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ALDERMAN, 11TH DISTRICT

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October 6, 2016

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Dear Members:

Re: Common Council File Number 160504

Attached is the written objection to file number 160504, Motion relating to the recommendations of the Public Works Committee relative to licenses, relating to the recommendation of:

Renewal, with a ten (10) day suspension, based on the applicant testimony substantiating a citizen complaint, of the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's License for Chester Hayden.

This matter will be heard by the full Council at its Tuesday, October 11, 2016 meeting. Pursuant to City Ordinances, a roll call vote will be taken to confirm that all members have read the attached statements and materials.

Respectfully,

Mark Borkowski, Chair  
Public Works Committee

cc: All Council Members  
City Attorney's Office  
Common Council/City Clerk – License Division  
CCF 160504

## From Chester Hayden

This is my response to the report of the public works committee:

1. When I picked up my party at Woods View Inn, they were angry already over the service of Yellow Cab, and/or other drivers who had failed to pick them up.
2. Then, I failed to take them to their destination <sup>but not intentionally.</sup>
3. I did not use language that was disparaging to any racial groups.
4. This basically is a case of mistaken destination.
5. I have driven Milwaukee Taxis for over 40 years. In all those years I never had to appear before the common council.
6. I beg the council to reconsider, because a suspension of my PPL will cause severe financial difficulties on my part. I am struggling to pay bills now, and a suspension of my PPL will foster a condition from which I may never recover.
7. The doorman at Woods View Inn told me to take them to the Outback Steak House. He said it was only a short ride. When he said that my mind immediately went to Texas Roadhouse on Hwy 100 near North Ave., and I did not even think of the Outback Steakhouses locations at Southridge, and South Moorland Rd.