



CITY OF MILWAUKEE  
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

Wednesday, December 16, 2020

COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE

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HUDSON, Patrick D, Agent  
Irie Palace LLC  
8762 N Granville Rd

Milwaukee, WI 53224

You are requested to attend a virtual hearing to be held on:

**Tuesday, January 05, 2021 at 01:50 PM**

**Regarding:** Your Class B Tavern, Food Dealer, and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications as agent for "Irie Palace LLC" for "Irie Palace" 8762 N Granville Rd.

This meeting will be held via GoToMeeting. Please see the enclosed best practices document for further instructions. The access code is <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/306018541>. If you wish to call in, please call +1 (408) 650-3123 and use Access Code: 306-018-541.

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. See attached police report or correspondence.

**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 attend this meeting may result in the denial of your license. Individual applicants and partnership applicants must attend or attend by an attorney. The agent or attorney for corporate or limited liability applicants must attend. 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 attend the virtual hearing and are 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 request an interpreter attend the meeting with you, at your expense, so that you can answer questions and participate in your hearing.

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

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

Jessica Celella  
License Division Manager

If you have questions regarding this meeting, please contact the staff assistant, Molly Kuether-Steele at (414) 286-2775 or [molly.kuether-steele@milwaukee.gov](mailto:molly.kuether-steele@milwaukee.gov).

# MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT LICENSING

## CRIMINAL RECORD/ORDINANCE VIOLATION/INCIDENTS SYNOPSIS

DATE: 10/12/2020

LICENSE TYPE: Class B Tavern

NEW:

RENEWAL:

No. 315457

Application Date: 10/09/2020

License Location: 8762 N Granville Rd

Business Name: Irie Palace LLC

Licensee/Applicant: HUDSON, Patrick D  
(Last Name, First Name, MI)

Date of Birth: 08/24/1966

Home Address: 4073 N 84<sup>th</sup> St

City: Milwaukee

State: WI Zip Code: 53222

Home Phone:

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

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

**1. The applicant has the following past due fines owed to Milwaukee Municipal Court:**

**18009183 Operate Motor Vehicle w/o Headlights \$86.20 due 04/06/2018**

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**2. On 07/24/2020 the applicant was charged in Milwaukee County with 4 counts of  
Manufacture/Deliver Schedule I,II Narcotics (Felony) and Manufacture/Deliver Heroin (Felony).**

Charge: Manufacture/Deliver Schedule I,II Narcotics  
2: Manufacture/Deliver Heroin  
3: Manufacture/Deliver Schedule I,II Narcotics  
4: Manufacture/Deliver Schedule I,II Narcotics  
5: Manufacture/Deliver Schedule I,II Narcotics  
Finding: pending Status Conference on 11/10/2020  
Sentence:  
Date:  
Case: 2020CF002524

**3. On 03/18/2020 officers conducted a license premise check at Irie Palace, 8762 N. Granville Rd, based on a complaint the business was open in violation of the Governor's emergency order. When the officers entered they observed multiple patrons inside the bar, some with**

empty food plates and drinks in glasses. The applicant was on scene and stated he saw the temporary restrictions on the news and was not serving alcohol. The applicant was advised of the current regulations requiring take out only.

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:200780105

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0298

## Incident

### 8762 N GRANVILLE RD Milwaukee, WISCONSIN 53224

Incident Date/Time:: 03/18/2020 17:27:42  
CAD Number:: 200781867  
District:: 4  
Beat:: 420  
Reporting Area:: 44

## Business Agent (1)

### HUDSON, PATRICK DONOVAN

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):  
DOB:: 08/24/1966  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-234-4135  
Phone 1 Type:: Cell  
Address:: 4073 N 84TH ST  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53222

## Licensed Persons Involved (1)

### RHODES, ROMIESHA MARIA

Person Involvement:: Manager  
DOB:: 08/27/1991  
Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN  
Phone 1 Type:: 2622711553  
Address:: 8236 W EGGERT PL  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53218

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### IRIE PALACE BAR AND GRILL

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-797-2848  
Phone 1 Type:: Cell  
Address:: 8762 N GRANVILLE RD  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53224  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes  
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 03/18/2020 06:30:00  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No

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Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): Yes

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

## Narrative (1)

### PREMISE CHECK

Stegerwald, Brett T 028815

03/18/2020

This report was submitted by PO Brett Stegerwald. I am currently assigned to District 4, Early Shift, Squad 4227 with PO Shane Doughty.

On 3/18/20, PO Doughty and I were asked by acting D4 Shift Commander Sgt. Federer, to conduct a License Premise Check at the address of 8762 N Granville Rd. A citizen called in stating that Irie Palace Bar and Grill has been open the last two nights, and is violating the state wide mandate due to the novel Covid-19 virus.

PO Doughty and I arrived on scene at approximately 6:24 pm. I immediately observed 8-10 vehicles parked in the parking lot to Irie Palace, and an "open" LED sign in the front window. I observed patrons to the business out back smoking cigarettes also.

Upon making entrance into the business, I observed multiple people inside the bar. I observed multiple people with drinks sitting in front of them. I observed two people playing billiards, whom also had drinks in a glass jar, along with empty plates, and it appeared they had just ate inside inside the Irie Palace.

Shortly after walking in, almost all of the patrons inside Irie Palace, left the bar. PO Doughty and I asked if the owner or manager of the bar was, and Patrick D Hudson (b/m,8/24/66) stated he was the manager. Hudson is also the business agent for Irie Palace.

PO Doughty spoke to Hudson about the state wide mandate, and provided him a copy of the rules and regulations that are put in place right now, due to the Covid-19 flu. PO Doughty advised Hudson that nobody should be in the bar, and that if they order food, it should be for take out only, and the customers, should only come in to pay, and pick up their food. PO Doughty advised Hudson that after the customers pay for their food, they should wait in their car for a short amount of time, and to only come back inside when the food is ready for pick up.

Hudson stated he was only advised by the news of the temporary "no dining in" restrictions. Hudson denied serving any alcohol since this state wide mandate was implemented. Hudson stated people were only drinking juice, water, and red bulls.

Hudson was advised that a continued failure to adhere by the state mandated rules, could potentially result in loss of his license, and a potential fine. I advised Hudson we would be continuously following

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up with bars/restaurants in the area to make sure they are following all temporary rules and regulations.

Hudson was extremely cooperative, and stated he would follow the rules from this point out. Hudson was provided a copy of the current food/restaurant regulations in place, and was advised to contact the district if he had any questions or concerns.

I spoke to the manager/bartender Romiesha M Rhodes (b/f,8/27/91) and also advised her of the currently regulations, and she also stated no alcohol has been being served. Rhodes was advised of the best way to serve customers the take out food, and limit how long people are inside of the Irie Palace. Rhodes Bartender License number is 0230803.

End of report.

## Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Stegerwald, Brett T (028815)	03/18/2020 18:38:00
Section: (Work Location):	42	
Approving Officer:	Raden, Chad M (010032)	03/19/2020 10:15:54
Section: (Work Location):	27	



Wednesday, December 16, 2020



# Notice of Public Hearing

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HUDSON, Patrick D, Agent  
Irie Palace at 8762 N Granville Rd  
Class B Tavern, Food Dealer, and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications

**Tuesday, January 5, 2021 at 1:50 PM**

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 virtually on 1/5/2021 at 1:50 PM. 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 will be asked to do so by phone or internet and are asked to contact the staff assistant, Molly Kuether-Steele at (414) 286-2775 or [molly.kuether-steele@milwaukee.gov](mailto:molly.kuether-steele@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 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 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	8762 N GRANVILLE RD	MILWAUKEE, WI 53224
CURRENT OCCUPANT	8741 N GRANVILLE RD	MILWAUKEE, WI 53224
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Total Records: 2

Radius: 250.0 feet and Center of Circle: 8762 N Granville Rd



## 2020-2021 Plan of Operation for 8762 N GRANVILLE RD

<b>1. Litter &amp; Security Plans</b>			
How are the grounds kept clean? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sweep <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pressure Wash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Litter <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
How often will grounds be cleaned? <input type="checkbox"/> Daily <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Who cleans the grounds? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Licensee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Employees <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hired Maintenance <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
How are noise issues prevented and/or addressed? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Security <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Manager approaches customer(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Call Police <input type="checkbox"/> Signs Posted <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Are there designated outdoor smoking areas? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe: <i>A location outside at least 10ft from door</i>			
Number of garbage cans: Inside _____ Locations: _____ Outside <i>2</i> Locations: <i>South side of parking lot 1 large 1 small</i>			
Is a crowd control barrier used? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe:			
Number of restrooms: <i>2</i>		Name of solid waste contractor: <i>EAGLE DISPOSAL</i>	
Are there parking spaces on the premises? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list number of spaces: <i>80</i> and describe security plans:			
Are there designated loading areas? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, describe security plans: <i>Security cameras and each entrance and inside the building</i>			
Do you have security personnel on the premise? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, how many? _____			
AND What are their responsibilities? _____			
What security equipment do they use? _____			
List their licensing, certification or training credentials: _____			
Are there security cameras? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list all locations: <i>At each entrance, inside building,</i>			
Are searches and/or identification checks conducted upon entry? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, describe: <i>To verify age and identify</i>			
<b>2. Percentage of Sales (must total 100%)</b>			
Alcohol <i>47</i> %	Food Sales <i>53</i> %	Entertainment _____ %	Other _____ %
<b>3. Businesses On The Premises (choose all that apply):</b>			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restaurant	<input type="checkbox"/> Cafe/Coffee Shop	<input type="checkbox"/> Cocktail Lounge	<input type="checkbox"/> Convenience Store
<input type="checkbox"/> Hotel	<input type="checkbox"/> Banquet Hall	<input type="checkbox"/> Supermarket	<input type="checkbox"/> Private/Fraternal/Veterans' Club
<input type="checkbox"/> Night Club	<input type="checkbox"/> Liquor Store	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tavern	<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Facility
<input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
<b>4. Hours of Operation and Age Restriction</b>			
Are there any changes to the current hours of operation or age restriction? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> 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, Brewers Opening Day, etc.) during the license period, this must be reported and printed on your license. Your hours of operation and age restriction are listed on your current license.			
<b>5. Floor Plan and Capacity</b>			
Are you requesting any changes to your capacity or floor plan*? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, describe: _____ and submit a new floor plan with this renewal application. A sample plan can be found online at <a href="http://www.milwaukee.gov/licenses">www.milwaukee.gov/licenses</a> 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.			
<b>6. Sidewalk Dining: Fee:</b>			
Are there any changes to the sidewalk dining site plan? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, submit an updated site plan with this application.			
<b>7. Food License: FREST 13719 Fee: \$800.00</b>		<b>8. Weights and Measures: Fee:</b>	
Your current food license includes the following food operations: DHS - MODERATE, Sales \$20,001 - \$200,000, Tavern Restaurant Are there any changes to your food operations as listed above? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, If Yes, explain _____		Number/Type of Devices: Are there any changes to the number or types of devices? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, contact our office for further instructions.	

**1. CURRENT APPROVED ENTERTAINMENT**

The following types of entertainment have been approved for your current Public Entertainment Premises license:

Amusement Machines, Karaoke, Pool Tables, Patrons Dancing, Instrumental Musicians, Bands, Dart Board, 2 Pool Table, 5 Amusement Machines

**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.**

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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? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____   |  |  |   |

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:

**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.

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