roll Call Hearing as the Board's
15 Agent pursuant to D.C. Official Code 1601.2.
16 Introductions beginning with the applicant
17 please.

18 MR. FONSECA: Michael Fonseca on behalf
19 of the Licensee.

20 MS. FLETCHER: And, Mr. Fonseca, would
21 you spell your name for the record please.

22 MR. FONSECA: The court reporter is

1 shaking his head. He has my spelling.

2 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Thank you, and
3 your name, sir?

4 MR. GIANNINO: Joe Giannino. I'm the
5 General Manager at the River Inn Avenue Suites.

6 MS. FLETCHER: And how do you spell
7 the last name?

8 MR. GIANNINO: It's G-I-A-N-N-I-N-O.

9 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you very much,
10 and on behalf of the - is there anyone present on
11 behalf of the Group of Five?

12 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes.

13 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Your name
14 please.

15 MS. MARTINEZ: Monica Martinez.

16 MS. FLETCHER: And, Ms. Martinez,
17 would you spell your name for the record please.

18 MS. MARTINEZ: First name is Monica,
19 M-O-N-I-C-A. The last name is Martinez, M-A-R-T-
20 I-N-E-Z.

21 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you, and your
22 name, sir.

1 MR. KENNEDY: Patrick Kennedy. I'm
2 the Chairperson of Advisory Neighborhood
3 Commission 2A.

4 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you, Mr. Kennedy.
5 Ms. Martinez, are there any other members from
6 your group present?

7 MS. MARTINEZ: No.

8 MS. FLETCHER: Do you have a letter
9 designating you as the representative for the
10 entire group?

11 MS. MARTINEZ: Unfortunately I don't.

12 MS. FLETCHER: Okay.

13 MS. MARTINEZ: Is there any way to
14 make it retroactive? I'm sure I could get it.

15 MS. FLETCHER: The - for the purpose
16 of the Roll Call Hearing, I'm going to have to
17 dismiss the group because five are not present
18 and there's no one person present designated as
19 the representative of the four, and the
20 designation has to be in writing, so I'm going to
21 dismiss the group of five.

22 You'll receive a Board Order

1 dismissing your protest because five people did
2 not appear, but you'll have ten days to seek
3 reinstatement of the protest if you provide the
4 Board with a good reason for the other parties
5 not being present.

6 MS. MARTINEZ: What does the Board
7 consider a good reason?

8 MS. FLETCHER: Just say what the real
9 reason is.

10 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay, and who will the
11 letter be sent to?

12 MS. FLETCHER: You can address it to
13 the -

14 MS. MARTINEZ: No, I mean who will
15 receive the letter that you will send?

16 MS. FLETCHER: Each of you, each of
17 the five because there's not a designated
18 representative in this case, so each of the five
19 individuals that filed the protest will each
20 receive an order of their own?

21 MS. MARTINEZ: How do I know that you
22 guys have my address? I'm not sure that - can I

1 put it on the letter?

2 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, I'll tell you what
3 I did. When you filed your protest, initially
4 your address had not been provided, and I
5 contacted - excuse me for a second - Matthew
6 Levin, and I asked him to send me over a copy of
7 all your addresses.

8 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay.

9 MS. FLETCHER: Did you get a letter
10 from us?

11 MS. MARTINEZ: No, I did not.

12 MS. FLETCHER: You didn't receive a
13 letter from us?

14 MS. MARTINEZ: Mr. Levin approached -
15 he approached us - you know, we are not a
16 powerful business. We are not represented by
17 high power lawyers, so we were not - we tried to
18 organize independently. He approached me the
19 night before, so all this is kind of -

20 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, I talked to him a
21 couple of times.

22 MS. MARTINEZ: So I honestly don't

1 remember if he had my address. I haven't
2 received a letter from you guys.

3 MS. FLETCHER: One second. So, Ms.
4 Martinez, right?

5 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes.

6 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. I'll give you
7 the address that he gave us for you.

8 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay. I see it. I see
9 it here.

10 MS. FLETCHER: Is that correct?

11 MS. MARTINEZ: No. I'm at 919.

12 MS. FLETCHER: He have us 921.

13 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes.

14 MS. FLETCHER: So that's why you
15 didn't receive your letter. The protest letter
16 that was originally filed didn't have your
17 address and three others, so I emailed Mr. Levin
18 to get your mailing addresses, so you didn't
19 receive a notice of this hearing today because he
20 gave us the wrong address, but I'm going to
21 correct it right now. What is it?

22 MS. MARTINEZ: 919.

1 MS. FLETCHER: It's 919 Hughes Mews,
2 is that correct?

3 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes.

4 MS. FLETCHER: The rest is okay?

5 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes, the rest is okay.

6 MS. FLETCHER: But it's 919.

7 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes.

8 MS. FLETCHER: Because that letter
9 would have explained what I'm saying now.

10 MS. MARTINEZ: Sure.

11 MS. FLETCHER: And - but still, you'll
12 get -

13 MS. MARTINEZ: Will the other
14 individuals also receive a letter from you?

15 MS. FLETCHER: Yes.

16 MS. MARTINEZ: Great, and then for -
17 can they designate me again as a representative
18 for this?

19 MS. FLETCHER: Yes.

20 MS. MARTINEZ: Great, and how many -
21 you said we'll have ten days to organize it?

22 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, once you receive

1 the order dismissing the protest, the order tells
2 you that you have ten days upon receipt of the
3 order to ask the Board for reinstatement as
4 protesters, and you can just explain the reason -
5 well, you're here, but the other individuals can
6 explain the reason they weren't here and the
7 Board can grant standing to the group.

8 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay. Perfect.

9 MS. FLETCHER: And then I would let
10 Mr. Fonseca know. He will be kept abreast.
11 He'll receive a copy of the orders to you guys.

12 MS. MARTINEZ: Sure.

13 MS. FLETCHER: And so if the Board
14 grants standing, Mr. Fonseca will know, and we'll
15 just pick up where we left off which would be
16 mediation.

17 MR. FONSECA: If I may, even though I
18 know you're not represented by counsel, I'm not
19 suggesting you need to be, but because you're not
20 represented by counsel, when you file a motion
21 you're supposed to provide the licensee which
22 would be me on their behalf a copy. You can do

1 it electronically. I'll give you my card so I
2 have an opportunity also to respond.

3 MS. MARTINEZ: Sure.

4 MR. FONSECA: As opposed to waiting
5 for the Agency to send me a copy and then
6 respond. All right?

7 MS. FLETCHER: Do you understand that
8 part, Ms. Martinez?

9 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes, I understand that
10 part.

11 MR. FONSECA: Clear up - even though -
12 just so it's on the record from Ms. Martinez but
13 not necessarily speaking for the others, to your
14 knowledge - I gave her, just so you know, a copy
15 of what you sent to me which was the letter, the
16 email communication that had the addresses
17 listed.

18 To your knowledge, are the other four
19 individuals, are those their correct addresses?

20 MS. MARTINEZ: I have no idea.

21 MR. FONSECA: Okay.

22 MS. MARTINEZ: I don't even know if

1 they're receiving the notices.

2 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, I got the
3 addresses for each person from Mr. Levin because
4 your original letter just had signatures, so I
5 gave him an opportunity to give me your - give
6 the Agency the mailing addresses, so maybe - we
7 don't know if -

8 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes.

9 MS. FLETCHER: Maybe those addresses
10 weren't correct. I mean if that's the reason -

11 MS. MARTINEZ: I know that Meredith is
12 on 25th Street, but I don't know her number. I
13 just don't know any of the numbers.

14 MS. FLETCHER: So if you - in your
15 case you didn't get - if there are people that
16 didn't get the notice because the addresses were
17 incorrect, that's a good reason not to be here,
18 but just let the Board know.

19 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay.

20 MS. FLETCHER: And -

21 MS. MARTINEZ: What if they - one
22 question because I was unaware that all five of

1 us who had signed the letter even needed to be
2 present -

3 MS. FLETCHER: Because you didn't get
4 the letter.

5 MS. MARTINEZ: But even if they were -
6 if they were - and I wasn't going to - I'm
7 assuming that they're busy with work
8 responsibilities. They might not have been
9 aware, is that justification enough if anybody
10 had known?

11 MS. FLETCHER: That's not
12 justification enough, but what you can always do
13 is designate one person to appear on behalf of
14 the entire group, so I've in communication with
15 Mr. Levin, and I told him that I knew that he
16 wasn't going to be here today because he said he
17 was going to be out of town or the country or
18 something, so what I told him is that he could
19 just designate someone else from the group in
20 writing, and I told him that that person could
21 represent all of you at the hearing today.

22 MS. MARTINEZ: I wish I had been aware

1 of this.

2 MS. FLETCHER: Yes. He filed your
3 protest on behalf of - so I only had information
4 for him, so he - you can explain that. You
5 weren't informed about the process. You didn't
6 receive the notice. Let the Board take a look at
7 the reason you would like to seek reinstatement,
8 but they'll look at the reason for each person.

9 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay.

10 MS. FLETCHER: And then they'll decide
11 to grant the group standing. If they do, we'll
12 let you know and you'll be involved in the
13 remainder of the process.

14 There wouldn't be another roll call
15 hearing, but you will be informed that you've
16 been granted standing and you can join the
17 process where we are at that time.

18 MS. MARTINEZ: All right.

19 MS. FLETCHER: Any other questions
20 about that?

21 MS. MARTINEZ: No.

22 MS. FLETCHER: And I'll send you the

1 letter so that you can see what it says.

2 MS. MARTINEZ: I'm sorry. I'm just
3 really disappointed that I wasn't - had I known -
4 and again, I know that it's not your fault, you
5 know. I would have gone through and gotten
6 everybody's signature.

7 MS. FLETCHER: And that's why Mr.
8 Levin was the only person whose contact
9 information we had.

10 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes.

11 MS. FLETCHER: Apparently he got some
12 neighbors to sign a petition, but he didn't get
13 addresses for anybody, so he's the only person
14 that we could contact, so we contacted him and
15 told him what to do, and you can explain that in
16 your letter. Anything you're saying today, just
17 put it in the letter to the Board.

18 MS. MARTINEZ: All right.

19 MS. FLETCHER: And so, Mr. Kennedy,
20 you're present on behalf of ANC 2A?

21 MR. KENNEDY: I am.

22 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. I just want to

1 clarify something for the record. I saw your
2 email requesting the Board to waiver the untimely
3 filing of the protest.

4 MR. KENNEDY: Yes.

5 MS. FLETCHER: I spoke with Martha.
6 That's not something the Board normally does, so
7 I spoke with her and she explained to me that
8 what you're really requesting is that the
9 petition deadline be extended.

10 MR. KENNEDY: Yes.

11 MS. FLETCHER: To allow you time to
12 file a protest.

13 MR. KENNEDY: Yes.

14 MS. FLETCHER: So that petition
15 deadline was extended, and so you are granted
16 standing as a protester.

17 MR. KENNEDY: Thank you.

18 MS. FLETCHER: So the request to
19 waiver the untimely filing of the protest is a
20 non-issue, and there was no determination made
21 about that at all.

22 MR. KENNEDY: Would you like me to

1 withdraw that formally or is that something that
2 the Board will have to discuss?

3 MS. FLETCHER: I already made a note
4 of it in the file. That's sufficient, so the
5 file will already reflect that.

6 MR. KENNEDY: Great.

7 MS. FLETCHER: I just wanted to let
8 you know that, and so ANC 2A is granted standing
9 as a protester.

10 MR. KENNEDY: Thank you.

11 MS. FLETCHER: The only other thing is
12 the email that I've read that you sent to the
13 Director, it does not - the email says that
14 there's a copy of the protest attached, but
15 there's not a copy of the protest in the protest
16 file, so I don't know - so can you -

17 MR. KENNEDY: I can certainly provide
18 that to you. Mr. Fonseca, was that attached in
19 the email that you were copied?

20 MR. FONSECA: My recollection, it was
21 around ten something at night on the 31st, and it
22 was there.

1 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, and maybe it was
2 sent here too, but whoever provided the email for
3 the record didn't attach a copy of the protest,
4 but I'll check with the -

5 MR. FONSECA: What's the deadline
6 extension?

7 MS. FLETCHER: That was not discussed.

8 MR. FONSECA: Okay, so you can just
9 forward the email.

10 MS. FLETCHER: You can just forward -

11 MR. KENNEDY: Yes, there was an email
12 on the 31st. It was attached to that, and when I
13 had submitted that motion for the record last
14 week, that erroneous motion as it turns out, it
15 was also - I attached it for reference there.

16 MS. FLETCHER: Exactly.

17 MR. KENNEDY: So would you like me to
18 send it to you directly?

19 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, you can send it to
20 me directly, and - oh, I didn't put my card on
21 the table.

22 MR. KENNEDY: That's fine. I have

1 your address.

2 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, so that wasn't
3 attached. I just wanted to tell you that, and
4 there was one other thing I was going to tell
5 you, so is the basis of your protest adverse
6 impact on peace, order, and quiet in the
7 neighborhood?

8 MR. KENNEDY: As well as diminution to
9 residential property values.

10 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, so the protest
11 issues are adverse impact on peace, order, and
12 quiet, and real property values.

13 MR. KENNEDY: Yes.

14 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, so then we just
15 need to set a date for mediation, a status
16 hearing, and the protest hearing, and, Ms.
17 Martinez, let me just tell you, you can go ahead
18 and write down these dates. If the Board
19 reinstates your protest, you'll pick up at
20 whatever point you're approved and join the
21 protest at that point.

22 So the - I'll give you the date for

1 the status hearing and protest hearing first.
2 The date for the status is May 20. It's May 20,
3 2015, at 9:30 a.m., and the date for the protest
4 hearing is July the first at 4:30 p.m.

5 So, Ms. Martinez, the mediation is
6 going to be scheduled to take place before the
7 status hearing, so if you can get your - are you
8 going to say something, Mr. Kennedy?

9 MR. KENNEDY: Ms. Fletcher, is there
10 any flexibility around that specific protest
11 date? I have a family engagement that week.

12 MS. FLETCHER: The - what you can do,
13 if Mr. Fonseca is not opposed, you can make a
14 joint request to continue, to reschedule, the
15 July 21st date.

16 MR. KENNEDY: We can discuss that.

17 MR. FONSECA: 21st or first?

18 MS. FLETCHER: If I said the 21st, I
19 meant to say the first, July the first, and if
20 for some reason the Board doesn't grant your
21 request, and there may very well, you can always
22 designate a representative to come to the protest

1 hearing.

2 MR. KENNEDY: Absolutely.

3 MS. FLETCHER: You know how that part
4 works, but ideally the matter will be resolved in
5 mediation and it won't matter.

6 MR. KENNEDY: Ms. Fletcher, for the
7 record, I think our letter had specified that I
8 or the single member district commissioner, in
9 this case it was John Williams who represents
10 Single Member District 2A03 for the commission's
11 designee in this matter.

12 We can at this point vote to designate
13 additional members as necessary. Is that in
14 order?

15 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, and what was the
16 name of the other person designated?

17 MR. KENNEDY: John Williams, like the
18 composer. J-O-H-N, last name Williams, W-I-L-L-
19 I-A-M-S.

20 MS. FLETCHER: He's one of the
21 commissioners?

22 MR. KENNEDY: Yes, he's the single

1 Member District Commissioner in which The River
2 Inn is located.

3 MS. FLETCHER: So I'll include in the
4 record from this point forward you and John
5 Williams are the designated representatives, and
6 you can change them whenever you get ready.

7 MR. KENNEDY: Okay.

8 MS. FLETCHER: All right, so then
9 we'll look at the next available date for
10 mediation. The status hearing will be May 20, so
11 the mediation has to occur before that day.

12 MR. FONSECA: We probably would like
13 to meet is possible amongst ourselves to see if
14 we can commence negotiations, so I don't know if
15 you have a date to put us in May as opposed to
16 the next two weeks.

17 MS. FLETCHER: Yes. I'll move out to
18 May. Do you want me to look at dates for the
19 week of May fourth, the week of May 4 or the week
20 of May 11? We can push it out as far as you
21 want.

22 MR. FONSECA: I'll just see what

1 Patrick - what Commissioner Kennedy looks good
2 for him because right now - I know you normally
3 don't do them on Wednesday. Give us - give me
4 the flexibility of Wednesdays because of the
5 Board's hearings.

6 MS. FLETCHER: Yes. That's right.

7 MR. KENNEDY: Fridays work best for me
8 just due to my work schedules that are in order.

9 MR. FONSECA: If it could be sometime
10 mornings.

11 MR. KENNEDY: That's fine.

12 MR. FONSECA: Yes, then Fridays are
13 okay because my problem is I have things on
14 Tuesday, Thursday, Fridays starting at the end of
15 April for about nine weeks. From 1:30 on, I'm
16 pretty much out of the city.

17 MR. KENNEDY: That's fine for me. To
18 clarify for the group of five, they can certainly
19 attend any meeting that we hold at The River Inn,
20 and the mediation would be dependent on their
21 ability to maintain standing in the proceedings.

22 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, that's right, and

1 you can participate in any outside mediation if
2 all the parties are in agreement.

3 MR. FONSECA: May I be clear of what
4 you just said. It's not outside mediation
5 meaning meetings between the parties.

6 MS. FLETCHER: If that's what you want
7 to call it. Some people refer to it - yes, it's
8 not Board -

9 MR. FONSECA: Because if at the
10 mediation if they're not seated, I don't think
11 they usually would attend.

12 MS. FLETCHER: Well, you know, it
13 depends on what you want to call it. If you want
14 to call it a meeting outside of ABRA, that's
15 fine. Some people say they're mediating outside
16 of ABRA. Whatever you call it, you can do it.

17 MR. FONSECA: I'm trying to be clear
18 though, Ms. Fletcher, for the mediation where
19 you're sitting as a mediator typically -

20 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, that's - that is
21 important. That's right. That's important. The
22 mediation is held by the Board's mediator and

1 that's held here.

2 What you're going to do outside of
3 here, it's a meeting. You can call it - it's a
4 meeting.

5 MS. MARTINEZ: So this mediation we
6 would only be able to participate in if the Board
7 gives us -

8 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, but you can still
9 be involved in a negotiation outside of ABRA.

10 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay.

11 MS. FLETCHER: To meet with ANC, Mr.
12 Fonseca, and The River Inn if all parties are in
13 agreement without being granted standing here.

14 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay. Great to know.
15 Thank you.

16 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you. So the
17 first Friday that's available - Mr. Kennedy,
18 Fridays are better for you?

19 MR. KENNEDY: Fridays are better for
20 me, yes.

21 MS. FLETCHER: The first Friday that's
22 available is Friday, May the first. It can be at

1 nine, ten, or 11, and I can give you all the
2 Fridays. The first is available and the 15th is
3 available. That's also on a Friday.

4 MR. KENNEDY: The eighth isn't?

5 MS. FLETCHER: The eighth I won't be
6 here.

7 MR. KENNEDY: Okay.

8 MR. FONSECA: Good for you.

9 MR. KENNEDY: Do you have any
10 preference between the first or the 15th?

11 MR. FONSECA: I can do either. Again,
12 I need them preferably done - just do it at ten
13 o'clock. Sometimes they'll run a couple of
14 hours.

15 MR. KENNEDY: Ten o'clock on either
16 date is fine with me.

17 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Well ten o'clock
18 on the first?

19 MR. KENNEDY: Good.

20 MR. FONSECA: Do you want to do that?
21 Is that good for you?

22 MR. KENNEDY: On the first, right?

1 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, then mediation is
2 set for ten o'clock on Friday, May the first.

3 MR. FONSECA: That's the mediation
4 hearing.

5 MR. KENNEDY: Is that good for you?

6 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes. I will make time.

7 MS. FLETCHER: And that gives you
8 plenty of time, Ms. Martinez, to seek
9 reinstatement from the Board as a protester and
10 if they grant you standing as a protester, then
11 you can come to the mediation here on the first.

12 MS. MARTINEZ: Sure. I'll do my best.

13 MS. FLETCHER: Mr. Kennedy, I already
14 have your - actually, put your email address on
15 that - oh, they didn't bring that in.

16 What's your email address?

17 MR. KENNEDY: The number 2, the letter
18 a, the number zero and the number one at a as in
19 alpha, n, c dot dc.gov, G-O-V.

20 MS. FLETCHER: And what's your daytime
21 number?

22 MR. KENNEDY: Area code 727 804-2522.

1 MS. FLETCHER: So I have for your
2 email address 2a01@anc.dc.gov.

3 MR. KENNEDY: That's correct.

4 MS. FLETCHER: And the phone number is
5 (727)804-2522.

6 MR. KENNEDY: That's correct.

7 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, and, Ms.
8 Martinez, what is your email address?

9 MS. MARTINEZ: It's Martinez M for
10 Monica, V for Vivian @yahoo.com, so that's
11 Martinezmv@yahoo.com.

12 MS. FLETCHER: So it's Martinez what?

13 MS. MARTINEZ: M for Monica, V for
14 Vivian at yahoo.com.

15 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Martinez M for
16 Monica, V for Vivian @yahoo.com, and what's your
17 daytime number?

18 MS. MARTINEZ: (202)640-8947.

19 MS. FLETCHER: I'm going to include
20 that in the record since you were here just so
21 you know. Okay, then any questions at all, Ms.
22 Martinez?

1 MS. MARTINEZ: How long after I file
2 a request to be reconsidered will I hear
3 something from you guys?

4 MS. FLETCHER: On whatever day we
5 receive it, it goes on the Board's agenda the
6 following Wednesday, so if we get it on a Tuesday
7 by noon, it can probably go on the Board's agenda
8 for the - that Wednesday.

9 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay.

10 MS. FLETCHER: So it just depends on
11 when we receive it.

12 MR. FONSECA: If I may, she may not be
13 aware the Board won't - will not meet next
14 Wednesday, so the likelihood of this order
15 issuing any sooner - maybe it will be this
16 Wednesday. Do you think it's possible?
17 Otherwise it will be on the 22nd.

18 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, if you were to
19 somehow send in your request for reinstatement
20 today -

21 MS. MARTINEZ: I was going to ask you,
22 do I have to wait for your initial letter from

1 you to arrive or can I - and where can I mail it
2 to?

3 MS. FLETCHER: You can mail it to our
4 address. Before you go, I'll give you my card.

5 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay. Perfect.

6 MS. FLETCHER: So you can mail it to
7 my address. I'm going to give you - actually I'm
8 going to have you send it to Martha Jenkins.

9 Martha Jenkins is the - our General
10 Counsel. I'm going to have you send it to
11 Martha, and Martha will get it on the Board's
12 agenda.

13 MR. KENNEDY: ABRA doesn't meet next
14 Wednesday?

15 MS. FLETCHER: It's the - the Board is
16 not here for -

17 MR. FONSECA: Emancipation Day.

18 MS. FLETCHER: The 15th for
19 Emancipation Day.

20 MR. FONSECA: I know. For some reason
21 they're not meeting.

22 MS. FLETCHER: Emancipation Day, isn't

1 that this week? It's the 16th.

2 MR. KENNEDY: That's next week,
3 Thursday.

4 MS. FLETCHER: What's today?

5 MR. FONSECA: Today's the 13th, so
6 it's this week.

7 MS. FLETCHER: They're not here this
8 Wednesday, so that's what - yes, it's next - the
9 Board won't be here on the - exactly, so this
10 Wednesday the Board is not here because it's a
11 Government holiday, so the Agency is closed.

12 MS. MARTINEZ: One other question, I
13 know some of my - I know particularly one of
14 these neighbors travels a lot, can another
15 resident of the house designate me as a
16 representative if one of these individuals is not
17 available?

18 MS. FLETCHER: You mean for the
19 mediation?

20 MS. MARTINEZ: For any -

21 MS. FLETCHER: Oh, to ask for
22 reinstatement?

1 MS. MARTINEZ: Yes, no it has to be
2 the individual who is listed?

3 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, they can an email.

4 MS. MARTINEZ: I'm sorry.

5 MS. FLETCHER: They can do it by
6 email.

7 MS. MARTINEZ: Oh, they can do it by
8 email.

9 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, so then you have
10 even more time because the Board won't be here
11 this Wednesday, so if you get it in before
12 Tuesday of next week, it will go on the Board's
13 agenda for next Wednesday.

14 Anything else, Ms. Martinez?

15 MS. MARTINEZ: No.

16 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Let me give you
17 my number, but you'll have my card in a minute.
18 That's okay. I'll go ahead and get my card for
19 you.

20 MS. MARTINEZ: Okay.

21 MS. FLETCHER: Well then the Roll Call
22 Hearing is concluded. See you on the first.

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MR. KENNEDY: Thank you.

MR. FONSECA: Thank you.

(Whereupon the above-entitled the Roll
Call Hearing in the above-entitled matter was
concluded at 10:39 a.m.)

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