

## Milwaukee Historic Preservation Commission Staff Report

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HPC meeting date: 10/14/2019 Ald. Robert Bauman District: 4 Staff reviewer: Carlen Hatala PTS #114798 CCF #190492

**Property** 1044 N. OLD WORLD THIRD ST.

Owner/Applicant HIGHLAND BEACH SURFER INC Jacob Dehne

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833 E MICHIGAN ST #400 1044 N. Old World Third St. MILWAUKEE WI 53202 Milwaukee, WI 53203

**Proposal** Applicant seeks to install 2 signs for the two businesses at this address.

One sign is round, one is oval. Both have LED internal lighting.

Both signs will be mounted over the transom window and attached to four 2" wide x 1/4" thick x 62.75" long flat bars that will be bent 2" at the ends to provide clearance

MKE Events, LLC

between the signs and the window.

**Staff comments** The applicants were last before the HPC at the August 5, 2019 meeting.

Modifications were made to the round sign reading RWB.

The RWB sign will have a routed face with clear push-thru RWB letters decorated in translucent white vinyl that is printed in a red scatter pattern. The rest of the copy is white opaque vinyl with color printed graphics that are not internally illuminated.

The Buckhead sign will have a routed sign face backed with translucent white polycarbonate and translucent vinyl graphics. Letters/logo will be routed.

Support bars as shown are set to the size and shapes of the signs so are not equally

spaced.

The transom glass behind is translucent glass with no muntins. It appears the signage area will be an open frame set in front of the transom to which the signs will

be attached.

**Recommendation** Recommend HPC Approval with conditions per Tim Askin

**Conditions** Support bars should be arranged so that they are evenly placed within the transom

and mounted behind the frame rather than in front of it.

**Previous HPC action** 

**Previous Council action**