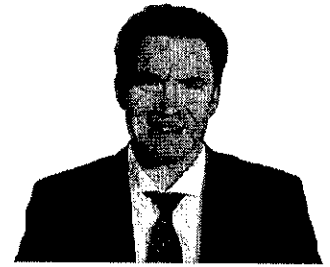
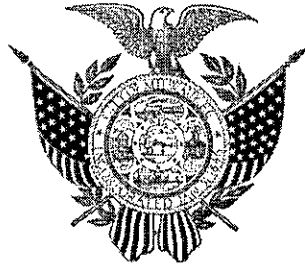


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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

February 17, 2016

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Honorable Members:

Common Council File Number 151310 contains the following recommendations:

Renewal, with a ten (10) day suspension, based upon the police report and neighborhood, applicant, and aldermanic testimony, of the Class B Tavern, Food Dealer's and Public Entertainment Premises license(s) for James Robinson Jr for the premises located at 4323 N 60th St ("Genes Supper Club") in the 2nd aldermanic district.

Nonrenewal, based upon nonappearance of the Class D Operator's license for Brant Thundercloud.

Respectfully,

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Tony Zielinski, Chair
Licenses Committee

cc: All Council Members
File 151310



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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

Date: February 17, 2016

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: Licenses Committee

Re: Report on the Renewal Application of the Class "B" Tavern, Food Dealer's and Public Entertainment Premises licenses with request to lower Age Restriction from 30+ to 25+ of James T. Robinson, Jr. for the premises located at 4323 North 60th Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Genes Supper Club")

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. James T. Robinson, Jr. (hereinafter "the Licensee"), is the holder of a Class "B" Tavern, Food Dealer's and Public Entertainment Premises licenses for the premises located at 4323 North 60th Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Genes Supper Club"). Said license expires at midnight on March 2, 2016.
2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on December 10, 2015.
3. On February 5, 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 police report and neighborhood objections to the renewal of the license. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the Milwaukee Police Department report and neighborhood objections on February 15, 2016, commencing at 9:30 a.m. in Room 301B of the third floor of City Hall. At said date and place, the Licensee did appear and was not represented by counsel.
4. Based upon the testimony heard and evidence received, the Committee makes the following findings of fact:
 - A. The applicant stated he wants to lower the age restriction to get more business. He stated he has a good security team that walks the parking lot and asked neighbors to reach out to him regarding their concerns. He wants to run a safe establishment in the community.
 - B. Sherman Morton, 2nd District Legislative Assistant stated a community meeting was held about a year ago and the alderman is not in favor of lowering the age restriction due to neighborhood testimony.



- C. A.G. Powers, 6005 West Marion Street, stated there is a lot of noise, fights, gunfire, sex in the alley, and parking issues.
- D. Clara Robinson, 4318 North 61st Street, stated there was gunfire recently, littering and cars parked in the alley. She added she had a tenant move out because of the premises.
- E. Thelma Powers, 6005 West Marion Street, agreed with the previous speakers and stated during a fight someone broke her flower pots a few years ago.
- F. Lula Rodgers, 6029 West Marion Street, stated she watches the cars pull in the lot every Thursday night and leave shooting guns off. She added there is a lot of litter and debris from the premises and no outdoor security.
- G. James Rodgers, 6029 West Marion Street, stated he agrees with the previous speakers.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

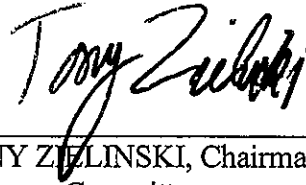
1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes and Chapters 90 and 108 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, James T. Robinson, Jr., 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, Food Dealer's and Public Entertainment Premises licenses for the premises located at 4323 North 60th Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Genes Supper Club"), without undergoing a ten (10) day suspension of said licenses. The Committee finds the police report and 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 renew the Class "B" Tavern, Food Dealer's and Public Entertainment Premises licenses of James T. Robinson, Jr., for the premises located at 4323 North 60th Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Genes Supper Club"), with a ten (10) day suspension based on the police report and neighborhood, aldermanic, and applicant testimony.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of three (3) ayes and two (2) noes recommends that the Class "B" Tavern, Food Dealer's and Public Entertainment Premises licenses of James T. Robinson, Jr. for the premises located at 4323 North 60th Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin ("Genes Supper Club") be renewed with ten (10) day suspension based upon the police report and testimony. The Committee denied the request to lower the Age Restriction from 30+ to 25+.

Said suspension will be in effect between 12:01 a.m. March 3, 2016 through to 11:59 p.m., March 12, 2016.

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

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TONY ZIELINSKI, Chairman
Licenses Committee

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TONY ZIELINSKI
ALDERMAN, 14TH DISTRICT

Date: February 17, 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 Brant E. Thundercloud

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Brant E. Thundercloud (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 February 2, 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 February 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 Brant E. Thundercloud, 2186 North 53rd Street, Milwaukee, WI 53208 on January 13, 2016 by U.S. prepaid first-class mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division. The address of 2186 North 53rd Street, Milwaukee, WI 53208 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 February 15, 2016 at 1:00 p.m.



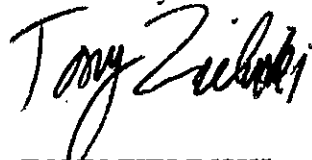
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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, Brant E. Thundercloud 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 Brant E. Thundercloud based upon nonappearance.

RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, recommends that the Class "D" Operator's License of Brant E. Thundercloud not be renewed based upon nonappearance.

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



TONY ZIELINSKI
Chairman Licenses Committee