



CITY OF WAUWATOSA

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LEGISLATION, LICENSING & COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE Meeting - Tuesday, January 12, 2010 Committee Room #2 – 7:30 PM

PRESENT: Alds. Birschel, Dennik, Hanson, Herzog, Nikcevich (7:49 pm), Organ –6

ALSO PRESENT: A. Kesner, City Attorney; B. Weber, Police Chief

Ald. Birschel as chair called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM

Operator License application by Dennis R. Day Jr., 2356 N. 60th Street, Milwaukee, for the period ending June 30, 2010.

Mr. Day was present. Mr. Day explained the circumstances regarding one offense. Chief Weber clarified that Mr. Day had another incident on his record that he did not disclose on the application. Mr. Kesner had no other concerns.

Ald. Herzog asked Mr. Day why he didn't disclose anything on his application. He asked Mr. Day if he had a current operator license in another municipality and is he currently working in Wauwatosa. Mr. Day explained the details of the offenses and that he was careless in reading the Operator License application.

Moved by Ald. Hanson, seconded by Ald. Herzog to recommend denial of the Operator License --

Ald. Herzog stated that he didn't feel Mr. Day was trying to hide anything and that Mr. Day was negligent in thoroughly reading the application.

Ald. Herzog withdrew second.
Motion failed for lack of second.

Moved by Ald. Herzog, seconded by Ald. Dennik to recommend approval of the Operator License. -5

Operator License application by Melissa Lee Kuehn, N103 W16579 Country Court, Germantown, for the period ending June 30, 2010.

Ms. Kuehn was present. Ms. Kuehn answered yes to a question on her application but failed to explain the details. She did explain to the committee the circumstances behind the incident. Chief Weber had no concerns. Ald. Herzog asked for specifics of her offense. He asked if she took all the necessary steps to complete her assessment. Ms. Kuehn was forthright in her explanation and satisfied the committee.

Moved by Ald. Herzog, seconded by Ald. Hanson to recommend approval of the Operator License -5

Operator License application by Jennifer M. Cherry, 1306 S. 72nd Street, West Allis, for the period ending June 30, 2010.

Ms. Cherry was present. Ms. Cherry explained the incident on her police report. She has taken all classes necessary regarding her offense. Chief Weber had no other concerns. Mr. Kesner explained the case pending matter for the committee.

Ald. Herzog asked Ms. Cherry why this case is still pending. She gave the committee the information she had and stated that her next court date is January 20, 2010. The committee discussed different ways to proceed with this application. Ald. Herzog stated that he is not comfortable granting a license to an applicant that has a case pending. The committee agreed to hold the license application in order to review the results of Ms. Cherry's January 20, 2010 court hearing.

Moved by Ald. Herzog, seconded by Ald. Hanson to recommend holding this application of the Operator License until the next LLC meeting. -6

Request for temporary extension of Class "B" Beer / "Class B" Liquor License by The Club Tap, 8828 W. North Avenue to include the rear parking lot on Sunday, February 14th for the annual Chili Contest from 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

William Poull, owner of The Club Tap was present. He stated that there would be no live music at this event and that all debris would be disposed of during and at the end of the event. The committee requested that Mr. Poull provide his cell phone number to the alderpersons in his district in the event that contact would need to be made. Chief Weber had no concerns. Mr. Kesner had no concerns with this license extension.

Moved by Ald. Herzog, seconded by Ald. Nikceovich to recommend approval of the Class "B" Beer / "Class B" Liquor License extension. -6

Request for temporary extension of Class "B" Beer / "Class B" Liquor License by The Club Tap, 8828 W. North Avenue to include the rear parking lot on Saturday, June 5th and Sunday, June 6th for the annual Corn Roast from 11:00 AM to 8:00 PM both days with music from 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM both days.

Mr. Poull said that this is the 19th annual Corn Roast. The Club Tap notifies the immediate neighbors that this event is taking place and that the music will be kept at a reasonable level of volume. Mr. Poull also iterated that The Club Tap would be responsible for picking up any debris generated from this event. Chief Weber and Mr. Kesner had no concerns with the license extension for this annual event.

Moved by Ald. Herzog, seconded by Ald. Hanson to recommend approval of the Class "B" Beer / "Class B" Liquor License extension. -6

No License Applications forwarded for review

The meeting adjourned at 7:58 PM.

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Carla A. Ledesma, City Clerk
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