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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

March 17, 2016

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Honorable Members:

Common Council File Number 151311 contains the following recommendations:

Nonrenewal, based upon the police report and applicant, applicant's son's and aldermanic testimony, of the Class B Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises license(s) for Juan Curiel for the premises located at 2039 W National Ave ("El Toro Bravo") in the 8th aldermanic district.

Nonrenewal, based upon nonappearance of the Class D Operator's license for Cathryn West.

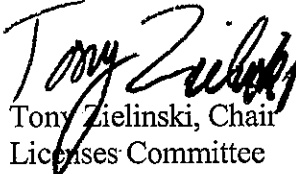
Nonrenewal, based upon nonappearance of the Class D Operator's license for Annette Wilber.

Nonrenewal, based upon nonappearance of the Home Improvement Contractor's license for Pierre Reyes.

Nonrenewal, based upon nonappearance of the Home Improvement Contractor's license for Todd Schreiber.

Nonrenewal, based upon nonappearance of the Home Improvement Contractor's license for John Tussler.

Respectfully,


Tony Zielinski, Chair
Licenses Committee

cc: All Council Members
File 151311





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Date: March 17, 2016

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Class "B" Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises licenses of Juan C. Curiel for the premises located at 2039 West National Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("El Toro Bravo")

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Juan C. Curiel (hereinafter "the Licensee"), is the holder of a Class "B" Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises licenses for the premises located at 2039 West National Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("El Toro Bravo"). Said license expires at midnight on April 8, 2016.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on March 3, 2016.
3. On March 8, 2016 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee of a License's Committee hearing pursuant to Chapters 90 and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes regarding the police report (dated March 4, 2016) to the renewal of the license. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the Milwaukee Police Department report on March 15, 2016, commencing at 11:00 a.m. in Room 301B of the third floor of City Hall. At said date and place, the Licensee did appear and was represented by Attorney Michael Chernin.
4. Based upon the testimony heard and evidence received, the Committee makes the following findings of fact:
 - A. On January 4, 2015 Milwaukee police conducted a licensed premise check at 2039 West National Avenue (El Toro Bravo Tavern), relative to a fight that occurred across the street from that location. Officers discovered the front doors to the business were locked and had to knock several times before being allowed entry. Officers spoke to Luis Lopez-Gonzalez, who identified himself as the bar manager. At one point during the investigation, Lopez-Gonzalez refused to



provide officers with the name of the bartender, who was no longer on the scene. Lopez-Gonzalez received two citations and the applicant received three citations.

As to Luis Lopez-Gonzalez:

Charge

- 1: Class B Managers License Required
- 2: Safe Egress from All Doors/Serving Rooms

Finding

- 1: Guilty
- 2: Guilty

Sentence

- 1: \$189.00 fine
- 2: \$189.00 fine

Date: 11/09/2015

As to the applicant:

Charge

- 1: Responsible Person on Premises
- 2: Safe Egress from All Doors/Serving Rooms
- 3: Immediate Entry to Police

Finding

- 1: Guilty
- 2: Guilty
- 3: Guilty

Sentence

- 1: \$189.00 fine
- 2: \$189.00 fine
- 3: \$189.00 fine

Date: 11/09/2015

This item was previously reported. The disposition was added March 4, 2016.

- B. On January 23, 2015 Milwaukee police conducted a licensed premise check at 2039 West National Avenue (El-Toro Bravo Tavern). No violations were observed.
- C. On February 9, 2015 Milwaukee police conducted a licensed premise check at 2039 West National Avenue (El-Toro Bravo Tavern). Officers spoke to the bartender, Lorenzo Carlos-Carillo, who stated Luis L. Gonzalez was in charge of business. Luis L. Gonzalez told officers he was in charge of the day-to-day operations of the bar while the applicant is in Mexico. Gonzalez did not have a current class "D" operator's license on his person, but officers conducted a check of the Milwaukee Municipal License database (LIRA) and discovered a current class "D" operator's license in Gonzalez's name.
- D. On February 11, 2015 a meeting was held at Milwaukee police district #2. Attending that meeting were Milwaukee Police Officers Velasquez and Vodicka, Safe and Sound Coordinator Maritza Ugarte, Assistant City Attorney Nick DeSiato and Luis L. Gonzalez., Gonzalez explained that the applicant was in Mexico and that he (Gonzalez) was in charge of the business's day-to-day operations until the applicant returned. Discussed during this meeting was the apparent lack of cooperation police received on January 4, 2015, as well as neighborhood complaints about noise, prostitution and strippers in the tavern.

Gonzalez told officers that dancing by performers had been added to the Public Entertainment Premise license, but they had not yet had any performers. Officer Velasquez read City Ordinance 90-27 and 90-4-4 to Gonzalez, who stated he understood that the doors to the business could not be locked to restrict access to new patrons and that he (Gonzalez) needs to apply for a class "B" manager's license. Additionally, Gonzalez was provided with the Milwaukee police non-emergency phone number and encouraged to call when he observes prostitutes in the area.

- E. On March 21, 2015 Milwaukee police, along with Agent Georgeann King and Special Enforcement Inspector of DNS Lone Gallup, conducted a tavern and building inspection at 2039 West National Avenue (El Toro Bravo). During this inspection, officers discovered one patron was under the age of 21. Additionally, 5 patrons were discovered to have arrest warrants. Agent King confiscated 108 open liquor bottles and 37 sealed bottles. Officers did not observe any additional violations. Both the applicant and the manager, Luis Lopez-Gonzalez, were cited for Allow Underage on Premises.

As to the applicant:

Charge: Allow Underage on Premises
Finding: Dismissed without prejudice
Date: 05/13/2015

As to the manager:

Charge: Allow Underage on Premises
Finding: Dismissed without prejudice
Date: 05/13/2015

- F. On April 14, 2015 Milwaukee police responded to an anonymous complaint of loud music emanating from 2039 West National Avenue (El Toro Bravo). Officers could hear loud music as they pulled up to the building and advised the bartender, Lorena Carlos, she needed to turn the music down. No other violations were observed.
- G. On December 5, 2015 Milwaukee police observed three known prostitutes, one of which was known to be under the age of 21, enter 2039 West National Avenue (El Toro Bravo). The officers then conducted a licensed premise check of the business. The underage patron was discovered in the women's restroom along with two other women. The applicant and the security guard, Edward Thomas, who was working the front door, were cited.

As to the applicant:

Charge: Allow Underage on Premises
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: \$321.00 fine
Date: 02/24/2016

As to the security guard:

Charge: Allow Underage on Premises
Finding: Due for pre-trial 04/14/2016 8:30 a.m. Branch 1

- H. Attorney Michael Chernin stated the applicant allowed another operator to continue to run his bar which created problems, and that operator and security

guard have since been terminated. He added that the applicant and his family will solely operate the premises. He stated there was an attempted lease agreement for the premises between the applicant and another individual, but the deal fell through. The business and licenses were not being rented. He requested a 60-day suspension instead of nonrenewal. The applicant stated when he ran the business there were no problems and that is what he is doing now.

- I. Alderman Donovan stated he has serious concerns and does not support renewal for this operator because it is not in the best interest of the neighborhood or the district. He added the applicant rents the business out to other people to run and it probably is not legal. He stated he had met with another applicant who had signed a lease with this applicant to rent the premises and obtain his own licenses, but the deal fell through because someone else offered more money to lease the business. The police report is also concerning with the prostitution and underage drinking. He stated this is a problem in the city where people rent their licenses out for other people to run their business.
- J. Andrea Curiel 2039 West National Avenue stated every time there is a problem with the bar she has called the police and she supports her father.
- K. Juan Carlos Curiel 2039 West National Avenue stated his father's bar has never had problems until he started having different tenants at his business. He added that he is not really involved in his father's business and he believed the manager who was terminated was renting the business. But clarified that he meant the manager runs the business, not rents the business.
- L. Three additional individuals were present in support, but did not testify.
- M. Alderman Stamper moved approval with a 60-day suspension based on police report and applicant testimony. Alderman Kovac stated the police report is not enough to warrant a 60-day suspension because the case for progressive discipline is not there. However, the allegations of a collusive arrangement, the applicant's inability to speak English half way through his testimony, his son's testimony regarding the manager or tenant, and the request for a 60-day suspension is troubling as to whether the applicant can be trusted.
- N. Alderman Kovac moved nonrenewal based on the police report, applicant's son's testimony, applicant testimony and aldermanic testimony.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

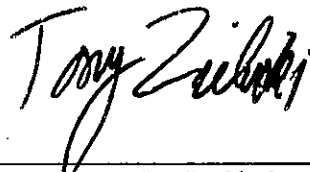
1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes and Chapters 90 and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the Licensee, Juan C. Curiel, has not met the criteria of Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes or Chapters 90 and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances to allow renewal of his Class "B" Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises licenses for the premises located at 2039 West National Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("El Toro Bravo"), based on the police report, aldermanic testimony, applicant's son's testimony and applicant testimony. The Committee finds the police report, applicant's son's testimony, applicant testimony, and aldermanic testimony, as stated above, to be true.

3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Licenses Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to not renew the Class "B" Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises licenses of Juan C. Curiel for the premises located at 2039 West National Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("El Toro Bravo") based on the police report, applicant's son's testimony, applicant testimony, and aldermanic testimony.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of three (3) ayes, one (1) no and one (1) excused recommends that the Class "B" Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises licenses of Juan C. Curiel for the premises located at 2039 West National Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("El Toro Bravo") be non-renewed based upon the police report, applicant's son's testimony, applicant testimony, and aldermanic testimony.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of March, 2016.



TONY ZIELINSKI, Chairman
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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

Date: March 16, 2016

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Class "D" Operator's License of Cathryn J. West

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Cathryn J. West (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Class "D" Operator's License in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expired on December 31, 2015.
2. An application to renew said license was thereafter filed with the Office of the City Clerk.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department responded with a police report that could form a basis for nonrenewal or suspension of said license.
4. On March 3, 2016 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes of the report of the Milwaukee Police Department and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police department report on March 15, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the Licensee did not appear.
5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
 - A. A notice of the hearing as well as a copy of the police report was sent to Cathryn J. West, P.O. Box 70016, Milwaukee, WI 53207 on March 3, 2016 by U.S. prepaid first-class mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division. The address of P.O. Box 70016, Milwaukee, WI 53207 is the address given by the Licensee on her application. The envelope was not returned to the License Division by the United States Postal Service. The Licensee failed to appear at the hearing on March 15, 2016 at 1:00 p.m.



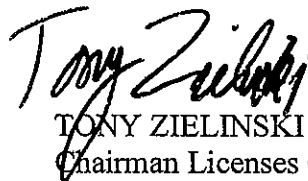
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes and Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based on the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the Licensee, Cathryn J. West has not met the criteria of Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes or Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances to allow renewal of the Class "D" Operator's license based upon 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 Licenses Committee that the full Common Council should exercise its discretion to not renew the Class "D" Operator's license held by Cathryn J. West based upon nonappearance.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above the Committee recommends by a vote of four (4) noes and one (1) excused that the Class "D" Operator's License of Cathryn J. West not be renewed based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 16th day of March, 2016.



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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

Date: March 16, 2016

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Class "D" Operator's License of Annette R. Wilber

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Annette R. Wilber (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Class "D" Operator's License in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expired on December 31, 2015.
2. An application to renew said license was thereafter filed with the Office of the City Clerk.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department responded with a police report that could form a basis for nonrenewal or suspension of said license.
4. On March 3, 2016 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes of the report of the Milwaukee Police Department and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police department report on March 15, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the Licensee did not appear.
5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
 - A. A notice of the hearing as well as a copy of the police report was sent to Annette R. Wilber, 2206B West Mitchell Street, Milwaukee, WI 53204 on March 3, 2016 by U.S. prepaid first-class mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division. The address of 2206B West Mitchell Street, Milwaukee, WI 53204 is the address given by the Licensee on her application. The envelope was not returned to the License Division by the United States Postal Service. The Licensee failed to appear at the hearing on March 15, 2016 at 1:00 p.m.



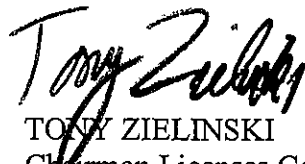
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes and Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based on the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the Licensee, Annette R. Wilber has not met the criteria of Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes or Chapter 90 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances to allow renewal of the Class "D" Operator's license based upon 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 Licenses Committee that the full Common Council should exercise its discretion to not renew the Class "D" Operator's license held by Annette R. Wilber based upon nonappearance.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above the Committee recommends by a vote of four (4) noes and one (1) excused that the Class "D" Operator's License of Annette R. Wilber not be renewed based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 16th day of March, 2016.



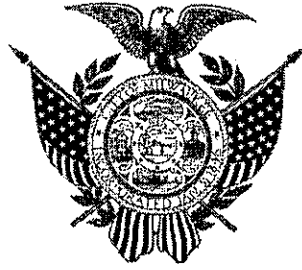
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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

Date: March 16, 2016

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Home Improvement Contractor License of Pierre Reyes.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Pierre Reyes (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Home Improvement Contractor License in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expired at midnight, February 28, 2016.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on December 9, 2015.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. On December 10, 2016, the Milwaukee Police Department responded with a police report that could form a basis for non-renewal or suspension of said license.
4. On March 2, 2016 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances of the report of the Milwaukee Police Department and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the Police Department report on March 15, 2016, commencing at 1:15 p.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee did not appear and he was not represented by counsel.
5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
 - A. A notice of the hearing as well as a copy of the police report was sent to Pierre Reyes, Praa Construction, Inc., 944 South 28th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53215 on March 2, 2016 by U.S. prepaid first-class mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division. The address of 944 South 28th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53215 is the address given by the Licensee on his application. The envelope was not returned to the License Division by the United States Postal Service. The Licensee failed to appear at the hearing on March 15, 2016.



CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based on the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the Licensee, Pierre Reyes has not met the criteria of Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances to allow renewal of the Home Improvement Contractor license based upon 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 Licenses Committee that the full Common Council should exercise its discretion to not renew the Home Improvement Contractor license held by Pierre Reyes based upon nonappearance.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of four (4) and one (1) excused recommends that the Home Improvement Contractor License be denied based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 16th day of March, 2016.



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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

Date: March 16, 2016

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Home Improvement Contractor License of Todd A. Schreiber.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Todd A. Schreiber (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Home Improvement Contractor License in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expired at midnight, February 28, 2016.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on January 8, 2016.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. On January 20, 2016, the Milwaukee Police Department responded with a police report that could form a basis for non-renewal or suspension of said license.
4. On March 2, 2016 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances of the report of the Milwaukee Police Department and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the Police Department report on March 15, 2016, commencing at 1:15 p.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee did not appear and he was not represented by counsel.
5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
 - A. A notice of the hearing as well as a copy of the police report was sent to Todd A. Schreiber 4234 West Luscher Avenue, Wisconsin 53209 on March 2, 2016 by U.S. prepaid first-class mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division. The address of 4234 West Luscher Avenue, Wisconsin 53209 is the address given by the Licensee on his application. The envelope was not returned to the License Division by the United States Postal Service. The Licensee failed to appear at the hearing on March 15, 2016.



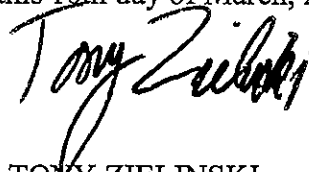
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based on the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the Licensee, Todd A. Schreiber has not met the criteria of Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances to allow renewal of the Home Improvement Contractor license based upon 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 Licenses Committee that the full Common Council should exercise its discretion to not renew the Home Improvement Contractor license held by Todd A. Schreiber based upon nonappearance.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of four (4) and one (1) excused recommends that the Home Improvement Contractor License be denied based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 16th day of March, 2016.



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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

Date: March 16, 2016

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Home Improvement Contractor License of John R. Tussler.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. John R. Tussler (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Home Improvement Contractor License in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expired at midnight, February 28, 2016.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on January 28, 2016.
3. Pursuant to Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. On January 28, 2016, the Milwaukee Police Department responded with a police report that could form a basis for non-renewal or suspension of said license.
4. On March 2, 2016 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee pursuant to the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances of the report of the Milwaukee Police Department and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the Police Department report on March 15, 2016, commencing at 1:15 p.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee did not appear and he was not represented by counsel.
5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
 - A. A notice of the hearing as well as a copy of the police report was sent to John R. Tussler, 1576 Green Bay Road, Kenosha, Wisconsin 53144 on March 2, 2016 by U.S. prepaid first-class mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division. The address of 1576 Green Bay Road, Kenosha, Wisconsin 53144 is the address given by the Licensee on his application. The envelope was not returned to the License Division by the United States Postal Service. The Licensee failed to appear at the hearing on March 15, 2016.




CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based on the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the Licensee, John R. Tussler has not met the criteria of Chapter 95 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances to allow renewal of the Home Improvement Contractor license based upon 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 Licenses Committee that the full Common Council should exercise its discretion to not renew the Home Improvement Contractor license held by John R. Tussler based upon nonappearance.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of four (4) and one (1) excused recommends that the Home Improvement Contractor License be denied based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 16th day of March, 2016.


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Chairman Licenses Committee