



CITY OF MILWAUKEE
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

Thursday, February 01, 2024

COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE

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HEBL, Benjamin A, Agent
Pourman's LLC
1127 N Water St
Milwaukee, WI 53202

You are requested to attend a hearing which is to be held in Room 301-B, Third Floor, City Hall or you may attend virtually using the link below.

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at 02:10 PM

The access code is <https://meet.goto.com/366065821>. If you wish to call in: **+1 (872) 240-3212** and use Access Code: **366-065-821**
Please see the enclosed best practices document for further instructions.

Regarding: Your Class B Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications as agent for
"Pourman's LLC" for "Pourman's" at 1127 N Water St.

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. It is the intention of the Common Council to suspend or non-renew the licenses if objectors provide testimony related to the factors enumerated in MCO 85-4-4 that the Common Council finds to be true by a preponderance of the evidence and/or police reports are found to be true by a preponderance of the evidence. The police reports and other attached documents relating to objections to the license are a part of this notice and expressly incorporated in this notice. The licensee should be prepared to address these matters at the hearing.

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 appear at this meeting may result in the denial of your license. Individual applicants must appear only in person or by an attorney. Corporate or Limited Liability applicants must appear only by the agent designated on the application or by an attorney. Partnership applicants must appear by a partner listed on the application or by an attorney. 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 are present at the committee hearing and 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 bring an interpreter with you, at your expense, so that you can answer questions and participate in your hearing.

You may examine the application file at this office during regular business hours prior to the hearing date. Inquiries regarding this matter may be directed to the person whose signature appears below.

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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 notice, please contact the License Division at (414) 286-2238.

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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

LICENSING

CRIMINAL RECORD/ORDINANCE VIOLATION/INCIDENTS SYNOPSIS

DATE: 1/11/24
LICENSE TYPE: Class B Tavern
NEW: ☐
RENEWAL: ☒

No. 360306
Application Date:

License Location: 1127 N Water St
Business Name: Pourman's

Licensee/Applicant: HEBL, Benjamin A
(Last Name, First Name, MI)

Date of Birth: 10/25/1983

Home Address: 1127 N Water St
City: Milwaukee
Home Phone: 414-216-4316

State: WI Zip Code: 53202

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

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

1. On 05/03/2014 Officers conducted underage tavern enforcement. At 11:13pm an underage Police Aid gained access to Pourman's at 1127 N. Water St. through the front door. The Police Aid then ordered, paid for and obtained a Miller Lite from the bartender without being asked for ID to verify her age.

Charge: Allow Underage on Premises
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: Fined \$200.00
Date: 07/02/2014
Case: 14041914

2. On 07/27/2014 at 1:50am officers conducted a tavern check at Pourman's, 1127 N. Water St. The officer asked the employee at the door stated there were about 60-65 patron in the bar but did not have a counting device. The officer conducted a count of patrons and upon reaching 100 called for a supervisor. The supervisors responded and closed the bar by controlling the exits. The patrons were videotaped and counted as they left. The total was 119 patrons. The business has a total capacity of 79.

Charge: Licensed Estab-Exceeding Occupy Limit
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: Fined \$10,000
Date: 09/24/2014
Case: 14057306

3. On 08/19/2014 the applicant had a meeting with Asst. City Attorney Nick DeSiato, Sgt. RADEN, and Capt. THIELE. The applicant stated he has added more security on Saturday nights and they would have a clicker for counting people as they entered. He has roped off an area in front of the bar in order to keep an orderly line and separate the people waiting to get in the bar from people loitering on the sidewalk. The applicant stated he will also look into more cameras. The applicant was advised to contact Code RED officers if he was having issues he could not control with his personnel. ACA DeSiato went over concerns regarding the overcapacity issue and stated his recommendation for the citation to be reduced.

4. On 02/03/2015 Milwaukee police responded to a battery complaint at 1127 North Water Street (Pourman's tavern). Investigation revealed a subject, that appeared intoxicated when he entered the business, was asked to leave. This patron refused and was ultimately escorted out of the establishment by the applicant and another patron. During this incident, the intoxicated patron fell to the ground injuring his shoulder. This patron was cited for disorderly conduct and trespassing.
5. On 08/07/2015 a 20 year old Milwaukee police aide, working in conjunction with Milwaukee police, was able to enter Pourmans tavern (1127 North Water Street) unchallenged. Once inside, the police aide was able to purchase a Corona beer from the bartender.

6. On 03/30/2017 officers conducted underage tavern enforcement in District 1. An underage Police Aid attempted to gain entry to Pourman's, 1127 N. Water St. The Police Aid was able to enter because there was no security at the door. The Police aid order and was served \$10.00 worth of alcoholic beverages from the bar.

Charge 1: Sale of Alcohol to Underaged Person
2: Presence of Minor at Licensed Premise
Finding: Guilty both charges
Sentence 1: Fined \$181.00
2: Fined \$384.00
Date: 0811/2017
Case 1: 17029226
2: 17032549

7. On 11/29/2018 officers conducted underage tavern enforcement in District 1 at Pourman's, 1127 N. Water St. The bar passed the check.
8. On 10/06/2019 at 2:02am officers were flagged down for a fight at Pourman's, 1127 N. Water St. The officers observed several people leaving the area but no one would speak with the officers. The officers spoke with the manager of Pourman's, who stated there was a fight on

the patio by the DJ booth. He stated security was able to break up the fight and get everyone out of the tavern. The manager was cooperative with the officers and stated the officers could check back later in the week to see if there was video of the fight.

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9. On 07/23/2020 at 11:30pm an officer observed the front door to Pouman's, 1127 N. Water St., propped open. The officer stated the open door caused the music to be very loud outside. the officer advised security the door must be closed at 10pm. The applicant approached officers to ask why the door should be closed. The applicant was also advised the door needed to be closed at 10pm. About 20 minutes later the applicant approached the officers and asked if the rule was new because other bars in the area had their doors open. The applicant was advised it was a city ordinance that required the doors be closed at 10pm. The officer then provided a copy of the ordinance to the applicant.

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10. On 03/01/21 at 8:13am, Milwaukee Police conducted a license premise check at 1127 N. Water Street. No violations were observed.

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11. On 02/04/22 at 12:04am, Milwaukee Police were dispatched to 1127 N. Water Street for a trouble with subject compliant. Upon arrival officers observed the subject in the doorway of the tavern threatening staff and refused to leave the location when asked by police. The subject was arrest and issued citations. Security and staff showed restraint and were very professional.

12. On 07/30/22 at 7:45pm, Milwaukee Police conducted a license premise check at 1127 N. Water Street. No violations were found. The manager was helpful with providing the information requested by officers.

13. On 08/14/22 at 1:08am, there was a large fight inside the tavern at 1127 N. Water Street. Several squads responded to the fight and were able to separate all parties involved. While security was pushing the parties outside, an unknown subject dropped a firearm on the sidewalk. All parties involved left the location and the firearm was inventoried. Per the tavern's license, security are supposed to wand those seeking entry with metal detectors.

14. On 09/30/22 at 12:29am, Milwaukee Police were dispatched to 1127 N. Water Street for a fire compliant. Investigation revealed that a patron knocked over a hookah pipe and it started a couple of rags on fire. 911 was called and the patrons were evacuated from the tavern. Employees tried to extinguish the fire but were unable to. The Milwaukee Fire Department arrived and put out the fire. It was estimated to be \$7000 worth of damage.

15. On 10/17/22 at 12:23am, Milwaukee Police responded to 1127 N. Water Street for a battery compliant. Investigation revealed that a patron, who was refusing to leave the tavern, battered the manager and security supervisor. Employees did everything they could to handle the situation in a professional manner and were cooperative during the investigation. The patron was issued citations.

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16. On 01/31/23 at 1:33a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Fight at 1127 N Water St. Investigation revealed a physical fight broke out inside the bar between two groups of

individuals. Security intervened and initially got it under control, however, things began to escalate again and a subject was able to get behind the bar and began throwing bottles. One of the subjects stated they were 19 years old and used their cousin's ID to gain entry. The officer did note the two look very similar to one another. The officers requested video surveillance and provided a link for the employee to upload it once it was ready.

17. On 02/04/23 at 12:17a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Battery at 1127 N. Water St. Investigation revealed two subjects were in a verbal argument with one another, when one of the subjects, who was highly intoxicated, slipped on ice causing the loss of a front tooth. The subject refused police assistance and left the scene. The security officers were cooperative with officers and stated there are video surveillance cameras outside, however, they did not capture the incident as they face a different direction.
18. On 02/21/23, Milwaukee Police held a meeting with the agent to discuss recent activity that occurred at their establishment. The agent stated they already began taking proactive measures to alleviate issues in the future. The agent stated they were installing a program that scans each ID as well as takes a picture of the person using the ID and stores the information. The agent further stated they will be adding extra security and took it upon themselves to lower capacity by 20%, as well as adding additional security cameras. The officers requested the agent add no loitering signs and upgrade lighting to the exterior of their building.
19. On 05/08/23 at 2:05a.m., Milwaukee Police were dispatched to a Subject with Gun at 1127 N> Water St. Investigation revealed an argument took place earlier in the evening involving two subjects. Security intervened and escorted one subject out. The subject then returned with a bulge in their pocket and attempted to regain entry, however, security denied the subject entrance. At bar close the subject returned and was waiting outside and eventually produced a blue handgun, placing it on the ground and stating "I don't need a gun, I will shoot this bitch". Staff were cooperative with police during the investigation.

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:230310011

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0175

Incident

1127 N WATER ST MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53202

Incident Date/Time:: 01/31/2023 01:30:00
CAD Number:: 230310098
District:: 1
Beat:: 140
Reporting Area:: 4306

Business Agent (1)

HEBL, BENJAMIN A

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 10/25/1983
Sex:: MALE
Race:: WHITE
Phone 1 Number:: (314)-471-5379
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1127 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:230310011

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0175

Licensed Persons Involved (3)

COCROFT, SETH T

Person Involvement:: Employee
DOB:: 08/04/1986
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Address:: 8624 W KEEFE AV
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53222

COLEMAN, CARRIE CARRIE L

Person Involvement:: Bartender
DOB:: 11/01/1990
Sex:: FEMALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Address:: 611 W NATIONAL AV
Apartment or Suite:: 312
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53204

MCNEALEY, KAMISHA CEAYRRA

Person Involvement:: Manager
DOB:: 02/21/1991
Sex:: FEMALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Address:: 217 E CLARKE ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212

Licensed Premise Data (1)

POURMAN'S

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-216-4316
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1127 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 01/31/2023 01:45:00
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): Yes

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Case #:230310011

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0175

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

Yes

Narrative (1)

LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Placzek, Kara C 031965

01/31/2023

This report is written PO Kara PLACZEK, assigned to District One, Late Power Shift. On Tuesday, January 31st, 2023, I was assigned to Squad 1431. I was dressed in my full Milwaukee Police Department issued uniform with my nameplate and badge affixed to my outermost garment. I was wearing my Milwaukee Police Department issued Body Worn Camera (BWC) at the time of this investigation. At approximately 1:33 AM, Squad 1431 was dispatched to assist with Squad 1332 (PO BROWN and PO ROECKER) with a fight complaint at the address of 1127 N. Water St. The business was called Pourmans. Several other squads also responded to the scene.

Upon arrival, a b/f, wearing a green tank top, and a medical boot on her left leg was sitting on the sidewalk in front of the business. The female was yelling and appeared to be intoxicated. The female was later identified verbally as Bianca A. VINES (b/f, 11-25-2003). Two other b/f's, one wearing a white tank top and blue jeans and another wearing a black coat, were standing next to VINES trying to calm her down. A b/f wearing a black sweatshirt and blue jeans with her hair in a bun walked up to VINES. The female in the black sweatshirt was later identified as Sanovia L. GALEGOS (b/f, 12-31-2000). VINES started to become aggressive with officers and continued yelling. Officers on scene continued to speak with the four individuals while I spoke to the security guard at the front door, Seth T. COCROFT (b/m, 08-04-1986). COCROFT stated the females were yelling and calling another group of individuals "bitches". COCROFT stated he went to GALEGOS and inquired what was going on. COCROFT stated he was able to get the other group of females to calm down. COCROFT started to escort GALEGOS out of the bar. COCROFT stated as he was walking her out of the bar the other female started to yell and GALEGOS swung and struck the other group of female's mother. COCROFT stated he pushed GALEGOS back to get her away from the group of girls who were rushing towards them. COCROFT stated GALEGOS ended up falling and he was attempting to hold back six other females. COCROFT stated he was attempting to stop the fight and pull people off of each other. COCROFT stated VINES went behind the bar and started to throw bottles. COCROFT stated VINES struck a male with the bottle, who was no longer on scene. COCROFT stated one of the bartenders, Carrie L. COLEMAN (b/f, 11-01-1990) grabbed the bottle from VINES. COCROFT stated he also grabbed a bottle away from VINES and had to pin her down from grabbing more bottles. COCROFT stated the four females then refused to leave the bar and the regulars at the bar were trying to assist the staff with getting the females to leave. COCROFT stated the four females outside were the aggressors. COCROFT stated eventually, they were able to get all the females out of the bar.

MCNEALEY stated the four individuals who were still outside were in the bar for a while and did not order anything. MCNEALEY stated they did not serve anything to the four females. MCNEALEY stated the four individuals were the aggressors. MCNEALEY stated there was a big scuffle and it was getting out of

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control. MCNEALEY stated there were two security guards and she a tried to help them. MCNEALEY stated her hair was getting pulled by one of the females. MCNEALEY stated she observed GALEGOS on the ground and was attempting to help GALEGOS off the ground and GALEGOS started to strike MCNEALEY multiple times. MCNEALEY stated VINES got behind the bar somehow and started to throw bottles.

PO KULCINSKI attempted to speak with VINES and PO CARILLO attempted to speak with GALEGOS. PO KULCINSKI stated VINES stated she was nineteen years old and used her cousin's valid driver's license to get into the bar. PO KULCINSKI stated VINES and her cousin look very similar. The other two females refused to give their information. Officers who attempted to speak with the four females stated they became very uncooperative and did not want to speak with officers anymore.

COLEMAN stated in the beginning of the night, the four females that were outside were being rowdy and they had to calm them down a few times. COLEMAN stated she did not observe the initial fight break out. COLEMAN stated security had it under control at first. COLEMAN stated she then observed two females fighting and tried to separate the two. COLEMAN stated VINES was behind the bar throwing bottles and she had to stop her. COLEMAN stated VINES started striking her, so she struck back to defend herself. COLEMAN stated they were able to get two of the females out of the bar and then the other two females started fighting with the other female group again. COLEMAN stated VINES started to unscrew the taps and throwing them. COLEMAN stated they were then able to get everyone outside the bar. COLEMAN stated everything happened so fast. COLEMAN stated she did not believe anyone seriously got injured.

MCNEALEY and COLEMAN did not want to press any charges. MCNEALEY stated she just wanted the individuals to leave and not come back.

There was a security guard at the front and back door.

MCNEALEY and her security team did everything they could to handle the situation in a professional manner and were cooperative during our investigation.

At 10:35 PM, I conducted follow up to retrieve the surveillance footage. I spoke with one of the owners, Keenan L. SUMLIN (b/m, 01-19-1989). SUMLIN stated the surveillance footage was not finished yet, however, they were working on it. SUMLIN stated they would notify officers when the surveillance footage was done. I sent SUMLIN a link from evidence.com to upload the surveillance footage as well.

Follow up will be continued to review the surveillance footage.

End of report.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:

Placzek, Kara C (031965)

01/31/2023 02:45:00

Section: (Work Location):

14

Approving Officer:

Kulenovic, Ismar (022619)

02/02/2023 03:19:19

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Case #:230310011

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Section: (Work Location): 14

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

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OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0203

Case #:230350004

Incident

1127 N WATER ST MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53202

Incident Date/Time:: 02/03/2023 23:45:00
CAD Number:: 230350015
District:: 1
Beat:: 140
Reporting Area:: 4306

Business Agent (1)

HEBL, BENJAMIN A

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):

DOB:: 10/25/1983

Sex:: MALE

Race:: WHITE

Phone 1 Number:: (314)-471-5379

Phone 1 Type:: Phone

Address:: 1127 N WATER ST

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53202

Licensed Persons Involved (1)

SUMLIN, KEENAN LAMONT

Person Involvement:: Manager

DOB:: 01/19/1989

Sex:: MALE

Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN

Address:: 3875 S CLEMENT AV

Apartment or Suite:: 6

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53207

Licensed Premise Data (1)

POURMANS

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-216-4316

Phone 1 Type:: Phone

Address:: 1127 N WATER ST

City:: MILWAUKEE

State:: WISCONSIN

Zip Code:: 53202

License Type:: Alcohol

Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes

Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 02/04/2023 00:30:00

Business Was Cited For Violation:: No

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749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:230350004

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0203

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

Licensee or Manager was on
premises at time of
violation/incident:: No

Narrative (1)

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Watts, Robert I 018677

02/04/2023

This report was written by P.O. Robert WATTS, assigned to District One, Late Power Shift.

On Saturday, February 4th, 2023, I was assigned to Squad 1441. I was operating a marked black and white Milwaukee Police Department Chevrolet Tahoe (Car 158) equipped with red/blue emergency lights and audible siren. We were in full MPD uniform with our badges and nameplates affixed to our outermost garments. We were equipped with body worn AXON cameras, which were activated and captured this incident.

On Saturday, February 4th, 2023, at 12:17 AM, I responded to a battery complaint at N Water / E Juneau Av. Upon arrival I observed the injured subject, identified as Tiffany A. MCGEE (B/F, 05/13/97) yelling obscenities at officers. MCGEE was conscious, breathing and highly intoxicated with a missing front tooth. She stated she was escorted out of Pourman's (1127 N Water St) when an unknown subject punched her in the mouth causing her tooth to fall out. I asked MCGEE if she wanted to file a report regarding the incident and she was uncooperative, got into the rear passenger seat of a vehicle and left the scene.

While on scene I spoke to MCGEE's friend who identified herself as Alexis E. JONES (B/F, 08/04/95) who stated they were escorted out of Pourman's and were waiting outside to fight a group of females. She stated while standing outside of Pourman's an unknown security guard struck MCGEE in the face causing her tooth to fall out.

Officers on scene stated they observed MCGEE in a verbal dispute with JONES. They stated MCGEE was very animated with her movements and gestures which caused her to slip on ice in front of the establishment and hit her face on an outside sign belonging to Pourman's. MCGEE was observed by officers to have caused her own injury to her face and tooth.

During the investigation I spoke with Security/manager who identified himself as Keenan L. SUMLIN (B/M, 01/19/89) who stated he observed MCGEE in a verbal dispute with JONES. He stated MCGEE slipped on ice in front of Pourman's and hit her face on their sign causing injury to herself. SUMLIN stated there is a camera above Pourman's main entrance which faces southbound but believes it did not capture the incident because the sign is on the north side of the door where the incident occurred. All Pourman's staff was cooperative during the investigation.

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Case #:230350004

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0203

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Watts, Robert I (018677)	02/04/2023 01:30:00
Section: (Work Location):	14	
Approving Officer:	Kulenovic, Ismar (022619)	02/04/2023 03:26:24
Section: (Work Location):	14	

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Case #:230520055

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0328

Incident

1127 N WATER ST MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53202

Incident Date/Time:: 02/21/2023 10:47:00
CAD Number:: 230520515
District:: 1
Beat:: 140
Reporting Area:: 4306

Business Agent (1)

HEBL, BENJAMIN A

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 10/25/1983
Sex:: MALE
Race:: WHITE
Phone 1 Number:: (314)-471-5379
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1127 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202

Licensed Persons Involved (1)

SUMLIN, KEENAN L

Person Involvement:: Manager
DOB:: 01/19/1989
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Phone 1 Number:: 4143697027
Address:: 3875 S CLEMENT AV
Apartment or Suite:: 6
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53207

Licensed Premise Data (1)

POURMAN'S

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-216-4316
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1127 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No

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414-933-4444

Case #:230520055

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-0328

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

Licensee or Manager was on
premises at time of
violation/incident:: No

Narrative (1)

LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Plumley, Molly D 019452

02/22/2023

This report is written by PO Molly PLUMLEY, assigned to District One, Day Shift.

On Tuesday, February 21, 2023, I, along with LT THIEL, PO EMMONS, ADA ODOM, and Assistant City Attorney ANGER had a meeting with the agent of Pourman's tavern. This meeting was held at the Milwaukee Police Administration Building at 11:00 AM. HEBL, Benjamin A. (W/M 10/25/1983) was accompanied by his head of security SUMLIN, Keenan L. (B/M 1/19/1989) during the meeting. This meeting was held to discuss a recent video of a large fight occurring in Pourman's, and to discuss current security protocol and what they could do differently to prevent issues like this in the future.

HEBL informed us that he was already changing some things at the tavern like installing PatronScan, which is a program that scans each ID/DL, takes a photo of the person using it and stores the information. PatronScan can also detect if a fake ID/DL is being used and communicates that information with security running the machine. HEBL currently has three security guards working and will be adding a fourth, security performs wand/pat down precautions on patrons and checks purses/bags. HEBL has taken it upon himself to lower his capacity by 20% to help prevent people from bumping into each other and potentially causing a fight between patrons. SUMLIN has made it a priority to make sure his security guards have "SECURITY" on their outer most garment so that they are easier to recognize. HEBL will also be installing four additional cameras and upgrading storage for surveillance video.

HEBL did express concern for the vacant buildings at 1123 N. Water St and 1131 N. Water St and the amount of loitering that already happens at these properties. I asked HEBL to please make sure he has No Loitering signs posted on his property and upgrade lighting on the exterior of his building. I informed HEBL that we can reach out to the owners of 1123 and 1131 N. Water and ask them to do the same and express safety concerns about the loitering that is taking place.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer: Plumley, Molly D (019452) 02/22/2023 07:25:00

Section: (Work Location): 11

Approving Officer: Pocernich, Carrie A (015499) 02/23/2023 09:33:37

Section: (Work Location): 11

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:231280021

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-1454

Incident

1127 N WATER ST MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53202

Incident Date/Time:: 05/08/2023 01:50:00
CAD Number:: 231280120
District:: 1
Beat:: 140
Reporting Area:: 4306

Business Agent (1)

HEBL, BEN ALEXANDER

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 10/25/1983
Sex:: MALE
Race:: WHITE
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-216-4316
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1127 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202

Licensed Persons Involved (1)

MAGAW, ALEXIS A

Person Involvement:: Manager
DOB:: 02/06/1998
Sex:: FEMALE
Race:: UNKNOWN
Address:: 401 W MICHIGAN ST
Apartment or Suite:: 901
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53203

Licensed Premise Data (1)

POURMAN'S

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-216-4316
Phone 1 Type:: Phone
Address:: 1127 N WATER ST
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53202
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 05/08/2023 02:30:00
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No

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Licensee was cooperative: (If not
explain in narrative): No

Licensee or Manager was on
premises at time of
violation/incident:: No

Narrative (1)

LICENSED PREMISE REPORT

Delaney, Benjamin T 027391

05/08/2023

This report is written by PO Benjamin DELANEY, District 1, assigned to Late Power shift as Squad 1440 with PO Shawn SWITZER.

On Monday, May 8th, 2023, at 2:05 a.m. we were dispatched to 1127 N Water St, Pourman's, for a Subject with Gun call.

Upon arrival I spoke with Isaiah Z. WEATHERALL (b/m 03/21/90) who works as security at Pourman's. WEATHERALL stated that earlier in the night, approximately 11:30 p.m. on Sunday May 7th, 2023, he kicked Breshonna W. WARE (b/f 12/31/97) out of the bar for acting aggressive toward another patron. WEATHERALL stated that in the process of being kicked out of the bar, WARE believed someone pulled her hair, and become upset regarding. WEATHERALL stated that WARE left, went to her car and immediately returned with a bulge in her front pocket that he believed to be a gun.

WEATHERALL stated WARE was trying to get back into the bar, but WEATHERALL denied her access and she eventually left again.

WEATHERALL stated that around bar close, approximately 1:50 a.m., WARE returned to the bar and waited outside the front doors. WEATHERALL stated that he stood on a bench inside the bar and spoke with WARE through the window above the front doors. WEATHERALL stated WARE was yelling and trying to get the subject who she believed pulled her hair earlier to come outside to confront her. WEATHERALL stated while WARE was arguing and trying to get into the bar, she appeared to be holding something behind her back. WEATHERALL stated he continually told WARE to leave and that she was not going to be allowed back into the bar. WEATHERALL stated WARE then produced a blue handgun, he was not sure of the make or model, and placed it on the sidewalk. WEATHERALL stated WARE then said, "I don't need a gun," and "I will shoot this bitch."

WEATHERALL stated that WARE's actions caused him to fear that she was going to harm someone in the bar or nearby.

Staff on scene was cooperative with our investigation.

End of Report

Officer (2)

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:231280021

OtherEvent #: 23-LP-1454

Reporting Officer: Delaney, Benjamin T (027391)

05/08/2023 02:47:00

Section: (Work Location): 14

Approving Officer: Kulenovic, Ismar (022619)

05/09/2023 19:19:34

Section: (Work Location): 14



Thursday, February 01, 2024



Notice of Public Hearing

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HEBL, Benjamin A, Agent
Pourman's at 1127 N Water St
Class B Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at 2:10 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 on 2/13/2024 at 2:10 PM in Room 301-B, Third Floor, City Hall. 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 via phone or internet are asked to contact the staff assistant, Yadira Melendez at (414) 286-2775 or 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.

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 appear in person and 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 present at the committee hearing and 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.

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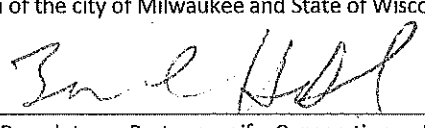
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Total Records: 215

Radius 250.0 feet and Center of Circle: 1127 N Water St

2024-2025 Plan of Operation for 1127 N WATER ST

1. Litter & Security Plans			
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Daily <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Who cleans the grounds? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Licensee <input type="checkbox"/> Building Owner <input checked="" 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 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: <u>OUTDOOR BACK PATIO</u>			
Number of garbage cans: Inside <u>5</u> Locations: <u>BATHROOMS ; BEHIND BAR</u> Outside <u>2</u> Locations: <u>BACK PATIO</u>			
Is a crowd control barrier used? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe: <u>WE HAVE STANCHIONS TO FORM A LINE IN FRONT</u>			
Number of restrooms: <u>2</u>		Name of solid waste contractor: <u>GFL</u>	
Are there parking spaces on the premises? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list number of spaces: <u>3</u> and describe security plans: <u>WE HAVE CAMERAS AND WE HAVE SECURITY PATROL PARKING AREA</u>			
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>2-4 DEPENDING ON NIGHT</u> AND What are their responsibilities? <u>CHECK IDs PAT DOWN REMOVE UNRULY CUSTOMERS</u> What security equipment do they use? <u>PATRON SCAN</u> List their licensing, certification or training credentials: <u>N/A</u>			
Are there security cameras? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, list all locations: <u>1 OUT FRONT 5 INSIDE 1 PARKING AREA</u>			
Are searches and/or identification checks conducted upon entry? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, describe: <u>ID CHECKED THROUGH PATRON SCAN; PAT DOWNS, PURSES SEARCHED</u>			
2. Percentage of Sales (must total 100%)			
Alcohol <u>90</u> %	Food Sales _____ %	Entertainment _____ %	Other <u>10</u> %
3. Businesses On The Premises (choose all that apply):			
<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:			
4. Hours of Operation and Age Restriction			
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.			
5. Floor Plan and Capacity			
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 www.milwaukee.gov/licenses 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.			
6. Sidewalk Dining: Fee:			
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.			
7. Food License: Fee:		8. Weights and Measures: Fee:	
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 _____		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 for Pourman's	1127 N WATER ST
The following types of entertainment have been approved for your current Public Entertainment Premises license: Disc Jockey, Jukebox, Karaoke, Patrons Dancing, Instrumental Musicians, Bands, 1 Amusement Machine	
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. ALSO SUBMIT AN UPDATED FLOOR PLAN AND PLAN OF OPERATION OR CONFIRMATION STATEMENT IF THE NEW ENTERTAINMENT DOES NOT CHANGE THE CURRENT PLAN OF OPERATION.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Instrumental Musicians <input type="checkbox"/> Disc Jockey <input type="checkbox"/> Jukebox <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Entertainment/ Strippers/Erotic Dance <input type="checkbox"/> Motion Pictures (movies by admission) How many screens? _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Bands <input type="checkbox"/> Magic Shows <input type="checkbox"/> Wrestling <input type="checkbox"/> Karaoke <input type="checkbox"/> Amusement Machines How many? _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Battle of the Bands <input type="checkbox"/> Poetry Readings <input type="checkbox"/> Patron Contests <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling Alley How many? _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Concerts Approx. # per year? _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Comedy Acts <input type="checkbox"/> Dancing by Performers <input type="checkbox"/> Patrons Dancing <input type="checkbox"/> Pool Tables <input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Performances Approx. # per year? _____
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? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe:	
At any time will sound amplification be used? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, Describe: <i>WE HAVE DJs WITH SPEAKERS; BUT ALL SPEAKERS ARE INSIDE</i>	
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	