



**CITY OF MILWAUKEE  
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK**

Thursday, September 15, 2022


**COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE**

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GOMEZ-ORTIZ, Francisco, Agent  
CANTARITOS BAR, LLC  
1566 S Muskego Av  
MILWAUKEE, WI 53204

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

**Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at 02:35 PM**

**Regarding:** Your Class B Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications as agent for "CANTARITOS BAR, LLC" for "Passion Nightclub" at 1566-15  MUSKEGO Av.

This meeting will be held via GoToMeeting. Please see the enclosed best practices document for further instructions. The access code is <https://meet.goto.com/953593573>. If you wish to call in, please call [+1 \(872\) 240-3412](tel:+18722403412) and use Access Code: 953-593-573.

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: \_\_\_\_\_

**Jim Cooney**  
License Division Manager

**If you have questions regarding this meeting, please contact the staff assistant, Yadira Melendez at (414) 286-2775 or [stas5@milwaukee.gov](mailto:stas5@milwaukee.gov)**



Thursday, September 15, 2022



# Notice of Public Hearing

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GOMEZ-ORTIZ, Francisco  
Passion Nightclub at 1566-1570 S MUSKEGO Av.  
Class B Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications

**Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at 02:35 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 09/27/2022 at 02:35 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, 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 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	1528 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2646
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1530 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2646
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1532 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2646
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1532A S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2646
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1538 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2646
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1540 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2648
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1543 S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2725
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1548 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2648
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1549 S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2725
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1554 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2648
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	1560 S UNION ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2648
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	1587 S PEARL ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2730
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1587A S PEARL ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2730
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	1598 S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2726
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1599 S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-2727
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1600 S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3144
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1602 S PEARL ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3147
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1602A S PEARL ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3147

CURRENT OCCUPANT	1603 S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3145
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1603 S PEARL ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3148
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1603A S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3145
CURRENT OCCUPANT	1604 S MUSKEGO AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3144
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CURRENT OCCUPANT	1737 W ARROW ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53204-3137

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Total Records: 79

Radius 250.0 feet and Center of Circle: 1566 S Muskego St

# MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

## LICENSING

### CRIMINAL RECORD/ORDINANCE VIOLATION/INCIDENTS SYNOPSIS

**DATE:** 09/08/22

**LICENSE TYPE:** BTAVN

**NEW:** ☐

**RENEWAL:** ☒

**No. 342202**

**Application Date:** 09/07/22

**License Location:** 1566 S Muskego Avenue

**Business Name:** Cantaritos Bar, LLC

**Licensee/Applicant:** Gomez-Ortiz, Francisco  
(Last Name, First Name, MI)

**Date of Birth:** 06/21/71

**Home Address:** 1566 S. Muskego Avenue #4

**City:** Milwaukee

**State:** WI **Zip Code:** 53204

**Home Phone:** 414-324-5976

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

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

1. On 12/08/11 at 5:42 pm, Milwaukee police were dispatched to 1566 S Muskego Avenue for a Battery complaint. Officers spoke to the owner of the tavern who was the victim, Francisco Gomez-Ortiz who stated he was walking outside of his tavern and was approached by four unknown subjects. These subjects stated "Fuck You Mexican" and Gomez-Ortiz responded, "What are you talking about?". Gomez-Ortiz stated he feared for his safety and turned to knock on the bar window to get the attention of people inside the bar when one of the subjects hit Gomez-Ortiz on his right shoulder and back. Gomez-Ortiz was able to get inside the bar and was able to detain the subject who hit him until police arrived.
2. On 03/04/12 at 8:11 pm, Milwaukee police were dispatched to 1566 S Muskego for a Battery complaint. Upon police arrival, officers were advised that all parties involved had left, however one subject was pointed out walking northbound down Muskego. Officers caught up with the subject and observed the male to have a swollen eye and small cut above his right eye. The subject was intoxicated and refused medical attention. The subject stated to police that an unknown male hit him for no reason. The subject was uncooperative with police and did not want to press charges. Officers returned to the bar and spoke with the bar owner, Francisco Gomez-Ortiz who stated two patrons were arguing and he asked them to leave. Gomez-Ortiz further stated both parties stepped outside and that neither returned.

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3. On 03/24/13 at 12:05 am, Milwaukee police were dispatched to 1566 S Muskego Avenue for a Property Damage complaint. Police spoke with Francisco Gomez-Ortiz who stated at approximately 11:45 pm, his security escorted a patron out of the bar due to his intoxication/disruptive behavior. A few minutes later, witnesses observed that same patron throw a brick through several vehicles that were parked in front of the bar. Security went outside and restrained the subject until police arrived. The subject was cited.
4. On 05/06/13 at 1:00 am, Milwaukee police investigated a Battery that occurred outside of the El Cantarito Bar. Investigation revealed a patron of the bar sustained a cut to his head due to a fight that took place outside of the bar. An argument started inside the bar between two parties and continued outside with argument becoming physical. Video surveillance did capture some of the incident, however, did not capture how the victim sustained his injury. Police spoke with the licensee, Francisco Gomez-Ortiz, who was present during the incident.

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5. On 02/15/2014 Milwaukee police were dispatched to 1566 South Muskego Avenue (Cantarito's Bar). A security guard at the business told police that a subject had pointed a handgun at him while inside the business. Investigation revealed it was a bb gun. Milwaukee police incident report #140460128 filed.

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6. On 07/01/2014 Milwaukee police were dispatched to an armed robbery complaint at Cantaritos Bar (1566 South Muskego Avenue). Investigation revealed that a bartender and a security guard from the business were robbed at gunpoint while standing in the front entrance of the bar. One of the suspects was identified by the victims and was later arrested. The suspect during a mirandized interview stated he went to the bar because he knew of a security guard that sold cocaine at the location. The security guard was identified by the suspect as Gustavo TORRES. The suspect stated that when he was exchanging money with the security guard for drugs, two subjects approached them and robbed them at gunpoint. Milwaukee police incident report #141820003 filed.

7. On 08/17/2014 Milwaukee police were dispatched to a shooting at 1726 West Arrow Street. Investigation revealed the victim had been a patron at Cantaros Tavern (1566 South Muskego Avenue) earlier and had gone outside of the bar to help a friend of his that was being beaten. The victim was shot while intervening. The establishment was cooperative and provided video of the incident. Milwaukee police incident report #142290002 filed.
8. On 10/06/2014, at 8:22pm, Milwaukee police were dispatched to 1566 South Muskego Avenue to determine if the business was the scene of a battery/cutting that was being investigated at St. Luke's hospital. The bartender who started her shift at 4pm, stated during her shift an altercation occurred at the business between several men. During the altercation one individual was struck with a bottle. She was able to break up the fight and the individuals left the bar. Milwaukee police incident report #142790169 filed.
9. On 11/01/2014 Milwaukee police were dispatched to a subject with a weapon complaint at 1566 West Muskego Avenue. Investigation revealed a security guard was struck in the back of the head with a glass bottle, resulting in an injury that required stitches. Milwaukee police incident report #143050149 filed.

10. On 12/28/2014 Milwaukee police conducted a licensed premise check at 1566 South Muskego Avenue (Cantaritos Bar) to determine if the business had implemented improvements previously expressed to Officer Vodicka during a meeting on 10/21/2014. During this check, officers did not observe metal detectors being used. Additionally, officers did not observe any signs indicating that weapons were not allowed, that loitering was not allowed and that the premise was under 24 hour surveillance. The officer was approached by a security guard named "Jason" who told him that the applicant would bend the rules allowing patrons into the bar without identification, that he would not enforce the dress code for certain patrons, and that he allowed under age people into the bar. Officers did not observe any violations.

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11. On 04/14/2015 the applicant was cited at 1566 South Muskego Avenue in the city of Milwaukee for Building Code Violations.

Charge: Building Code Violations  
Finding: Guilty  
Sentence: \$200.00 fine  
Date: 07/19/2016  
Case: 16018803

12. On 10/25/2015 Milwaukee police responded to a fight complaint at 1570 South Muskego Avenue (Cantaritos Bar). Investigation revealed some patrons of the business were arguing and fighting inside the business, so the applicant told them to leave. Once outside the business, the fight escalated and the business's security was unable to handle the situation on its own. All of the involved parties were gone when officers arrived.

13. On 11/15/2015 Milwaukee police responded to a fight/disorderly patron at 1570 South Muskego Avenue (Passion Bar). Investigation revealed an intoxicated female patron became disorderly and was assisted from the business by security. During this encounter, officers observed no violations.

14. On 02/02/2016 Milwaukee police conducted a licensed premise check at 1570 South Muskego Avenue (Passion Night Club). During this check, it was discovered the bartender, Juana Sabino Hilario, did not possess a valid class D operator's license and there was no one on the premises that did possess a valid class D operator's license or a class B manager's license. Also during this check, a police sergeant discovered a cut plastic bag containing a white powdery substance in a trash can. This substance later tested positive for cocaine. The applicant was cited.

Charge: Responsible Person on Premises  
Finding: Guilty  
Sentence: \$170.00 fine  
Date: 06/28/2016  
Case: 16009489

15. On 03/07/2016 the applicant, along with a translator and the applicant's attorney, met with Milwaukee police at Milwaukee police district #2. During this meeting, the applicant stated he does not sell drugs inside the business and he has had issues with the security company he hired. Officers advised the applicant to call police if he observed any drugs or drug dealing in the business and that he should enroll in Respect 21.

16. On 04/11/2016 Milwaukee police responded to an armed robbery complaint at 1556 South Muskego Avenue. The victim, Jesus Reyes-Herrera, told officers he had been at the bar the previous evening until bar close. While inside the business, Reyes-Herrera engaged in conversation with an unknown male. When he left the bar around 2:20am, this unknown male followed Reyes-Herrera to his vehicle and got into the vehicle with him. After about ten more minutes of conversation, this unknown male grabbed a 14 gold necklace from Reyes-Herrera and fled on foot. Milwaukee police incident report #161020126 filed.

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17. On 01/28/2017 at 11:56pm officers responded to a battery cutting call at 1558 S Muskego Av. The officers spoke with Cory BOYE at Passion Night Club in an attempt to locate the victim. He stated there was an argument inside that led to a fight outside. The officers located a victim at 1723 W. Arrow St. The victim had a 5-6" laceration to his face and was treated at Froedtert Hospital. The applicant was cooperative with the investigation and assisted in obtaining the video of the incident.

18. On 02/20/2017 at 1:47am officers investigated a shots fired at 1733 W. Arrow St. The officers observed exterior cameras on Cantaritos Bar. The applicant was cooperative and allowed the officers to view the surveillance video.

19. On 06/11/2017 at 11:17pm officers responded to a fight at 1570 S. Muskego Av. A Female patron got into a fight with another customer. The patron refused to leave when asked and was pepper sprayed by security when she became physically disruptive. The officer escorted her out and told her not to return.

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20. On 05/31/2019 officers investigated an Armed Robbery that the victim stated occurred outside of Cantaritos, 1566 S Muskego Av. The victim stated he was inside Cantaritos until 1:30am. He went outside and was attacked with a baseball bat by several subjects who pulled up in a car. The subjects hit him with the bat and took his wallet. The officer checked the video at Cantaritos and did not observe the victim on the interior cameras because the recording was of poor quality. The exterior cameras did not record and could only be viewed live. The applicant was on scene and cooperative.

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21. On 11/28/20 at 3:15am, Milwaukee Police were dispatched to 1566 S. Muskego Avenue for a subject with weapon complaint. Investigation revealed that a subject, who was kicked out of the establishment earlier for causing a disturbance, re-entered through an unsecured backdoor with a baseball bat. The subject began breaking exterior glass windows and when the applicant and another person tried to stop him, he stuck them both with the bat causing the applicant to lose consciousness. The subject was subdued until police arrived and they arrested the subject.

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22. On 02/05/22 at 11:56pm, Milwaukee Police were dispatched 1566 S. Muskego Avenue for a double shooting complaint. Upon officer's arrival, they observed patrons exiting the front door but when they attempted to gain entry, the door was locked. After a short period of time knocking on the door, a staff member let police in and they were able to locate two shooting victims inside the establishment. The applicant was cooperative, but he was unable to show police surveillance footage of the incident because he did not know the password to the system. The applicant let police acquire the hard drive to the system to extract the camera footage of the incident.
23. On 02/06/21 at 8:08pm, Milwaukee Police were dispatched to 1566 S. Muskego Avenue for a battery complaint. Investigation revealed that the person at the door checking identification for patrons, shoved and punched a patron. The doorman was cited.

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:220370002

OtherEvent #: 22-LP-0168

## Incident

### 1566 S MUSKEGO AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53204

Incident Date/Time:: 02/05/2022 23:56:00  
CAD Number:: 220361644  
District:: 2  
Beat:: 224  
Reporting Area:: 5514

## Business Agent (1)

### GOMEZ-ORTIZ, FRANCISCO

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent  
AGENT from drop down):  
DOB:: 06/21/1971  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: WHITE  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-324-5976  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 2264 S LAYTON BL  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53215

## Licensed Persons Involved (5)

### LOPEZ, CELSA

Person Involvement:: Bartender  
DOB:: 04/07/1977  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: WHITE  
Phone 1 Number:: 4143334287  
Phone 1 Type:: CELL  
Address:: 3129 W GREENFIELD AV  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53215

### MARQUEZ-FARIAS, LUCINDA

Person Involvement:: Bartender  
DOB:: 06/08/1972  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: WHITE  
Phone 1 Number:: 4149151116  
Phone 1 Type:: CELL  
Address:: 1564 W WALKER ST  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53204

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:220370002

OtherEvent #: 22-LP-0168

## SANCHEZ-RUFINO, JULIO CESAR

Person Involvement:: Employee  
DOB:: 11/27/1972  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: H  
Phone 1 Number:: 4142298109  
Phone 1 Type:: CELL  
Address:: 908 W WALKER ST  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53204

## NAVARRO-GONZALEZ, ARTURO

Person Involvement:: Bartender  
DOB:: 12/28/1966  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: WHITE  
Phone 1 Number:: 4144008367  
Phone 1 Type:: cell  
Address:: 2102 W ORCHARD ST  
City:: Milwaukee  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53204

## LUNA, YOLANDA

Person Involvement:: Employee  
DOB:: 01/29/1973  
Sex:: FEMALE  
Race:: WHITE  
Phone 1 Number:: 9568155704  
Phone 1 Type:: CELL  
Address:: 1979 S 12TH ST  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53204

### Licensed Premise Data (1)

#### CANTARITOS BAR

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-324-5976  
Phone 1 Type:: Phone  
Address:: 1566 S MUSKEGO AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53204  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:220370002

OtherEvent #: 22-LP-0168

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)

### TAVERN REPORT

Powell, Antwan D 029455

02/06/2022

This report is being written by Police Officer Antwan POWELL assigned to District Two, Late Power, Squad 2488 partnered with Officer Quentin ARNOLD. Officer ARNOLD and I were both equipped with body worn cameras which captured the incident.

Officer ARNOLD and I were dispatched to 1566 S. Muskego Avenue in the City and County of Milwaukee, WISCONSIN regarding a double shooting at CANTARITOS Bar. Upon arrival we observed the patrons of the tavern exiting the front door and, when we attempted entry into the bar through the main door we were unable to do so because it was locked. After a short period of time of announcing it was the Milwaukee Police Department a staff member unlocked and opened the door for our entry.

Upon entering the tavern we located the shooting victims (Felipe ECHEVERRIA-HABAN M/W 05-04-1979 and Giovanni O. ORTIZ-RAMOES M/W 06-15-1990). Once the Milwaukee Fire Department assumed life saving measures we located casings on the floor along with bone fragments.

When GOMEZ-ORTIZ, FRANCISCO was asked questions regarding the shooting he was cooperative. GOMEZ-ORTIZ was unable to provide the passcode for the security cameras regarding the shooting incident. GOMEZ-ORTIZ stated that the subject who installed the cameras for his tavern never sent over the password for the camera system and, he was unable to contact him to gain access. GOMEZ-ORTIZ stated that the Police Department can acquire the hard drive and extract the camera footage regarding. Giovanni O. ORTIZ-RAMOES at the time was the bar's security.

## Officer (3)

Reporting Officer:	Powell, Antwan D (029455)	02/06/2022 02:20:00
Section: (Work Location):	23	
Approving Officer:	Velasquez, Guadalupe (018673)	02/08/2022 15:12:41
Section: (Work Location):	04	
Approving Officer:	Velasquez, Guadalupe (018673)	02/08/2022 15:12:58
Section: (Work Location):	04	

# Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:220370063

OtherEvent #: 22-LP-0160

## Incident

### 1566 S MUSKEGO AV MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53204

Incident Date/Time:: 02/06/2022 08:00:00  
CAD Number:: 220370442  
District:: 2  
Beat:: 224  
Reporting Area:: 5514

## Business Agent (1)

### GOMEZ-ORTIZ, FRANCISCO

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent (License Holder)  
AGENT from drop down):  
DOB:: 08/21/1971  
Sex:: MALE  
Race:: WHITE  
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-324-5976  
Phone 1 Type:: Cell  
Address:: 2264 S LAYTON BL  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53215

## Licensed Premise Data (1)

### CANTARITO'S

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-324-5976  
Phone 1 Type:: Cell  
Address:: 1566 S MUSKEGO AV  
City:: MILWAUKEE  
State:: WISCONSIN  
Zip Code:: 53204  
License Type:: Alcohol  
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes  
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 02/06/2022 08:30:00  
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No  
Citation Number: (Additional Citations List in Narrative): J981NFKD7G  
Violation/Ordinance Number:: 105-2  
Licensee was cooperative: (if not explain in narrative): Yes  
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: Yes

## Narrative (1)

### LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Iverson, Scott T 011322

02/06/2022

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THIS REPORT WAS WRITTEN BY P.O. SCOTT IVERSON, DISTRICT TWO, DAY SHIFT.

ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH, 2021, AT 8:08AM, WE (SQUAD 2140, P.O. SCOTT IVERSON / P.O. CHRISTOPHER OTTAWAY) WERE DISPATCHED TO A BATTERY AT 1566 S. MUSKEGO AV. THERE, WE SPOKE WITH THE VICTIM, LETICIA REYES-ORTIZ (FEMALE / WHITE, D.O.B. 04/11/1977). REYES-ORTIZ STATED THAT SHE HAD COME TO THE BAR, CANTARITO'S, AND WAS BEHIND ANOTHER PATRON WHO WAS ATTEMPTING TO GET INTO THE BAR, BUT WAS SLOW TO GET HIS ID OUT. REYES-ORTIZ STATED THAT THE DOORMAN FOR THE BAR WHO WAS CHECKING ID CARDS SHOVED THE OTHER PATRON DIRECTLY BACK INTO HER CAUSING THE PATRON'S HEAD TO STRIKE HER FACE, CAUSING PAIN. REYES-ORTIZ STATED THAT THE DOORMAN THEN STARTED TO PUNCH THE PATRON, BUT PUNCHED HER IN THE LEFT EYE CAUSING PAIN, SWELLING, AND BRUISING THAT WAS VISIBLY NOTICEABLE. REYES-ORTIZ POINTED OUT THE DOORMAN WHO HAD PUNCHED HER. HE WAS IDENTIFIED AS MAURILIO HERNANDEZ (MALE / WHITE, D.O.B 05/08/1976).

THERE, I ALSO SPOKE TO ISRAEL NORIEGA-RODRIGUEZ (MALE / WHITE, D.O.B 05/12/1997). NORIEGA-RODRIGUEZ STATED THAT HE WAS TRYING TO GET INTO THE BAR AND WAS SHOVED BY HERNANDEZ CAUSING HIM TO HIT HIS HEAD AGAINST REYES-ORTIZ' HEAD, CAUSING PAIN. NORIEGA-RODRIGUEZ STATED THAT HERNANDEZ ALSO PUNCHED HIM ON THE LEFT CHEEK/EYE CAUSING PAIN, WITHOUT CONSENT. BOTH NORIEGA-RODRIGUEZ AND REYES ORTIZ WERE TAKEN FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT BY BELL 430.

WE THEN SPOKE TO HERNANDEZ WHO STATED THAT HE HELPS OUT AT THE BAR AND THAT HE DID PUSH NORIEGA-RODRIGUEZ, BUT DID NOT PUNCH ANYONE.

THE OWNER, FRANCISCO GOMEZ-ORTIZ (MALE / WHITE, D.O.B. 08/21/1971) STATED THAT THE VIDEO SYSTEM HAD BEEN TAKEN BY THE POLICE LAST NIGHT DUE TO A SHOOTING THAT HAD OCCURRED THERE. GOMEZ-ORTIZ STATED THAT HERNANDEZ IS A CUSTOMER THAT SOMETIMES HELPS OUT AROUND THE BAR.

HERNANDEZ WAS CITED ON SCENE FOR "ASSAULT AND BATTERY" AND RELEASED.

## Officer (3)

Reporting Officer:	Iverson, Scott T (011322)	02/06/2022 09:51:00
Section: (Work Location):	21	
Approving Officer:	Gawin, Rochelle A (011316)	02/08/2022 12:53:21
Section: (Work Location):	21	
Approving Officer:	Velasquez, Guadalupe (018673)	02/08/2022 15:41:11
Section: (Work Location):	04	

# 2022-2023 Plan of Operation for 1566-1570 S MUSKEGO AV

<b>1. Litter &amp; Security Plans</b>			
How are the grounds kept clean? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sweep <input type="checkbox"/> Pressure Wash <input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Litter <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
How often will grounds be cleaned? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Daily <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Who cleans the grounds? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Licensee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Employees <input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Call Police <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Signs Posted <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Are there designated outdoor smoking areas? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe:			
Number of garbage cans: Inside <u>3</u> Locations: <u>Bar Area - Restrooms</u> Outside <u>1</u> Locations: <u>Rear Building</u>			
Is a crowd control barrier used? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe:			
Number of restrooms: <u>2</u>		Name of solid waste contractor: <u>Waste Management</u>	
Are there parking spaces on the premises? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list number of spaces: _____ and describe security plans:			
Are there designated loading areas? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, describe security plans:			
Do you have security personnel on the premise? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, how many? <u>2</u> AND What are their responsibilities? <u>Check ID's Age Restrictions</u> What security equipment do they use? <u>Armed Security</u> List their licensing, certification or training credentials: <u>State Licensed</u>			
Are there security cameras? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list all locations: <u>Interior and exterior of Bar</u>			
Are searches and/or identification checks conducted upon entry? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, describe: <u>Pat down and ID Check by Security Guards</u>			
<b>2. Percentage of Sales (must total 100%)</b>			
Alcohol <u>100</u> %	Food Sales _____ %	Entertainment _____ %	Other _____ %
<b>3. Businesses On The Premises (choose all that apply):</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Restaurant <input type="checkbox"/> Cafe/Coffee Shop <input type="checkbox"/> Cocktail Lounge <input type="checkbox"/> Convenience Store <input type="checkbox"/> Night Club <input type="checkbox"/> Liquor Store <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tavern <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel <input type="checkbox"/> Banquet Hall <input type="checkbox"/> Supermarket <input type="checkbox"/> Private/Fraternal/Veterans' Club <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: Fee:</b>		<b>8. Weights and Measures: Fee:</b>	
Your current food license includes the following food operations: Are there any changes to your food operations as listed above? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, If Yes, explain <u>N/A</u>		Number/Type of Devices: <u>N/A</u> 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 for Passion Nightclub 1566-1570 S MUSKEGO AV**

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

Disc Jockey, Jukebox, Karaoke, Patrons Dancing, 5 Amusement Machines, 3 Pool Tables

**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.**

☐ Instrumental Musicians

☐ Bands

☐ Battle of the Bands

☐ Comedy Acts

☐ Disc Jockey

☐ Magic Shows

☐ Poetry Readings

☐ Dancing by Performers

☐ Jukebox

☐ Wrestling

☐ Patron Contests

☐ Patrons Dancing

☐ Adult Entertainment/  
Strippers/Erotic Dance

☐ Karaoke

☐ Bowling Alley

☐ Pool Tables

☐ Motion Pictures (movies by admission)  
How many screens? \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Amusement Machines  
How many? \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Concerts

Approx. # per year? \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Theatrical Performances  
Approx. # per year? \_\_\_\_\_

☐ 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.

Francisco Gomez

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