

Office of the City Clerk

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Dear Community and Business Organization Staff:

You are invited to attend a public hearing of the Alcohol Beverage Licensing Task Force to be held in Room 102 of the Frank P. Zeidler Municipal Building at 7 p.m. on Thursday, December 11, 2008. The Zeidler Municipal Building is located at 841 N. Broadway.

The Task Force, chaired by former Wisconsin Supreme Court Justice Louis Butler, will be hearing public comments regarding the process by which the City licenses alcohol establishments (which includes grocery stores as well as taverns). The Task Force requests that comments and suggestions from organizations such as yours be summarized in writing for presentation to the Task Force in addition to your requested appearance at the public meeting. If attending the public meeting, the representative from your organization is encouraged to limit speaking time to three minutes.

If you have any questions prior to the public meeting, please feel free to contact me at (414) 286-3790 or tblack@milwaukee.gov.

Very truly yours,

Tobie Black, Acting Staff Assistant Alcohol Beverage Licensing Task Force

Members of the Common Council and its standing committees who are not members of this committee may attend this meeting to participate or to gather information. Notice is given that this meeting may constitute a meeting of the Common Council or any of its standing committees, although they will not take any formal action at this meeting.

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Persons engaged in lobbying as defined in s. 305-43-4 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances are required to register with the City Clerk's Office License Division. Registered lobbyists appearing before a Common Council committee are required to identify themselves as such. More information is available at www.milwaukee.gov/lobby.