



CITY OF MILWAUKEE
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

Tuesday, December 19, 2023

COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE

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Tonia R Otis

5253 N LOVERS LANE Rd
Milwaukee, WI 53225

You are requested to attend a hearing which is to be held in Room 301-B, Third Floor, City Hall or you may attend virtually using the link below.

Friday, January 05, 2024 at 10:55 AM

The access code is https://meet.goto.com/852030949. If you wish to call in: +1 (571) 317-3112 and use Access Code: 852-030-949 Please see the enclosed best practices document for further instructions.

Regarding: Your Class B Tavern, Public Entertainment Premises and Food Dealer License Renewal Applications for "Uptown Bar and Grill" at 3535 W VILLARD AV

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. It is the intention of the Common Council to suspend or non-renew the licenses if objectors provide testimony related to the factors enumerated in MCO 85-4-4 that the Common Council finds to be true by a preponderance of the evidence and/or police reports are found to be true by a preponderance of the evidence. The police reports and other attached documents relating to objections to the license are a part of this notice and expressly incorporated in this notice. The licensee should be prepared to address these matters at the hearing.

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 appear at this meeting may result in the denial of your license. Individual applicants must appear only in person or by an attorney. Corporate or Limited Liability applicants must appear only by the agent designated on the application or by an attorney. Partnership applicants must appear by a partner listed on the application or by an attorney. 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 are present at the committee hearing and 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 bring an interpreter with you, at your expense, so that you can answer questions and participate in your hearing.

You may examine the application file at this office during regular business hours prior to the hearing date. Inquiries regarding this matter may be directed to the person whose signature appears below.

Limited parking for persons attending meetings during normal business hours is available at reduced rates (5 hour limit) at the Milwaukee Center on the southwest corner of Kilbourn Avenue and Water Street. You must present a copy of the meeting notice to the parking cashier.

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

[Handwritten signature of Jim Cooney]

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Jim Cooney
License Division Manager

If you have questions regarding this notice, please contact the License Division at (414) 286-2238.

200 E. Wells Street, Room 105, City Hall, Milwaukee, WI 53202. www.milwaukee.gov/license
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# MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT LICENSING

## CRIMINAL RECORD/ORDINANCE VIOLATION/INCIDENTS SYNOPSIS

**DATE:**

**LICENSE TYPE:** Class B Tavern

**NEW:**

**RENEWAL:**

**No. 358455**

**Application Date:**

**License Location:** 3535 W. Villard Avenue

**Business Name:** Uptown Bar and Grill

**Licensee/Applicant:** OTIS, Tonia R  
(Last Name, First Name, MI)

**Date of Birth:** 05/28/1973

**Home Address:** 5253 N. Lovers Lane Road #123

**City:** Milwaukee

**State:** WI **Zip Code:** 53225

**Home Phone:** 414-469-8591

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

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

1. On 11/12/21 at 10:39pm, Milwaukee Police were dispatched to 3535 W. Villard Avenue for a subject with gun compliant. Investigation revealed that the call was baseless and no person was in the tavern with a firearm.

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2. On 01/15/23 at 1:03a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shots Fired at 3535 W. Villard Av. An anonymous caller stated there was fight at the location and shots were fired. Officers did not recover any casings.
3. On 03/12/23 at 12:17a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Subject with Gun at 3535 W. Villard Av. Prior to arrival officers were advised there were underage people drinking at the tavern, 20-30 people fighting, as well as subject's with guns. On arrival officers observed vehicles blocking the entrance to the parking lot, preventing anyone from leaving or coming. The officers interviewed the security guard, who stated no one was fighting and they are checking everyone's Id's prior to entrance. The officers also interviewed the manager on duty, who stated an artist "Big Frank" was performing, and that is why it was so crowded. The manager stated they had a total of 6 employees working. The officers attempted to contact the caller, however, did not receive an answer.

4. On 04/07/23 at 9:39a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Battery at 3535 W. Villard Av. Prior to arrival officers were advised that a subject just choked the caller. On arrival officers did not observe anyone outside the location and attempted to call the caller, however, received no answer. The front door to the business was locked and officers knocked on the door but did not receive an answer.
5. On 05/27/23 at 4:11a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shooting at N. 37<sup>th</sup> St., and W. Villard Av. Investigation revealed there was an after-set in the upper unit of 3535 W. Villard, shots were fired outside and one subject was struck. The bar was closed during the time of the investigation.
6. On 06/25/23 at 1:09a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shots Fired at 3535 W. Villard. On arrival officers checked the area and did not observe any casings or evidence of any buildings or vehicles that may have been damaged by gunfire. The officer did not contact anyone at the business.
7. On 07/09/23 at 12:49a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shots Fired at 3535 W. Villard Av. The caller stated they heard multiple shots fired; people screaming and vehicles screeching away. Responding officers in the area also heard shots fired and recovered multiple casings in the parking lot. The officers were unable to locate the owner or employees to interview or view video surveillance.
8. On 07/18/23 at 11:11p.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shots Fired at 3535 W. Villard Av. Prior to arrival officers were advised the caller heard 5-6 gunshots and heard a vehicle pull off fast near the bar. On arrival officers did not locate any casings, nor did they observe any structures or vehicles that were damaged by gunfire. The caller was anonymous and there was no phone number associated with the complaint.
9. On 08/21/23 at 12:28a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to an Underage Tavern Violation at 3535 W. Villard. The caller provided a description of the minor and stated they were drinking alcoholic beverages inside. The officers interviewed the manager, who allowed officers entry to check for any violations. The officers did not observe anyone matching the description, nor did they observe anyone that appeared to be underage.
10. On 08/27/23 at 12:37a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shots Fired at 3535 W. Villard Av. Prior to arrival officers were advised numerous callers were calling regarding hearing shots being fired; a lot of juveniles outside, people screaming and vehicle's speeding off. On arrival officers interviewed a security guard who stated the business was closed at the time of the incident, however, did state they observed occupants from two different vehicle's firing shots into the air. The responding officer's body camera was later viewed and several people were observed on the steps to the bar, as well as citizens enter and exit the "closed" bar. The body cam further revealed an officer on scene make the statement "there's a bunch of kids out here, they do not ID them". No one from the bar contacted the police regarding the incident.
11. On 09/17/23 at 3:42a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Battery at 3535 W. Villard Av. The caller stated they were assaulted by another subject outside of the bar, after confronting them inside the bar. The caller stated they did not know the subject's name and the battery call was pended. The caller later called and provided the subject's name and stated they lived upstairs from the bar and the bar frequently serves alcohol to minors.

12. On 11/11/23 at 11:26p.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shots Fired at 3535 W. Villard Av., that was related to an Armed Robbery/Carjacking at 3424 W. Villard. On arrival officers interviewed the armed security guard from the bar, who stated they observed a vehicle in the parking lot, near another vehicle. As the security officer approached the vehicle, subject's in the occupied vehicle fired shots at him. The security officer stated they then returned fire, causing the driver to crash into the security guard's vehicle. The subjects then fled the scene. The officers were unable to view video surveillance of the incident as the doors to the business were locked by an unknown person, while officers were investigating and the security guard did not have access to the surveillance system.
  
13. On 11/12/23 at 3:08p.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Shooting at 3535 W. Villard Ave. On arrival officers interviewed the caller who stated she and a friend went to the bar to confront an ex-boyfriend about a new girlfriend. An argument began to escalate outside the bar, when two subjects exited the bar with guns and multiple shots were fired. The caller stated their friend stated they were shot; however, the caller did not see any blood and their friend left in a vehicle, assumingly to a hospital. At the time of the investigation no one reported being shot to the police, nor was anyone admitted to the hospital for a gun shot wound. The officers obtained video surveillance from a nearby business and observed the argument and a patron exit the bar with a long gun, however, it was difficult to ascertain from the video if anyone fired shots. One casing was recovered on scene.

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 232830080

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3270

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 01/15/2023 01:00:00  
CAD Number:: 230150071  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):  
DOB:: 05/28/1973  
Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
Apartment or Suite:: 123  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Bicarie, Aljaye 031931

10/10/2023

This report is written by P.O Aljaye BICARIE assigned to District Seven Early Power Shift.

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 232830080

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3270

On Sunday, January 15, 2023, at approximately 1:03 A.M, Squad 4474 Officer Peter JERVING and James NOWAK responded to 3535 W Villard Ave which is located in the City and County of Milwaukee for a shots fired complaint.

The caller who was anonymous, stated she heard several shots fired. The caller then stated there was a fight at the location and the shots were fired, however the caller did not see who fired the shots and did not hear anything else. The number the caller used is 414-759-5013. Two additional squads responded to assist.

Based on the CAD report there were no casings recovered on scene. It is unknown if any video surveillance footage was viewed by the responding officers. There was no citation issued on the night this incident was reported. It is unknown if the operators of the establishment were cooperative with responding officers. A check was done but no body camera footage was located at the time of the check. It is unknown if the establishment had armed or unarmed security present.

This report is filed.

## Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Bicarle, Aljaye (031931)	10/10/2023 13:52:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	
Approving Officer:	Mueller, Ross B (019739)	10/12/2023 22:48:43
Section: (Work Location):	72	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 232830059

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3267

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 03/12/2023 00:03:00  
CAD Number:: 230710010  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent

AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 05/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE

Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591

Phone 1 Type:: Phone

Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD

Apartment or Suite:: 123

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Persons Involved (1)

### TYLER-BELL, JEANICE

Person Involvement:: Manager

DOB:: 07/02/1991

Sex:: FEMALE

Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN

Phone 1 Number:: 4142501419

Address:: 8712 W MELVINA ST

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53222

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL

Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV

City:: Milwaukee

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53209

License Type:: Alcohol

Licensee Notification Was Made:: No

Business Was Cited For Violation:: No

Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232830059

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3267

Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident::

No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Sheets Walker, Tiara S 024300

10/10/2023

This report is written by PO Tiara SHEETS-WALKER, assigned to District Seven, Early Power Shift, Squad 7269.

On Sunday, March 12, 2023, at approximately 12:17am, PO Corey Harris and PO Morris BENNETT III (Squad 7352) and PO Charles WORTHINGTON and PO Blake LAUFENBERG (7369) were dispatched to 3535 W Villard Ave for a "Subject with Gun" call for service.

### Cad Information

Prior to arrival PO LAUFENBERG read the cad, which stated the following....

Caller who was named Takiesha JONES stated at approximately 12:03am on March 12, 2023 " both of her listed daughters are at the bar drinking alcohol. JONES stated, " she warned the bar about letting her minor daughter in the bar. JONES stated, " she is currently outside the bar in listed vehicle.

vehicle #1 is described as a blue, 2010,Toyota Camry

Suspect #1 Black, Female, 20 of age 01/03/2003, Jalaya JONES

Suspect #2 Black, Female, 15 years of age 01/03/2008, Javeah JONES

Caller TAKEISHA stated, " there are underage children in the bar and that included the caller TAKIESHA". TAKIESHA stated, "there were four black males who entered the location with guns in their hands".

Another unknown caller#2 stated, " subject with guns got out of the listed vehicle". Unknown caller #2 stated, "there are 20-30 people fighting in the street right now. The unknown caller #2 gave vehicle description of white jeep bearing plate of AAJ-1011.

Unknown caller #3 stated the street is blocked off on Villard by listed vehicle. The unknown caller #3 stated they moved further way and can't see anything".

Upon arrival, I observed by body camera that PO WORTHINGTON and PO LAUFENBERG traveled westbound in the alley from North 35th Street. The alley that is south of W Villard Street. They walked through the parking lot that was to the east of Uptown Bar and Grill. I observed several vehicles parked in the parking lot. I also observed more vehicles blocking the entry preventing anyone from coming or leaving from the parking lot. PO WORTHINGTON and PO LAUFENBERG walked west on Villard past the Uptown Bar and GRILL. I observed several vehicles parked on the north and southside of Villard. I observed several people coming and leaving the Uptown bar and Grill Tavern.



# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232830059

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3267

## Interview of the unknown Security Guard of Uptown Bar and Grill

PO WORTHINGTON spoke with a security guard of Uptown Bar and Grill who stated she has not seen anyone fighting outside of the Uptown Bar and GRILL Tavern. The unknown security guard stated that she has been "carding" anyone who wants to come inside of the Bar and Grill. PO WORTHINGTON let the unknown security know that reason why they were on scene was because a caller stated that Uptown bar and Grill had underage customers inside of their Tavern on March 12, 2023. PO WORTHINGTON ask if the unknown security guard could bring out the manager on duty.

## Interview of manager Jeanice TYLER-BELL B/F (07/02/1991) of Uptown Bar and Grill

While PO WORTHINGTON, PO LAUFENBERG, PO BENNETT and HARRIS were waiting on the manager they observed approximately thirteen people exit out of the bar. Shortly after manager Jeanice TYLER-BELL B/F (07/02/1991) exited the building and let the officers on scene know that everyone who comes inside of the Bar and Grill is required to show their state identification. The manager TYLER-BELL stated that they had a local artist " Big Frank" performing that is why the Uptown Bar and Grill was so crowded. TYLER-BELL stated that she currently had a total of six employees working at the Tavern.

None of the officers that were on scene went inside the Uptown Bar and Grill.

PO WORTHINGTON tried calling all of the caller's back, but none of the callers answered when PO WORTHINGTON called them via the telephone.

Complaint not verified.

## End of Report

### Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Sheets Walker, Tiara S (024300)	10/10/2023 12:18:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	
Approving Officer:	Mueller, Ross B (019739)	10/12/2023 22:58:34
Section: (Work Location):	72	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232900091

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3350

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 04/07/2023 09:39:00  
CAD Number:: 230970464  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):  
DOB:: 05/28/1973  
Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
Apartment or Suite:: 123  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (if not explain in narrative): No  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Sheets Walker, Tiara S 024300

10/17/2023

This report is written by PO Tiara SHEETS-WALKER, assigned to District Seven, Early Power Shift, Squad 7269.

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232900091

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3350

On Friday, April 07, 2023, PO Vincent ANDRYSCZYK and PO Sharita OBY (Squad 7190) were dispatched to 3535 W Villard Ave., Milwaukee, Wisconsin for a "Battery" call for service.

## Cad Information

Prior to arrival, PO ANDRYSCZYK and PO OBY read the cad, which stated that following...

The caller requested a squad to the above location, stating "that a male she knows just choked her up and put his hands on her". The caller stated, " that she did not know his name, subject is till on scene".

Upon PO ANDRYSCZYK and PO OBY'S arrival, they noticed one male subject wearing all black walking eastbound on Villard Ave past 3535 W Villard Ave. PO ANDRYSCZYK and PO OBY did not observe anyone else standing outside or near 3535 W Villard Ave., Milwaukee, Wisconsin. PO OBY and PO ANDRYSCZYK did not observe any vehicles to be parked in the parking lot that was located on the eastside of Uptown Bar and Grill. PO OBY knocked on the front door of Uptown Bar and Grill, but no one answered. PO ANDRYSCZYK knocked on the rear door of Uptown Bar and Grill several times, but no one answered. PO OBY contacted the caller, but no one answered.

Unable to locate complainant.

**End of Report.**

### Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Sheets Walker, Tiara S (024300)	10/16/2023 15:57:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	
Approving Officer:	Saric, Joseph I (021487)	10/21/2023 12:58:51
Section: (Work Location):	72	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 231470037

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-1801

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 05/27/2023 04:11:00  
CAD Number:: 231470219  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent (License Holder)  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 05/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE

Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591

Phone 1 Type:: Phone

Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD

Apartment or Suite:: 123

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Soltes, Taylor 031310

05/27/2023

This report is being written by Milwaukee Taylor M SOLTES, assigned to District Seven Late Shift.

On Saturday, May 27, 2023, at 4:11 am, myself along with my partner PO Anthony REBRO on Squad

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:231470037

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-1801

7340, arrived on a shooting scene at the address of N 37TH ST / W VILLARD AV, which is located in the County and City of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

During which time, the bar located at 3535 W. Villard Av was involved in being part of the scene of a shooting.

The shooting occurred at 3:30 AM, where there was an after-set party in the upstairs part of the tavern.

The bar was closed at the time of the investigation and no contact was made with the owner.

This concludes the report.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Soltes, Taylor (031310)	05/27/2023 08:58:00
Section: (Work Location):	73	
Approving Officer:	Lidwin, Dean D (017585)	05/27/2023 22:37:50
Section: (Work Location):	73	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 232900090

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3351

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 06/25/2023 01:00:00  
CAD Number:: 231760105  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 05/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
Apartment or Suite:: 123  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Sheets Walker, Tiara S 024300

10/17/2023

This report is written by PO Tiara SHEETS-WALKER, assigned to District Seven, Early Power Shift, Squad 7269.

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232900090

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3351

On Sunday, June 25, 2023, at 1:09am, PO Blake KASBERGER (Squad 7441) was dispatched to a "Shots Fired" call for service at 3535 W Villard Av.

## Cad information

Prior to call, PO KASBERGER read the cad, which stated the following...

Caller stated at 1:00am on 06/25/2023 " she heard six shots fired".

The caller in the cad was an anonymous female caller who refused to leave her phone number.

Upon PO KASBERGER'S arrival, he checked the surrounding area for casings, but he was not able to locate any casings. PO KASBERGERS also checked the area to see if any buildings or vehicles had been struck, but he did not observe any vehicles or buildings to be damaged by gunfire.

PO KASBERGER did not make contact with anyone located at the Uptown Bar and Grill.

## End of Report

### Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Sheets Walker, Tiara S (024300)	10/16/2023 15:57:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	
Approving Officer:	Mengel, Matthew P (018650)	10/18/2023 13:46:36
Section: (Work Location):	58	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:231900017

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3558

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV Milwaukee, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 07/09/2023 00:20:00  
CAD Number:: 231900039  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 05/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE

Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591

Phone 1 Type:: Phone

Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD

Apartment or Suite:: 123

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Hensley, Jacob 031288

11/05/2023

This report is written by P.O Jacob HENSLEY, assigned to DISTRICT 7, Late shift, Squad#7352.



# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:231900017

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3558

On Sunday, July 09, 2023, at approximately 12:49 AM, I responded to a shots fired complaint at 3535 W Villard Av.

CALL INFORMATION: Comment: CALLER STS SHE JUST HEARD MULTIPLE SHOTS FIRED AND SUBJ SCREECHING OFF IN VEHS.. UNK DESC STS SOUNDED LIKE A MACHINE GUN., Comment: STS SHE HEARD PEOPLE SCREAMING

CALLER: DEBRA- (414) 418-9398

I observed multiple casings in the parking lot of 3535 W Villard (Uptown Bar and Grill).

I spoke to the responding squads, Squad#4390 (P.O REESE & P.O JONES), regarding the incident that occurred prior to my arrival. Squad 4390 relayed that they were in the area and also heard the shots fired. Squad#4390 stated they attempted to locate the owner of the establishment but were unable to at that time.

I was unable to reviewed video surveillance footage.

While on scene, I did not observe the licenses posted and if the licenses were up to date.

This concludes my report.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Hensley, Jacob (031288)	07/09/2023 07:54:00
Section: (Work Location):	73	
Approving Officer:	Maddox, Brian D (018939)	11/15/2023 01:22:22
Section: (Work Location):	73	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232890066

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3334

## Incident

**3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209**

Incident Date/Time:: 07/18/2023 23:11:00  
CAD Number:: 231991773  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

**OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE**

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 05/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE

Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591

Phone 1 Type:: Phone

Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD

Apartment or Suite:: 123

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

**UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL**

Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Public Entertainment Premise  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Sheets Walker, Tiara S 024300

10/16/2023

This report is written by PO Tiara SHEETS-WALKER assigned to District Early Power Shift, Squad 7269

On July 18, 2023, at approximately 11:17pm, my partner PO Roby STEPHON and I were dispatched to

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 232890066

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3334

3535 W Villard Ave, Milwaukee, Wisconsin for a "Shots Fired" call for service.

## Cad Information

Prior to arrival, I read the cad that stated that the following...

The caller stated at approximately 11:11pm on 07/18/2023, "she heard five to six gun shots. The caller stated, "the shots came from the alley". Caller stated the shots were between 35th and 36th by the bar". The caller stated, "she heard a vehicle leave, pull off fast". Caller stated, "that she doesn't know if the vehicle was involved and that she didn't see anything else".

Upon my arrival, I observed half of the parking lot to be filled with vehicles. I checked the alley in the rear of 3535 W Villard Ave. and I did not observe any casings on the ground. I also checked the parking lot, and I did not observe any casings on the ground in the parking lot that was to the east of 3535 W Villard Ave. I did not observe any structures to be struck by gunfire in the surrounding area. I observed two people standing outside when we arrived on scene who stated that they did not hear any shots being fired in the area.

I checked the cad regarding the caller, but the caller was anonymous female who did not leave a phone number.

I did not go into the bar nor spoke with anyone regarding the shots fired complaint.

## End of Shift

### Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Sheets Walker, Tiara S (024300)	10/10/2023 12:18:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	
Approving Officer:	Pugely, Steven J (022632)	10/17/2023 11:34:41
Section: (Work Location):	72	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 232330013

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-2811

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 08/21/2023 00:28:00  
CAD Number:: 232330042  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA R

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 05/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Persons Involved (1)

### BROWN, LUCAS LAMONT

Person Involvement:: Manager  
DOB:: 04/07/1986  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Address:: 5667 N 57TH ST  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53218

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): Yes  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/Incident:: No

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232330013

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-2811

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Roby, Stephon R 029458

08/21/2023

This report was written by P.O. Stephon ROBY assigned to District Seven, Late Power Shift's Tavern Car.

### Synopsis

On Monday, August 21st, 2023, at approximately 12:28am, an anonymous caller stated that a 17 year old entered the Uptown Bar and Grill located at 3535 W. Villard Av.(in the City and County of Milwaukee) with a fake identification card and was drinking alcoholic beverages. The caller described the female as 17 year old black female with red braids, last seen wearing a gray shirt and pants.

Upon arrival to Uptown Bar and Grill, I observed approximately 50 people inside the bar. I spoke to the manager of the bar who identified himself as Lucas L. BROWN, B/M 04-07-86, who stated that he did not observe anyone enter the bar that appeared to be under the age. BROWN then gave us permission to enter the bar to check for any violations.

P.O. MOTIFF and I entered the bar and conducted a walkthrough checking for violations and underage people. I walked through the entire bar, but I did not locate anyone who appeared to be underage, or anyone that matched the description for the 17 year old female.

### Tavern information:

Name: Uptown Bar and Grill

Location: 3535 W. villard Av.

Agent: Tonia R. OTIS B/F 05-28-73

Manager Lucas L. BROWN B/M 04-07-86

License:BTAVN 343494 (Class B Tavern License) expires 12-06-23

## Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Roby, Stephon R (029458)	08/21/2023 01:29:00
Section: (Work Location):	74	
Approving Officer:	Flannery, Brian E (016244)	08/23/2023 05:18:15
Section: (Work Location):	74	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #: 232830057

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3258

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 08/27/2023 00:34:00  
CAD Number:: 232390041  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 05/20/1973  
Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
Apartment or Suite:: 123  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Persons Involved (1)

### SINGLETON, CARLOS JOSE

Person Involvement:: Employee  
DOB:: 01/06/1994  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: 4147485881  
Address:: 3645 N 40TH ST  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53216

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL

Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No

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749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232830057

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3258

Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident::

No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Sheets Walker, Tiara S 024300

10/10/2023

This report is written by PO Tiara SHEETS-WALKER who is assigned to District Seven, Early Power Shift as Squad 7269.

On August 27, 2023, at approximately 12:27am, PO Michael ARANGO and PO Taylor SOLTES (Squad 7332) and PO Hugo AVILES and PO Jacob BLANCO (Squad 7350) were dispatched to 3535 W Villard Ave., Milwaukee, Wisconsin for a "shots fired" call for service.

### Cad Information

Prior to arrival, PO BLANCO read the cad that stated the following...

The anonymous caller#1 stated at approximately 12:34am on 08/27/2023, "they heard at least four shots and they observed several people fighting. The anonymous caller stated, " actors are by the bar, but they did not have a description of the person that was shooting."

A female caller #2 stated, "people are shooting/not answering questions/several people are screaming".

A caller #3 who was named LETHA stated, "she heard ten shots fired and also heard a vehicle speeding off going west".

The last caller #4 who was named MARIAH called and stated, "occurred over five minutes ago. MARIAH stated " she heard about twelve gunshots and that there are a lot of juveniles outside. MARIAH stated, "she is unsure if anyone is injured and that she did not see or hear anything else".

Upon arrival, PO AVILES and PO BLANCO stated they observed several people standing outside who were on the north and south side of the 3500 block of West Villard. PO AVILES and PO BLANCO observed some of the people leaving the area. PO BLANCO spoke with an unknown citizen who stated that there were several gun shots coming from the intersection of North 35th Street and W Villard Ave and the intersection of North 36 Street and West Villard Ave. The unknown citizen stated that he did not see who was shooting, but only observed several people fleeing on foot from the area.

### Interview of Witness/employee Carlos J SINGLETON H/M (01/06/1994)

PO BLANCO and PO AVILES spoke with Carlos J SINGLETON H/M (01/06/1994) who was the security guard of Uptown Bar and Grill who stated at approximately 12:30am he observed a black four door Honda with dark tinted window parked in front of 5204 N 36th Street. The security guard stated that he observed an unknown passenger who was standing outside of the vehicle, fire two gunshots in the air. The security guard stated that he also observed a new model sporty sedan car that was black or possibly

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blue in color stop in the middle of the street firing two gunshots in the air from the front driver window.

The security guard stated that he observed newer model sporty sedan flee west on Villard from the location and the black Honda flee south on North 36th Street. The security guard stated that the bar was already closed during the incident.

I would like to mention that while looking PO AVILES body camera and Squad 7350 vehicle camera I observed several people standing outside on the steps of Uptown bar and Grill. I observed three citizens exit bar and two citizens entered the closed bar:

Based on the callers' information obtained from the telecommunicator, the tavern did not contact the police to report the incident.

~~None of the Officers on scene went inside of the Upton Bar and Grill Tavern. When looking at the squad~~ cameras, I observed two cameras located on the north side of the building.

It should also be mentioned that that PO D'Andrea JOHNSON (squad 7340) stated while she was on scene "there's a bunch of kids out here, they do not ID them," but officers did not verify any ages.

**End of Report**

## Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Sheets Walker, Tiara S (024300)	10/10/2023 12:18:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	
Approving Officer:	Mueller, Ross B (019739)	10/12/2023 23:01:06
Section: (Work Location):	72	



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414-933-4444

Case #:232890089

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3349

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 09/17/2023 03:38:00  
CAD Number:: 232600272  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB: 06/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
Apartment or Suite:: 123  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Sheets Walker, Tiara S 024300

10/16/2023

This report is written by, assigned Tiara SHEETS-WALKER, District Seven, Early Power Shift (Squad 7269)

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414-933-4444

Case #:232890089

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3349

On September 17, 2023, at approximately 3:42am, (Squad 7332) PO Camara D ALEXANDER and PO D'Andrea JOHNSON were dispatched to 3535 W Villard Ave., Milwaukee, Wisconsin for a "Battery" call for service.

## Cad Information

Prior to PO ALEXANDER and PO JOHNSON arrival, they read the cad that stated the following....

Caller stated at approximately 3:38pm on 09/17/2023 she was physically assaulted by her boyfriend. Caller stated, " subject is inside of the location, subject is the owner of a AR-15 , which is inside of the location". Caller stated, " she doesn't know subject's name". Caller stated, " she caught subject with another woman so she threw the groceries out that she purchased for him". Caller stated, " subject then came outside and physically assaulted her".

Caller described the suspect as black male that is approximately 26 years of age wearing a white t-shirt.

The caller in the cad was a female subject who was named "China" who provided phone number 262-281-1013.

Upon PO ALEXANDER and PO JOHNSON arrival, they spoke with a China C IVERY B/F (01/02/1998) and ran this subject in our cad system. PO ALEXANDER and PO JOHNSON gave a C3 for the Battery Complaint. Which means that the call is pending until PO ALEXANDER and PO JOHNSON get more information regarding the incident.

PO ALEXANDER and PO JOHNSON did not speak with any staff at the Uptown Bar and Grill due the bar being closed.

On November 17, 2023 at 12:48pm, I spoke with the Caller IVERY who stated that she was the person who contacted the police regarding the incident on September 17, 2023 that occurred at 3535 W Villard, IVERY stated that she was battered by her boyfriend at the time Dalvin GIBSON B/M (05/19/1993). IVERY stated that the incident occurred inside of the Uptown Bar and Grill at 3535 W Villard Ave. IVERY stated that everyone inside of the bar observed the incident. IVERY also stated that she observed cameras located inside of the bar.

While on the phone with IVERY she stated that GIBSON was the nephew of the owner of the bar and was currently residing upstairs from the bar. IVERY also stated that the bar allows sixteen year old teenagers inside of the bar. I asked IVERY how did she know that? IVERY stated that she has been going to the bar from June to September of 2023 and has always observed several sixteen year old teenagers inside of the bar. IVERY stated that she has also observed the bartenders of the establishment serving liquor to the teenagers.

End of Report

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:

Sheets Walker, Tiara S (024300)

10/16/2023 15:57:00

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:232890089

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3349

Section: (Work Location): 72

Approving Officer: Saric, Joseph I (021487)

10/21/2023 12:59:02

Section: (Work Location): 72

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:233160013

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3648

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 11/11/2023 23:21:00  
CAD Number:: 233151486  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA ROCHELLE

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB: 05/28/1978

Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
Apartment or Suite:: 123  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Persons Involved (1)

### SINGLETON, CARLOS JOSE

Person Involvement:: Employee  
DOB:: 01/06/1994  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Address:: 3645 N 40TH ST  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53216

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSACE NIGHTLIFE

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-758-6933  
Phone 1 Type:: Main  
Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Public Entertainment Premise  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No

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414-933-4444

Case #:233160013

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3648

Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): No

Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Deleon, Sarah G 029959

11/12/2023

This report is written by PO Sarah DELEON, assigned to District 7, Late Power Shift.

On Saturday, November 11, 2023, at 11:26pm, an Armed Robbery Carjacking call for service was placed for the address of 3424 W Villard Av, which is in the City and County of Milwaukee. A second call for service was placed at 11:21pm for a Shots Fired complaint at 3535 W Villard Av. It was later determined these two calls were related.

Upon arrival, I spoke to a security guard, Carlos J. SINGLETON (B/M, 01/06/1994), who stated at approximately 11:10pm, he was standing guard outside of 3535 W Villard Av (Versace Nightclub) when he noticed a white SUV parked in the parking lot near a Tesla. SINGLETON stated he took a couple steps towards the parking lot and he heard shots being fired at him. SINGLETON stated he physically saw three subjects shooting at him.

SINGLETON stated he discharged his firearm. SINGLETON stated he is employed as an armed security guard and is a private contractor for the Versace Nightclub. SINGLETON stated he discharged his handgun approximately 3-4 times.

SINGLETON described the following actors:

Subject 1 - B/M, BLACK HOODIE, BLACK MASK, BLACK SWEATS, BLACK HANDGUN, 5'10, MEDIUM BUILD, NO FACIAL HAIR

Subject 2 - B/M, WHITE ADIDAS HOODIE, BLACK MASK, BLACK SWEATPANTS, BLACK HANDGUN, 5'11-6'00, MUSCULAR BUILD

Subject 3 - B/M, BLACK HOODIE, NO HAT, BLACK JOGGERS, 6'00-6'01, SKINNY, NO FACIAL HAIR, ARMED WITH AR

SINGLETON stated subject 2 was in the driver's seat after firing shots. SINGLETON stated subject 3 was in the rear passenger seat after firing shots. SINGLETON stated after he fired shots back, the vehicle crashed into his parked vehicle in the parking lot. SINGLETON stated the three subject ran westbound in the alley south of the parking lot then northbound across W Villard Av through the US Bank parking lot located at 3720 W Villard Av.

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Case #:233160013

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3648

We attempted to retrieve video footage from the Versace Nightclub but no employees were on scene and the security guard did not know how to access the cameras.

Multiple casings were found on the sidewalk in front of Versace Nightclub, in the parking lot, and in the alley south of the parking lot. Multiple vehicles were struck by gunfire. No other witnesses on scene.

The security guard was cooperative with the investigation. The business had 1 security officer (SINGLETON) on scene. They were armed. Officers were unable to review video surveillance footage. The doors to the business were then locked by an unknown person while officers were still on scene and no one was able to enter the premise anymore. The security guard stated he does not have access to nor knows how to retrieve video footage.

## Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Deleon, Sarah G (029959)	11/12/2023 01:44:00
Section: (Work Location):	74	
Approving Officer:	Flannery, Brian E (016244)	11/13/2023 06:43:17
Section: (Work Location):	74	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:233160084

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3659

## Incident

### 3535 W VILLARD AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53209

Incident Date/Time:: 11/12/2023 15:00:00  
CAD Number:: 233160837  
District:: 7  
Beat:: 730  
Reporting Area:: 955

## Business Agent (1)

### OTIS, TONIA R

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):

DOB: 05/28/1973

Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-469-8591  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 5253 N LOVERS LANE RD  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53225

## Licensed Persons Involved (1)

### BROWN, LUCAS LAMONT

Person Involvement:: Manager  
DOB:: 04/07/1986  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Address:: 5667 N 57TH ST  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53218

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL AKA VERSA

Address:: 3535 W VILLARD AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53209  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Licensee was cooperative: (if not explain in narrative): Yes  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident: No

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749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:233160084

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3659

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Maholmes, Lorenzo C 027400

11/12/2023

This report was submitted by P.O. Lorenzo MAHOLMES assigned to District 7 Early Power Shift.

On Sunday November 12, 2023, at approximately 15:08 Squad 7235 myself and P.O. DORSEY (wearing full duty uniforms and activated body cameras and operating a marked squad.) were dispatched to a SHOOTING complaint at the address of 3535 W VILLARD AVE which is located in the City and County of MILWAUKEE.

CALL INFORMATION: Comment: CLR STS SUBJS ARE AT THE LOC SHOOTING. CLR STS FEMALE SHOT ANOTHER FEMALE

CALLER: FEMALE CALLER- (414) 581-9462

### INTERVIEW OF TEAISHA ROSS (CALLER)

Upon arrival we met the caller/victim identified verbally as Teaisha ROSS (B/F 01/05/99) BOF# 549028, who stated she and another female not on scene at the time of our arrival identified to us by ROSS as Latresa JOYNER (B/F 40 YOA) was at the BOSTON TAVERN located at 3535 W VILLARD AVE to confront their ex-boyfriend identified as Lucas L BROWN (B/M 04/07/86) about his current girlfriend identified as Breshonna WARE (B/F UNKNOWN AGE).

ROSS stated BROWN came out of the BAR to talk with her and JOYNER, ROSS stated the discussion went from talking to arguing and she observed a female (WARE) and unknown male come out of the BAR with guns and soon after heard multiple shots fired.

ROSS stated once the shooting stopped, she observed JOYNER holding her stomach and heard JOYNER say she was shot. ROSS stated she observed JOYNER holding her stomach but didn't see any blood. ROSS stated JOYNER then got into a Black vehicle appeared to be an ACURA and fled the scene which she believed JOYNER was going straight to the hospital.

ROSS stated she observed a small black handgun in WARE's hands before the shots were fired.

ROSS stated everyone on scene got into multiple vehicles and fled the scene in unknown directions, then shortly after police arrived on scene.

At the time of this incident no one has reported being shot and no one has been admitted to the hospital for a GSW. The incident was filed as a shots fired incident since a victim was never found.

On scene I located one casing on the side of the building next to the bar, 3535 w Villard Ave. a 9MM LUGER casing, which was placed on inventory as evidence. 23035839.



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Case #:233160084

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-3659

## INTERVIEW OF LUCAS BROWN

I interviewed BROWN, Lucas L (B/M 04/07/86) who stated ROSS and JOYNER came to the BAR to argue with WARE, BROWN stated he attempted to break it up, but he is handicap. BROWN stated while everyone was arguing he went to the side of the building trying to leave and he then heard shots fired he didn't see anyone shooting a firearm but stated WARE is known to have a gun. BROWN stated since the incident he has not spoken with WARE and JOYNER but he called her phone, and he stated her son picked up and stated his mom went to the hospital. BROWN stated no one answered her phone for him again.

## SCENE OBSERVATION AND SURVEILLANCE FOOTAGE

I observed on surveillance video at the Liquor next to the bar SUNSHINE LIQUOR at approximately 3:00 P.M. I observed ROSS arguing with multiple people and then a scuffle occurs, and multiple people run from the bar (UPTOWN BAR AND GRILL). I observed one black male with a long gun holding it to the side of his waist. Then everyone leaves the scene. From the video it is hard to see anyone shooting a gun and I didn't see any that appeared to be shot from a gun.

## CST PHOTOS

I took 5 photos of the scene and casing.

CASE PENDING....

### Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Maholmes, Lorenzo C (027400)	11/12/2023 18:43:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	
Approving Officer:	Saric, Joseph I (021487)	11/15/2023 15:23:00
Section: (Work Location):	72	



Tuesday, December 19, 2023



# Notice of Public Hearing

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OTIS, Tonia R  
Uptown Bar and Grill at 3535 W VILLARD Av  
Class B Tavern, Public Entertainment Premises and Food Dealer License Renewal Applications

**Friday, January 05, 2024 at 10:55 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 on 1/5/2024 at 10:55 AM in Room 301-B, Third Floor, City Hall. 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 via phone or internet are asked to contact the staff assistant, Yadira Melendez at (414) 286-2775 or [stasst5@milwaukee.gov](mailto: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.

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## 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 appear in person and 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 present at the committee hearing and 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	3504 W VILLARD AVE# LOWR	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4712
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3504 W VILLARD AVE# UPPR	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4712
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3518 W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4712
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3519 W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4711
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3520A W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4712
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3522 W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4712
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3528 W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4712
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3616A W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4714
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 207	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4777
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 208	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4777
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 209	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4777
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 215	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4777
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 301	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4778
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 313	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4778
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 409	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4779
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 412	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4779
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 413	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4779
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 414	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4779
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3621 W VILLARD AVE# 415	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4779
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3622A W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4714
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3624 W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4714
CURRENT OCCUPANT	3628 W VILLARD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4714
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5185 N 35TH ST# 1	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-5378
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5185 N 35TH ST# 2	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-5378
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5185 N 35TH ST# 3	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-5378
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5185 N 35TH ST# 4	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-5378
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5185 N 35TH ST# 5	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-5378
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5185 N 35TH ST# 6	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-5378
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5185 N 35TH ST# 7	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-5378
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5204 N 36TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4706

CURRENT OCCUPANT	5218 N 36TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4706
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5224 N 36TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4706
CURRENT OCCUPANT	5224A N 36TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53209-4706

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Total Records: 49

Radius 250.0 feet and Center of the Circle: 3535 W Villard Av

2022-2023 Plan of Operation for 3535 W VILLARD AV

**1. Litter & Security Plans**

How are the grounds kept clean?  Sweep  Pressure Wash  Pick Up Litter  Other:

How often will grounds be cleaned?  Daily  Weekly  Other:

Who cleans the grounds?  Licensee  Building Owner  Employees  Hired Maintenance  Other:

How are noise issues prevented and/or addressed?  Security  Manager approaches customer(s)  Call Police  Signs Posted  Other:

Are there designated outdoor smoking areas?  No  Yes If Yes, Describe:

Number of garbage cans: Inside 3 Locations: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Outside 5 Locations: \_\_\_\_\_

Is a crowd control barrier used?  No  Yes If Yes, Describe:

Number of restrooms: 2  Type of solid waste container: Sanimax

Are there parking spaces on the premises?  No  Yes If Yes, list number of spaces: 15 and describe security plans:

Are there designated loading areas?  No  Yes If Yes, describe security plans:

Do you have security personnel on the premises?  No  Yes If Yes, how many? 1  
 AND What are their responsibilities? checking door, make sure place is safe  
 What security equipment do they use? \_\_\_\_\_  
 List their licensing, certification or training credentials: \_\_\_\_\_

Are there security cameras?  No  Yes If Yes, list all locations: Inside, Outside Building

Are searches and/or identification checks conducted upon entry?  No  Yes If Yes, describe: checked by security

**2. Percentage of Sales (must total 100%)**

Alcohol 40 % Food Sales 50 % Entertainment 10 % Other \_\_\_\_\_ %

**3. Businesses on the Premises (choose all that apply):**

Restaurant  Cafe/Coffee Shop  Cocktail Lounge  Convenience Store  Night Club  Liquor Store  Tavern  Sports Facility  
 Bar  Bagel/Bakery  Supermarket  Fraternal/Veterans' Club  Other:

**4. Hours of Operation and Age Restriction**

Are there any changes to the current hours of operation or age restriction?  No  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, Brewer's Opening Day, etc.) during the license period, this must be reported and printed on your license. Your hours of operations 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?  No  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](http://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?  No  Yes If Yes, submit an updated site plan with this application.

**7. Food License Fee: \$1314 Fee: \$400.00**

Your current food license includes the following food operations:  
 DND - MCDONALD'S, SALES \$10,001 - \$100,000, Tavern/Restaurant.  
 Are there any changes to your food operations as listed above?  No  Yes

**8. Weights and Measures Fee:**

Number/Type of Devices: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are there any changes to the number or types of devices?  No  Yes If Yes, contact our office for further instructions.

**1. CURRENT APPROVED ENTERTAINMENT for Uptown Bar and Grill 3535 W VILLARD AV**

The following types of entertainment have been approved for your current Public Entertainment Premises license:  
Comedy Acts, Disc Jockey, Poetry Readings, Patron Contests, Jukebox, Karaoke, Patrons Dancing, Instrumental Musicians, Bands, 1 Pool Table,  
2 Amusement Machines, 4 Concerts Per Year

**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. ALSO SUBMIT AN UPDATED FLOOR PLAN AND PLAN OF OPERATION OR CONFIRMATION STATEMENT IF THE NEW ENTERTAINMENT DOES NOT CHANGE THE CURRENT PLAN OF OPERATION.**

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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/<br>Strippers/Erotic Dance                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Karaoke                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling Alley<br>How many? _____      | <input type="checkbox"/> Pool Tables<br>How many? _____                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Motion Pictures (movies by admission)<br>How many screens? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Amusement Machines<br>How many? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Concerts<br>Approx. # per year? _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Performances<br>Approx. # per year? _____ |

Other: N/A

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:  
none

**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:

**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.

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