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**NIK KOVAC**

ALDERMAN, 3RD DISTRICT

October 8, 2018

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Honorable Members:

Common Council File Number 180650 contains the following recommendations:

Nonrenewal, based upon the second nonappearance of the Class D Operator's license for Jeffrey Bishop.

Nonrenewal, based upon the second nonappearance of the Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license(s) for Diana Blas for the premises located at 4030 W Douglas Ave ("Apys Cars") in the 1st aldermanic district.

Nonrenewal, based upon the second nonappearance of the Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license(s) for John Blamer for the premises located at 7605 W Center St ("Blamer's Auto Repair") in the 5th aldermanic district.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nik Kovac'.

Nik Kovac, Chair  
Licenses Committee

cc: All Council Members  
File 180650

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**NIK KOVAC**

ALDERMAN, 3RD DISTRICT

Date: October 5, 2018

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Class "D" Operator's License of Jeffrey M. Bishop

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Jeffrey M. Bishop (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Class "D" Operator's License in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expired on December 31, 2017.
2. An application to renew said license was thereafter filed with the Office of the City Clerk.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department responded with a police report that could form a basis for nonrenewal or suspension of said license.
4. On September 19, 2018 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes of the report of the Milwaukee Police Department and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police department report on October 2, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the Licensee did not appear.
5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
  - A. A notice of the hearing as well as a copy of the police report was sent to Jeffrey M. Bishop, 4027 South Kingan Avenue, #12, St. Francis, WI 53235 on September 19, 2018 by U.S. prepaid first-class mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division. The address of 4027 South Kingan Avenue, #12, St. Francis, WI 53235 is the address given by the Licensee on his application. The envelope was not returned to the License Division by the United States Postal Service. The Licensee failed to appear at the hearing on October 2, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.



- B. On September 4, 2017 the applicant was cited for Boating Violations in the City of Milwaukee.

Charge: Boating Violations  
Finding: Guilty  
Sentence: Fine-**Warrant Status**  
Case: 17045818  
Date: 10/20/17

- C. Alderwoman Coggs moved denial based on his second non-appearance.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes and Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based on the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the Licensee, Jeffrey M. Bishop has not met the criteria of Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes or Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances to allow renewal of the Class "D" Operator's license based upon his second nonappearance.
3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Licenses Committee that the full Common Council should exercise its discretion to not renew the Class "D" Operator's license held by Jeffrey M. Bishop based upon his second nonappearance.

### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above the Committee recommends by a vote of **four (4) ayes, zero (0) noes and one (1) excused** that the Class "D" Operator's License of Jeffrey M. Bishop not be renewed based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2018.



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Chairman Licenses Committee

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ALDERMAN, 3RD DISTRICT

Date: October 5, 2018

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of John Blamer, Agent for Blamer's Auto Repair Inc for a Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises License located at 7605 West Center Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. John Blamer (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license for the premises located at 7605 West Center Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Blamer's Auto Repair Inc"). Said license expired on September 30, 2018.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on July 27, 2018.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 85, 90, and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the matter was referred to Milwaukee Police Department, for investigation.
4. On September 20, 2018 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to Chapters 85, 90, and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes of the Milwaukee Police Department. The matter was scheduled for a hearing based on the 5<sup>th</sup> District Aldermanic seat being vacant on October 2, 2018, commencing at approximately 9:15 a.m. in Room 301B of the third floor of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the Licensee did not appear.
5. Based on the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee renders the following findings of fact:
  - A. The licensee did not appear; Alderwoman Coggs moved denial based on his second non-appearance.



## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provided Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes and Chapters 85, 90, and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, John Blamer has not met the criteria to allow renewal of his Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises License.
3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Licenses Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment not to renew the Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license held by John Blamer for the premises located 7605 West Center Street, in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Blamer's Auto Repair Inc") based his second non-appearance.

## RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of **five (5) ayes and zero (0) noes** recommends that the Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license of John Blamer for the premises located 7605 West Center Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin not be renewed based his second non-appearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2018.



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**NIK KOVAC**

ALDERMAN, 3RD DISTRICT

Date: October 5, 2018

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of Diana B. Blas, Agent for Apys Cars Inc for a Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises License located at 4030 West Douglas Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Diana B. Blas (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license for the premises located at 4030 West Douglas Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Apys Cars Inc"). Said license expired on September 6, 2018.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on May 25, 2018.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 85, 90, and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the matter was referred to Milwaukee Police Department, for investigation.
4. On September 24, 2018 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to Chapters 85, 90, and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes of the Milwaukee Police Department and included therewith a copy of the Department of Public Works objections. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the Department of Public Works objections on October 2, 2018, commencing at approximately 10:30 a.m. in Room 301B of the third floor of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the Licensee did not appear.
5. Based on the sworn testimony heard and evidence received at the hearing, the Committee renders the following findings of fact:
  - A. The licensee did not appear.

Individual present:



- B. Ptosha Davis - 1st District Staff Assistant stated Ald. Hamilton has no objections to denying the license.
- C. Alderman Witkowski moved denial based on second nonappearance.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provided Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes and Chapters 85, 90, and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Diana B. Blas has not met the criteria to allow renewal of her Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises License.
3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Licenses Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment not to renew the Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license held by Diana B. Blas for the premises located 4030 West Douglas Avenue, in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Apy's Cars Inc") based upon her second non-appearance.

### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of **five (5) ayes and zero (0) noes** recommends that the Recycling, Salvaging, or Towing Premises license of Diana B. Blas for the premises located 4030 West Douglas Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin not be renewed based her second non-appearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2018.



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Chairman of the Licenses Committee