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**NIK KOVAC**

ALDERMAN, 3RD DISTRICT

February 6, 2020

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Dear Members:

Re: Common Council File Number 191305

Attached is the written objection to file number 191305, Motion relating to the recommendations of the Licenses Committee relative to licenses, relating to the recommendation of:

Nonrenewal, based upon the police report and aldermanic and applicant testimony of the Class B Tavern, Food Dealer, and Public Entertainment Premises licenses for Louise Burdue for the premises located at 100 W Maple St ("Ollie's") in the 12th aldermanic district.

This matter will be heard by the full Council at its Tuesday, February 11, 2020 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nik Kovac', written in a cursive style.

Nik Kovac, Chair  
Licenses Committee

cc: All Council Members  
City Attorney's Office  
Common Council/City Clerk – License Division  
CCF 191305

## Kuether-Steele, Molly

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**From:** Mike Lopez <mlopez0516@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 05, 2020 1:31 PM  
**To:** Owczarski, Jim; Kuether-Steele, Molly  
**Subject:** Louise A. Burdue DBA Ollie's

City of Milwaukee  
Office of the City Clerk/Common Council  
200 E. Wells Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53202

Louise Burdue DBA Ollie's  
100 W Maple Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53204

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to file my objections of the vote, from the License Committee on 01/31/2020, to not renew my class "B" Tavern, food dealer and public entertainment premises (PEP). I would ask the full common council to please review my written testimony, submitted the same day. We made an honest error in continuing to operate the business after the license expired. What was originally brought up by Alderman Perez was the nuisance status my property had become. I have since taken actions to abate the nuisance activities. I am more than willing to discuss any problems with neighbors that have concerns, I still was not given any direction on how to start that dialog. I asked for Alderman Perez' suggestions and the license committee none were given. To address Alderman Perez' questions on what I have done to fix the problems at the property I wasn't given time to provide documents to him during the hearing, as the conversation was lead in a different direction. I feel I have complied with all that has been set before me by the Counsel, Alderman Perez, and the Milwaukee Police Department so far. I plan on continuing my efforts to restore and update my property. I have been in operation for 26 years and haven't had many problems. I am saddened that I haven't been given an opportunity to prove myself! This is my formal appeal and objection to the recommendation from the license committee dated 01/31/2020

Sincerely,

Louise A. Burdue  
DBA Ollie's