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ROBERT J. BAUMAN
ALDERMAN, 4TH DISTRICT

February 21, 2020

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Honorable Members:

Common Council File Number 191304 contains the following recommendations:

Nonrenewal, based upon the second nonappearance, of the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's License for Devione Saddler.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert J. Bauman".

Robert Bauman, Chair
Public Works Committee

cc: All Council Members
File 191304

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ALDERMAN, 4TH DISTRICT

Date: February 21, 2020

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Works Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Devione J. Saddler for a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver License.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Devione J. Saddler (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver License in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expired at midnight, February 14, 2020.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk.
3. On February 5, 2020, the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and § 349.24 of the Wisconsin Statutes, of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on February 20, 2020 at approximately 9:30 a.m. in Room 301-B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee did not appear.
4. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
 - A. Notice was sent to Devione J. Saddler at 2841 West Highland Blvd., #104, Milwaukee, WI 53208, along with a copy of the police report on February 5, 2020 in an envelope which was sent by U.S. first-class prepaid mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division, 200 East Wells Street, Room 105, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. The address of 2841 West Highland Blvd., #104, Milwaukee, WI 53208 was the address given by the applicant on his renewal application. The licensee did not appear at the hearing and the envelope containing the notice and police report was not returned to the License Division by the U.S. Postal Service.



B. On February 27, 2018, the Licensee was cited in the City of Milwaukee at 2430 North 29th Street for Assault and Battery.

Charge: Assault and Battery
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: \$376.00 fine – **warrant issued for Failure to Pay Judgment**
Date:
Case: 18030451

C. On October 30, 2018 at 11:40 p.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to the 2800 block of N. 27th Street for a crash involving a Taxi Cab and a vehicle being pursued by police. The Taxi Cab was driven by the Licensee and he had two passengers in the vehicle with him (ages 22 and 3). During the investigation, it was found that the vehicle did not have a child restraint system inside while the Licensee was transporting the toddler.

D. Alderman Borkowski moved denial based on Licensee's second nonappearance.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and § 349.24, Wisconsin Statutes.
2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Devione J. Saddler, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or § 349.24 of the Wisconsin Statutes to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver 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 Public Works Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to not renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver License held by Devione J. Saddler 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 **five (5) ayes, and zero (0) noes** that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver License of Devione J. Saddler be denied based upon his second nonappearance.



Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 21st day of February, 2020.



ROBERT BAUMANN
Chairman, Public Works Committee

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