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ROBERT J. BAUMAN
ALDERMAN, 4TH DISTRICT

October 2, 2020

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Honorable Members:

Common Council File Number 191810 contains the following recommendations:

Nonrenewal, based upon the third nonappearance, of the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's License for Lorenzo Howard.

Respectfully,

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

Robert Bauman, Chair
Public Works Committee

cc: All Council Members
File 191810

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Date: October 2, 2020

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Works Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Lorenzo L. Howard for a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver License.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Lorenzo L. Howard (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, June 19, 2020.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk.
3. On September 18, 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 September 30, 2020 at approximately 10:30 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 Lorenzo L. Howard at 10416 West Hampton Avenue, #8, Milwaukee, WI 53225, along with a copy of the police report on September 18, 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 10416 West Hampton Avenue, #8, Milwaukee, WI 53225 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 May 19, 2019 the Licensee was cited for Operating while Intoxicated. He was convicted on July 24, 2019 and his license was revoked for six (6) months.
- C. A check of License Division records indicates that during the period of suspension the Licensee failed to return his PPV license to the City Clerk as required by City Ordinance.
- D. Alderman Borkowski moved denial based on Licensee's third nonappearance. (Prevailed 5-0)

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, Lorenzo L. Howard, 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 third 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 Lorenzo L. Howard based upon his third 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 Lorenzo L. Howard be denied based upon his third nonappearance.

Said nonrenewal is effective October 13, 2020.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 2nd day of October, 2020.



ROBERT BAUMANN
Chairman, Public Works Committee