



CITY OF MILWAUKEE
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

Tuesday, February 22, 2022


COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE

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SMITH-JAMES, Patsy, Agent
Higbee's MKE LLC
1806 15th Av
South Milwaukee, WI 53172

You are requested to attend a virtual hearing to be held on:

Tuesday, March 08, 2022 at 10:30 AM

Regarding: Your Class B Tavern, Public Entertainment Premises and Food De  License Renewal Applications as agent for "Higbee's MKE LLC" for "District IV" at 628 N Water St.

This meeting will be held via GoToMeeting. Please see the enclosed best practices document for further instructions. The access code is <https://meet.goto.com/472904013>. If you wish to call in, please call [+1 \(646\) 749-3122](tel:+16467493122) and use Access Code: [472-904-013](tel:+16467493122)

There is a possibility that your application may be denied for one or more of the following reasons: The recommendation of the committee regarding the application shall be based on evidence presented at the hearing. Per MCO 85-4-4, unless otherwise specified in the code, probative evidence concerning non-renewal, suspension or revocation may include evidence of the following: failure of the applicant to meet municipal qualifications, pending charges against or the conviction of any felony, misdemeanor, municipal offense or other offense, the circumstances of which substantially relate to the circumstances of the particular licensed or permitted activity, by the applicant or by any employee or other agent of the applicant. If the activities of the applicant involve a licensed premises, whether the premises tends to facilitate a public or private nuisance or has been the source of congregations of persons which have resulted in any of the following: disturbance of the peace; illegal drug activity; public drunkenness; drinking in public; harassment of passers-by; gambling; prostitution; sale of stolen goods; public urination; theft; assaults; battery; acts of vandalism including graffiti, excessive littering, loitering, illegal parking, loud noise at times when the licensed premise is open for business; traffic violations; curfew violations; lewd conduct; display of materials harmful to minors, pursuant to s. 106-9.6; or any other factor which reasonably relates to the public health, safety and welfare, or failure to comply with the approved plan of operation. See attached police report or correspondence.

Notice for applicants with warrants or unpaid fines:

Proof of warrant satisfaction or payment of fines must be submitted at the hearing on the above date and time. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in a delay of the granting/denial of your application.

Failure to attend this meeting may result in the denial of your license. Individual applicants and partnership applicants must attend or attend by an attorney. The agent or attorney for corporate or limited liability applicants must attend. If you wish to do so and at your own expense, you may be accompanied by an attorney of your choosing to represent you at this hearing.

You will be given an opportunity to speak on behalf of the application and to respond and challenge any charges or reasons given for the denial. No petitions can be accepted by the committee, unless the people who signed the petition attend the virtual hearing and are willing to testify. You may present witnesses under oath and you may also confront and cross-examine opposing witnesses under oath. If you have difficulty with the English language, you should request an interpreter attend the meeting with you, at your expense, so that you can answer questions and participate in your hearing.

PLEASE NOTE: Upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through sign language interpreters or other auxiliary aids. For additional information or to request this service, contact the Council Services Division ADA Coordinator at (414) 286-2998, Fax - (414) 286-3456, TDD - (414) 286-2025.

JIM OWCZARSKI, CITY CLERK

BY: _____

Jim Cooney
License Division Manager

If you have questions regarding this meeting, please contact the staff assistant, Yadira Melendez at (414) 286-2775 or stast5@milwaukee.gov

REDACTED RECORD

Leon-Van Meter, Daniela

From: Cooney, Jim
Sent: Friday, December 3, 2021 12:32 PM
To: Leon-Van Meter, Daniela
Cc: Martin, Faviola; Byrd, Yashica
Subject: FW: Neighborhood Conversation with Capt. Campbell

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Flagged

Can you add to the new app and current license for 628 N Water St?

From: Bauman, Robert <rjbauma@milwaukee.gov>
Sent: Friday, December 3, 2021 12:09 PM
To: Cooney, Jim <Jim.Cooney@milwaukee.gov>
Cc: Bockhorst, Tammy <Tammy.Bockhorst@milwaukee.gov>; Campbell, James <jcampb@milwaukee.gov>
Subject: Re: Neighborhood Conversation with Capt. Campbell

I will also be objecting to a new license at the district location.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 3, 2021, at 12:04 PM, Bauman, Robert <rjbauma@milwaukee.gov> wrote:

I absolutely object to the parking renewal. I trust there are police reports.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 2, 2021, at 4:42 PM, Cooney, Jim <Jim.Cooney@milwaukee.gov> wrote:

As an aside,

There may be a special for some of the more contentious new applications. Don't have a date yet. Do you think it would be prudent to put the district on it if it comes to fruition?

And does the alderman have time next week to discuss the applications for the January 5th hearing?

Jim Cooney
License Division Manager
City Clerk-License Division
200 E Wells St #105
414-286-2365
www.milwaukee.gov/license

REDACTED RECORD

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From: Bockhorst, Tammy <Tammy.Bockhorst@milwaukee.gov>

Sent: Thursday, December 2, 2021 2:18 PM

To:

Cc:

Bauman, Robert <rjbauma@milwaukee.gov>

Campbell, James <jcampb@milwaukee.gov>

<Jim.Cooney@milwaukee.gov>

Subject: RE: Neighborhood Conversation with Capt. Campbell

I've asked licensing to alert us to that and the District, including any objections and other items in their file.

Best,

Tammy Bockhorst

Pronouns: She • Her • Hers

Legislative Assistant

Alderman Robert Bauman | 4th District

Milwaukee Common Council

200 East Wells Street – Room 205 | Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 286-2886 (O)

(414) 708-0590 (M)

(414) 286-3456 (F)

Tammy.Bockhorst@milwaukee.gov

From:

Sent: Wednesday, December 1, 2021 10:36 PM

To:

Cc:

Bauman, Robert <rjbauma@milwaukee.gov>

Campbell, James <jcampb@milwaukee.gov>

<Tammy.Bockhorst@milwaukee.gov>

Subject: Re: Neighborhood Conversation with Capt. Campbell

Tammy,

Can you please let us know when the license renewal is up for the surface lot at Mich and Broadway?

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 11, 2021, at 12:20 PM, [redacted] wrote:

So are we-

Thank-you

REDACTED RECORD

On Thursday, November 11, 2021, 12:18:13 PM CST, Bockhorst, Tammy <tammy.bockhorst@milwaukee.gov> wrote:

I look forward to the discussion this evening.

Best,

Tammy Bockhorst

Pronouns: She • Her • Hers

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Tammy.Bockhorst@milwaukee.gov

-----Original Appointment-----

From:

Sent: Wednesday, November 3, 2021 12:58 PM

To: [redacted] Bauman, Robert;

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT LICENSING

CRIMINAL RECORD/ORDINANCE VIOLATION/INCIDENTS SYNOPSIS

DATE: 02/01/22
LICENSE TYPE: Class B Tavern
NEW:
RENEWAL:

No. 333361
Application Date: 01/31/22

License Location: 628 N Water St
Business Name: The District

Licensee/Applicant: SMITH-JAMES, Patsy
(Last Name, First Name, MI)
Date of Birth: 08/30/1942

Home Address: 1806 15th Av
City: South Milwaukee
Home Phone: 414-614-7349

State: WI Zip Code: 53172

This report is written by Police Officer Corstan D. COURT, assigned to the License Investigation Unit, Days.

The Milwaukee Police Department's investigation regarding this application revealed the following:

1. On 11/02/2017 at 2:01am officers investigated a shots fired Complaint in the area of E. Mason St and N. Broadway St. While on scene a shooting victim arrived at St Mary's Hospital. The investigation revealed the victim was at the District Night Club earlier with a group of friends. During the night an unknown subject bought her a drink. The same subject later touched her breast. After closing the situation escalated outside which resulted in shots being fired by both parties. The District was cooperative with the officers and provided video surveillance footage. The District pats down all patrons prior to them being allowed inside and the subjects involved had obtained their guns from their cars.
2. On 11/13/2018 officers investigated a Battery DV that started at 628 N. Water St in line waiting for the District Bar. The victim was in line with the suspect who was kicked out of the line by security for smoking and a dress code violation. The victim and suspect walked off and the suspect hit the victim in the head. The victim asked security to help her get her keys from the suspect but they refused stating she would need the Police to do that. The victim then leaves the scene. The tavern supplied video to the officers.
3. On 12/14/2017 at 3:07am a subject went to District One to report an incident that occurred at The District, 628 N. Water St. The victim stated she was standing at the bar when a subject came up behind her and pulled up her skirt exposing her underwear. She reported the incident to security who confronted the subject and kicked him out. The victim observed him return at

closing time and be allowed back in the bar. The officer made attempts to follow up at the tavern but it was closed.

4. On 01/09/2018 a meeting was held at District 1 regarding incidents at The District, 628 N. Water St. Captain Rowe suggested an ID scanner and a staggered or early release to avoid problems with 618Live closing at the same time. Security cameras were discussed. The applicant stated she has 6 cameras inside and 2-3 outside. She stated the footage is saved for 7 days. The applicant was reminded to call the Police when incidents occur. She stated she has hired a new General Manager but he doesn't have his manager's license yet.

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5. On 02/28/2018 an officer met with the applicant regarding safety updates. The applicant advised the officer of the new ID scanner which is connect to a data base that track people kicked out of taverns nationwide. She also showed him new security cameras installed inside and outside. She stated that she has added two security officers outside in a car that are capable of going mobile if needed.

6. On 10/06/2018 officers responded to St Mary's Hospital to investigate a battery that occurred at District on Water, 628 N. Water St. The victim stated she was inside when a subject pushed her. When she confronted the person about the push she was punched in the face by a third subject. the Police responded to District on Water and spoke with the applicant. The officers were shown the ID scanner which had a picture of the subjects ID but could not view the video surveillance because nobody, including the applicant, knew how to operate the system. The suspect was located and arrested.

7. On 11/04/2018 officers were monitoring District on Water, 628 N. Water St. The Officers reported there were shots fired inside the tavern and located a victim, who is 18 years old. The victim was inside the tavern with her 17 year old friend. The investigation revealed the victim and her friend used an ID that belonged to someone else to get in the tavern. The employees were cooperative with the investigation and provided a copy of the video to the officers. The officer estimated there were 300 patrons inside and saw the posted capacity was 225. The officer used the video surveillance on the front door to count the patrons as they left and had a count of 383 when the video stopped at 1:20am, prior to all patrons exiting. This count was 158 over capacity. While watching the cameras the officer observed patrons walking around with full bottles of liquor. The business manager was not able to provide names of security personal on scene, he could only give nicknames. The officer also observed a smell of marijuana by the hooka pots and packaging for marijuana that tested positive for THC. The applicant was issued a citation for over capacity.

Charge: Licensed Premise-Exceeding Occupy Limit
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: Fined \$5,000.00
Date: 04/30/2019
Case: 18082829

8. On 11/09/2018 a meeting was held at District 1 regarding District on Water. The issues discussed included: over capacity, marijuana recovered by the hooka, not knowing the names of security officers, using a promoter, and underage patrons. The applicant stated they do not use a promoter, they have a subject on staff the promotes the business on Facebook and would install a metal detector.

9. On 12/06/2018 at 2:05am officer conducted a tavern check on District on Water, 628 N. water St. The officer observed a patron leaving after hours. The officer went in and spoke with the applicant who stated the subject was having trouble closing his tab and another person was waiting to give an employee a ride home. The applicant was advised a PA33 would be written.
10. On 12/28/2018 officers, along with an inspector from the health department, conducted an inspection at District on Water, 628 N. Water St. The applicant was on scene.
11. On 01/26/2019 officers were dispatched to a battery cutting at District on Water, 628 N. Water St. The officer spoke with the applicant who stated she did not know of any problem in the tavern. she then remembered a friend who had a cut on his head from a broken bottle. The officers returned later and spoke with the bar manager who provided video of the victim leaving the business with the cut on his head.

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Item #7 updated with disposition on 01/31/2020

12. On 06/15/2019 at 2:00am officers were monitoring the bars in the 600 block of N. Water St. The officers heard a loud argument in the area and located a subject on the ground unconscious at 600 N. Water St. The witnesses stated the subject was leaving the bar at 628 N. Water St and got into a fight with another patron of the same bar. The fight had originated from inside the bar. The suspect hit the patron one time knocking him to the ground. The victim was taken to the hospital where he died from his injury. On 06/26/2019 the officers attempted to contact the applicant at the business but it was closed. They called her by phone and she stated she would help in any way possible.
13. On 08/03/2019 at 12:43am while on foot patrol in the 600 block of N. Water St, officers observed a fight in front of 628 N. Water St, The District Nightclub. The officers interviewed one of the subjects who stated he was inside the tavern ordering drinks when an unknown actor began hitting him from behind for no reason. The subject stated he was defending himself when security pushed both parties outside, where the fight continued. The officer interviewed security who stated an unknown actor struck the victim from behind while outside the tavern, he did not mention that the fight had started inside.
14. On 08/10/2019 at 12:00am The District Nightclub, 628 N. Water St, reached capacity and the applicant advised security to not allow anyone else inside. At 1:57am a fight between two patrons of the District started outside in front of The District. Security separated the subjects and assisted police. Security cleared the sidewalks after closing and there were no further incidents.

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15. On 03/07/2020 at 1:43am officers conducted a license premise check at District IV on Water, 628 N. Water St. The officer estimated there were about 300 people inside the tavern, which has an occupancy limit of 225. The officer conducted a head count as the patrons left for the night and counter 282 patrons and employees. The applicant was on scene and stated she has a security guard at the door counting patrons as he comes in and she counts as they leave. The officer advised that one person should do the counting. No citations were issued.
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16. On 06/13/21 at 2:11am, Milwaukee Police were dispatched to N. Water Street and E. Michigan Avenue for a shooting complaint. Investigation revealed that two groups exited the tavern located at 628 N. Water Street and began to re-initiate an argument, about a necklace, which occurred inside the establishment. Police and security separated the subjects and kept them moving down the street. Ten minutes later, one of the subjects received a gunshot wound to the shoulder at N. Water Street and E. Michigan Avenue.
17. On 03/28/21 at 12:50am, Milwaukee Police responded to 628 N. Water Street for a fight complaint. Investigation revealed that three underage subjects, who were intoxicated, were pushed out of the establishment for fighting. While officers were on scene, they observed ten to fifteen underage subjects exit the tavern with a security guard that was seen running inside the club after police arrival. The applicant was cited for Presence of Minor at License Premise (3 counts).

Charge: Presence of Minor at License Premise (3 counts)
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: \$384.00 fine X 3
Date: 10/04/21
Case: 21020181/21020182/21020183

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:211640025

OtherEvent #: 21-LP-1346

Incident

628 N WATER ST MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53202

Incident Date/Time:: 03/13/2021 02:11:00
CAD Number:: 211640310
District:: 1
Beat:: 140
Reporting Area:: 4574

Business Agent (1)

SMITH-JAMES, PATSY

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 08/30/1942
Sex:: FEMALE
Race:: WHITE
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-614-7349
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1806 15TH AVE
City:: SOUTH MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53072

Licensed Persons Involved (1)

SMITH-JAMES, PATSY

Person Involvement:: Agent (License Holder)
DOB:: 08/30/1942
Sex:: FEMALE
Race:: WHITE
Phone 1 Number:: 4146147349
Phone 1 Type:: HOME
Address:: 1806 15TH AVE
City:: SOUTH MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53072

Licensed Premise Data (1)

The District VI

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-614-7349
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 628 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 03/28/2021 01:15:00

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414-933-4444

Case #:211640025

OtherEvent #: 21-LP-1346

Business Was Cited For Violation:: Yes
Citation Number: (Additional Citations List In Narrative): 068191L4G0
Violation/Ordinance Number:: 90-19-1
Licensee was cooperative: (if not explain in narrative): Yes
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: Yes

Narrative (1)

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Williams, Devon L 028820

06/17/2021

This report was written by Police Officer Devon WILLIAMS, assigned to District Three Modified Early Shift.

On Saturday June 12, 2021 while working code red at 600 N Water St, and assigned to squad 1421 with Police Officer Jamar LUCKY we responded to a shooting.

The shooting happen at approximately 2:11 A.M on Sunday June 13, 2021 at N Water St and West Michigan.

Prior to the shooting victim 1 who was identified by Wisconsin registration card as Angel NAVARRETE (m/w, 3/21/00) was at a club by the name of District located 628 N Water St.

NAVARRETE who was wearing a black t shirt and blue jeans came out of District with another guy who was wearing an army fatigue shirt and khaki pants.

NAVARRETE came out of the club and walked to a vehicle that was parked in the street in front of the club, after going to the vehicle the subjects opened the rear but never entered the vehicle.

NAVARRETE and his friend walked to the curb and began to accuse some other citizens who had recently walked out of the same club of stealing NAVARRETE necklace.

The other citizens were made up of two black males, one who was approximately 6'0", 160 pounds light skinned with dread locks up in a ponytail on top of his head wearing a black t shirt, black jeans and white tennis shoes, the second male was approximately 5'6", 120 pounds, dark skinned with his hair braided to the sides, wearing a black hooded pull over sweater, dark colored jeans and unknown shoes. The subjects were also accompanied by three females, the first female was approximately 5'3. 110 ponds dark skinned, with short black dread locs, wearing a black polo shirt with white on the sleeves and down the sides with black jeans and white tennis shoes, the second female subject was approximately 5'5, 125 pounds, light skinned, black hair wearing a pink one piece shorts outfit with white shoes, and the last subject was approximately 5'5, 180 pounds heavy build, black hair with a yellow bandanna tied around her head, glasses, wearing a pink shirt with a hooded sweater on one half of her body (her right arm was in a hooded sleeve and it was pulled over her head, her left arm was not in the hoodle) blue jean shorts and fur slide on sandals.

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During the verbal altercation the bigger party was stating "Talk that shit now, ya'll was talking plenty shit in the club what's up now".

Both parties tried to engage each other but the security along with P.O LUCKY stepped in the separate the parties before anything physical happen. While keeping the parties separated NAVARRETE and his friend began to throw up gang signs and make statements about being gang related.

The other party stated "we don't gang bang" as they walked away going south bound on north Water St. NAVARRETE and his friend continued to try to engage the other party who was walking away, P.O LUCKY and I continued to try to stop NAVARRETE and his friend from attempting to engage the other party but they were consistent and became slightly aggressive towards us.

P.O LUCKY and I were able to get NAVARRETE and his friend away from the club and almost on north Water St and west Wisconsin St. NAVARRETE and his friend turned their attention to us and began calling us names and telling us to turn off our body cameras and see what happen. At that point I told P.O LUCKY that we were done and turned around and walked away.

P.O LUCKY pulled NAVARRETE to the side and tried to speak with him about his necklace that was lost or stolen, P.O LUCKY asked him if he wanted to file a report for the necklace and he stated no. P.O LUCKY then stated well we're done here.

NAVARRETE and his friend continued trying to follow behind the other party, we tried stopping them again, they walked in the middle of the street and stated "fuck yall" before walking south bound on north Water St.

The initial contact with both parties was approximately 2:00 A.M and lasted approximately four or five minutes.

After further review of my body worn camera it was revealed that while P.O LUCKY and I were trying to move NAVARRETE away from the other party they were accompanied by two Hispanic males, one was wearing a red t shirt with white lettering that said JORDAN and had the jump man logo in white on the front of the shirt, black pants and red, white and black shoes, the second subject was wearing a dark colored t shirt.

At or around 2:10 A.M while standing in front of club District monitoring the let out I heard what sounded like a single gun south coming from the south of our location. When I first heard the gun shot I didn't think it was gun shots I thought it was fireworks because someone had been letting them off all night.

I then noticed people just south of us on the same block crouching down on the west side of the street, at that moment I realized that what I heard could be gun shots and we need to see what was going on.

I then began to run south bound on water St towards where I thought the gun shot came from, P.O LUCKY followed behind me as ran to the corner of north Water St and West Michigan St,

Upon my arrival a male flagged me and down and stated that someone was shot on the other corner. As

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I approached I realized that NAVARRETE was the subject that was shot on the south east corner on North Water St and West Michigan St.

NAVARRETE was shot to the left shoulder, after cutting off his shirt it was revealed that the bullet was through and through. There was a hole in NAVARRETE's back where the bullet entered or exited.

I render aid to NAVARRETE until medical arrived and took over.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Williams, Devon L (028820)	06/17/2021 14:56:00
Section: (Work Location):	32	
Approving Officer:	Raden, Chad M (010032)	06/21/2021 11:34:28
Section: (Work Location):	27	

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414-933-4444

Case #:210870129

OtherEvent #: 21-LP-0932

Incident

628 N WATER ST MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53202

Incident Date/Time:: 03/28/2021 12:50:00
CAD Number:: 21087087
District:: 1
Beat:: 140
Reporting Area:: 4574

Business Agent (1)

SMITH-JAMES, PATSY

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down): Agent
DOB:: 08/30/1942
Sex:: FEMALE
Race:: WHITE
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-614-7349
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1806 15TH AVE
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Licensed Persons Involved (1)

SMITH-JAMES, PATSY

Person Involvement:: Agent (License Holder)
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City:: SOUTH MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53072

Licensed Premise Data (1)

The District VI

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-614-7349
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 628 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 03/28/2021 01:15:00

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Case #:210870129

OtherEvent #: 21-LP-0932

Business Was Cited For Violation:: Yes
Citation Number: (Additional Citations List In Narrative): 068191L4G0
Violation/Ordinance Number:: 90-19-1
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): Yes
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: Yes

Narrative (1)

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Baczek, Jacob E 018522

03/28/2021

This report was written by P.O. Jacob Baczek, assigned to District 1, Late Power Shift.

On Sunday, March 28, 2021, at 12:50 a.m., myself and P.O. Richard MICHALAK were working on squad 1420, when we heard on our Milwaukee Police Department radio squad 1424, P.O. Charles SEELow and P.O. Devon WILLIAMS ask for extra squads regarding a fight at "The District", a night club located at 628 North Water Street in the city and county of Milwaukee. P.O. SEELow was escorting a subject to my squad car, Wesam S. THABTEH (w/f 03-12-03) and P.O. WILLIAMS placing a female identified as Laila F. HASAN (w/f 09-015-02) in the back of his squad car, who was also in custody. P.O. MICHALAK was then approached by a subject, Malik A. HASSAN (w/m 09-22-00) who stated that he was involved in a fight and the subject appeared to have a broken nose.

According to P.O. SEELow, he was writing a parking ticket when he observed HASSAN get pushed by someone out of the front door of "The District", and the subject had a bloody nose. P.O. SEELow then observed THABTEH and LAILA exit "The District" who were also fighting with subjects as they were being pushed out. I then spoke to LAILA who stated she was not intoxicated, and only had two shots, which she vomited out while she was outside. LAILA did have a strong odor of intoxicants emanating from her breath. LAILA stated that it is the "Districts" fault for letting her in, and stated she does not even have identification on her.

I then interviewed THABTEH who stated that he is also underage, and was at the club because he knows they will let him in. THABTEH stated that he never showed his identification card and was let in without being asked. THABTEH stated his friend, MALIK, was involved in a fight, and he was just "backing up his guy". P.O. SEELow stated that he asked all three subjects to leave numerous times and they continued to try to get back inside "The District" and fight. THABTEH appeared intoxicated and had an odor of alcohol coming from his person, as well as slurred speech.

P.O. MICHALAK stated that he interviewed MALIK, who refused medical attention even though he most likely had a broken nose. MALIK was heavily intoxicated and just continued to say that he does not know why he was in custody. All three subjects admitted to being inside "The District" and two stated that they were not asked for identification at the door. MALIK did

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Case #:210870129

OtherEvent #: 21-LP-0932

not have identification on his person, and was observed being physically pushed out side of the club. In attempting to interview security for the District, One security guard, who had a radio and was in street clothes, ran inside of the club and immediately I observed what appeared to be ten to fifteen underage subjects exiting the front of the club with the security guard. Several minutes later another group of underage subjects exited the club with the same security guard behind him. All of the subjects who appeared to be underage attempted to shield their faces and began to walk quickly toward their vehicles to leave. I then attempted to speak to another security guard, a black male, wearing a black outfit stated, " I don't know nothing about that, I id everybody". The agent for the establishment, Patsy S. SMITH-JAMES (w/f 08-30-42) was on scene and notified of the violations by squad 1410, Sergeant David GRANDSARD. SMITH-JAMES was issued three citations in person regarding having three subjects, ages 18,19, and 20 years of age in a Class B licensed premise consuming alcohol. (Citation#'s 06819114G0, 068191L4G1, 068191L4G2)

All three subjects were issued citations for underage drinking, and disorderly conduct. Follow up will be required in an attempt to get the names of security working at the door during the evening that allowed the subjects, and what appeared to be numerous other underage subjects into the club without showing identification cards.

End of report

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Baczek, Jacob E (018522)	03/28/2021 20:26:00
Section: (Work Location):	14	
Approving Officer:	Raden, Chad M (010032)	03/29/2021 11:18:12
Section: (Work Location):	27	



Tuesday, February 22, 2022



Notice of Public Hearing

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SMITH-JAMES, Patsy

District IV at 628 N Water St.

Class B Tavern, Public Entertainment Premises and Food Dealer License Renewal Applications

Tuesday, March 08, 2022 at 10:30 AM

To whom it may concern:

The above application has been made by the above named applicant(s). This requires approval from the Licenses Committee and the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee. The hearing before the Licenses Committee will take place virtually on 3/08/2022 at 10:30 AM. This is a public hearing. Those wishing to view the proceeding are able to do so via the City Channel – Channel 25 on Spectrum Cable – or on the Internet at <http://city.milwaukee.gov/citychannel>. Those wishing to provide oral testimony will be asked to do so by phone or internet and are asked to contact the staff assistant, Yadira Melendez at (414) 286-2775 or stasst5@milwaukee.gov for necessary information. Please make such requests no later than one business day prior to the start of the meeting. You are not required to attend the hearing, but please see the information below if you would like to provide testimony. Once the Licenses Committee makes its recommendation, this recommendation is forwarded to the full Common Council for approval at its next regularly scheduled hearing.

Important details for those wishing to provide information for the Licenses Committee to consider when making its recommendation:

1. The license application is scheduled to be heard at the above time. Due to other hearings running longer than scheduled, you may have to wait some time to provide your testimony.
2. You must testify as to matters that you have personally experienced or seen. (You cannot provide testimony for your neighbor, parent or anyone else; this is considered hearsay and cannot be considered by the committee.)
3. No letters or petitions can be accepted by the committee (unless the person who wrote the letter or the persons who signed the petition are willing to testify).
4. Persons opposed to the license application are given the opportunity to testify first; supporters may testify after the opponents have finished.
5. When you are called to testify, you will be sworn in and asked to give your name, and address. (If your first and/or last names are uncommon please spell them.)
6. You may then provide testimony.
 - a. Include only information relating to the above license application.
 - b. Include only information you have personally witnessed or seen.
 - c. Provide concise and relevant information detailing how this business has affected or may affect the peaceful enjoyment of your neighborhood.
 - d. If by the time you have the opportunity to testify, the information you wish to share has already been provided to the committee, you may state that you agree with the previous testimony. Redundant or repetitive testimony will not assist the committee in making its recommendation.
7. After giving your testimony, the members of the Licenses Committee and the licensee may ask questions regarding the testimony you have given or other factors relating to the license application.
8. Business Competition is not a valid basis for denial or non-renewal of a license.

Please Note: If you have submitted an objection to the above application your objection cannot be considered by the committee unless you personally testify at the hearing.

OCCUPANT	MAIL ADDRESS	CITY STATE ZIP
CURRENT OCCUPANT	225 E MICHIGAN ST, 401	MILWAUKEE, WI 53202-4912
CURRENT OCCUPANT	225 E MICHIGAN ST, 402	MILWAUKEE, WI 53202-4912
CURRENT OCCUPANT	225 E MICHIGAN ST, 403	MILWAUKEE, WI 53202-4912
CURRENT OCCUPANT	225 E MICHIGAN ST, 404	MILWAUKEE, WI 53202-4912
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	225 E MICHIGAN ST, 611	MILWAUKEE, WI 53202-4912
CURRENT OCCUPANT	624 N WATER ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53202-4903
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	626 N WATER ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53202-4913

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Total Records: 29

Radius: 300 .0 feet and Center of Circle: 628 N Water St

2021-2022 Plan of Operation for 628 N WATER ST

1. Litter & Security Plans			
How are the grounds kept clean? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sweep <input type="checkbox"/> Pressure Wash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Litter <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
How often will grounds be cleaned? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Daily <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Who cleans the grounds? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Licensee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Employees <input type="checkbox"/> Hired Maintenance <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
How are noise issues prevented and/or addressed? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Security <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Manager approaches customer(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Call Police <input type="checkbox"/> Signs Posted <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Are there designated outdoor smoking areas? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe:			
Number of garbage cans: Inside <u>7</u> Locations: <u>Near Exit - Hallway Bathroom - Behind Bar</u> Outside <u>1</u> Locations: <u>By Frt. Door</u>			
Is a crowd control barrier used? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe: <u>Line Control when waiting to enter</u>			
Number of restrooms: <u>2</u>		Name of solid waste contractor: <u>/</u>	
Are there parking spaces on the premises? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list number of spaces: _____ and describe security plans:			
Are there designated loading areas? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, describe security plans: <u>Loading zone</u>			
Do you have security personnel on the premise? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, how many? <u>6-10</u> AND What are their responsibilities? <u>Control customers - CK, ID, & WAND @ Door</u> What security equipment do they use? <u>Flash Lite - wand</u> List their licensing, certification or training credentials: <u>MKE Police & Experience from on job</u>			
Are there security cameras? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list all locations: <u>O/S - Frt Hall - throughout area.</u>			
Are searches and/or identification checks conducted upon entry? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, describe: <u>ID, and check. Pat Down & WAND</u>			
2. Percentage of Sales (must total 100%)			
Alcohol <u>90</u> %	Food Sales <u>10</u> %	Entertainment _____ %	Other _____ %
3. Businesses On The Premises (choose all that apply):			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restaurant <input type="checkbox"/> Cafe/Coffee Shop <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cocktail Lounge <input type="checkbox"/> Convenience Store <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Night Club <input type="checkbox"/> Liquor Store <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tavern <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel <input type="checkbox"/> Banquet Hall <input type="checkbox"/> Supermarket <input type="checkbox"/> Private/Fraternal/Veterans' Club <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
4. Hours of Operation and Age Restriction			
Are there any changes to the current hours of operation or age restriction? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe:			
Please Note: If you will be open earlier or later than the hours listed on your current license for even one event or holiday (for example, St. Patrick's Day, Brewers Opening Day, etc.) during the license period, this must be reported and printed on your license. Your hours of operation and age restriction are listed on your current license.			
5. Floor Plan and Capacity			
Are you requesting any changes to your capacity or floor plan? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, describe: _____ and submit a new floor plan with this renewal application. A sample plan can be found online at www.milwaukee.gov/licenses under License Forms and Related Information.			
Alcohol/Food Establishments: A "Permanent Extension of Premises Application" is required if you are adding any square footage to the licensed premises.			
6. Sidewalk Dining: Fee:			
Are there any changes to the sidewalk dining site plan? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, submit an updated site plan with this application.			
7. Food License: FREST 15649 Fee: \$525.00		8. Weights and Measures: Fee:	
Your current food license includes the following food operations: DHS - MODERATE, Sales < \$20,000, Tavern Restaurant. Are there any changes to your food operations as listed above? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, if Yes, explain _____		Number/Type of Devices: Are there any changes to the number or types of devices? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, contact our office for further instructions.	

1. CURRENT APPROVED ENTERTAINMENT for District IV 628 N WATER ST

The following types of entertainment have been approved for your current Public Entertainment Premises license:

Comedy Acts, Disc Jockey, Magic Shows, Poetry Readings, Dancing by Performer(s), Patron Contests, Jukebox, Karaoke, Patrons Dancing, Instrumental Musicians, Bands, 5 Amusement Machines

NO CHANGES

2. ADDING ENTERTAINMENT

If applicable, check any entertainment you wish to add: ONLY CHECK ENTERTAINMENT TYPE(S) YOU ARE ADDING. YOUR CURRENT APPROVED ENTERTAINMENT IS LISTED ABOVE.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Instrumental Musicians | <input type="checkbox"/> Bands | <input type="checkbox"/> Battle of the Bands | <input type="checkbox"/> Comedy Acts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disc Jockey | <input type="checkbox"/> Magic Shows | <input type="checkbox"/> Poetry Readings | <input type="checkbox"/> Dancing by Performers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jukebox | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrestling | <input type="checkbox"/> Patron Contests | <input type="checkbox"/> Patrons Dancing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Entertainment/
Strippers/Erotic Dance | <input type="checkbox"/> Karaoke | <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling Alley | <input type="checkbox"/> Pool Tables |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Motion Pictures (movies by admission)
How many screens? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Amusement Machines
How many? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Concerts
Approx. # per year? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Performances
Approx. # per year? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | | | |

No entertainment changes can take place until approved by Common Council and a new license has been issued and posted on the premises.

3. REMOVING ENTERTAINMENT

If applicable, list any entertainment you wish to remove:

4. PROMOTERS/SOUND AMPLIFICATION

Will promoters ever be used for any of the entertainment? No Yes If Yes, Describe:

At any time will sound amplification be used? No Yes If Yes, Describe: *SPEAKERS*

5. SIGNATURE

I understand that after the license has been issued, a change to the plan of operation will require a written request to change and approval from the Common Council.

I agree to inform the City Clerk within 10 days of any substantial changes in the information supplied in this application.

I understand that I shall not willfully refuse to provide the services offered under this license, or add charges or require deposits not required of the general public because of race, color, sex, religion, national origin or ancestry, age, handicap, lawful source of income, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, familial status or the fact that a person is now or has been a member of the military service, whether dressed in uniform or not; and shall not seek such information as a condition of employment, or penalize any employee or discriminate in the selection of personnel for training or promotion on the basis of such information.

I have knowledge of the City Ordinances currently regulating public entertainment, and understand that the license may be subject to suspension, non-renewal or revocation, if I violate any rule, law or regulation of the city of Milwaukee and State of Wisconsin.

Patsy S. [Signature]

Signature of Sole Proprietor, a Partner, or if a Corporation or LLC, the Agent must sign