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The following is a summary of reported incidents involving licensed businesses, including reported tavern violations and calls for police service during the months of October and November 2016. An additional incident from August 2016 involving Cleveland Avenue Bunty's Liquor is included. It was forwarded to West Allis Police by New Berlin Police on 17 October 2016.

Incident reports:

New Berlin Police Department Case #16-018926 // August 2016 // Related to stolen liquor being purchased by Cleveland Avenue Bunty's Liquor – 8423 W. Cleveland Ave.

In August 2016, the New Berlin Police Department investigated thefts of liquor from General Beverage Company. During the investigation, it was revealed some of the stolen liquor was being purchased by Cleveland Avenue Bunty's Liquor (8423 W. Cleveland Ave.). On 23 August 2016, agents from the State of Wisconsin Department of Revenue – Alcohol & Tobacco Enforcement Unit, New Berlin Police and West Allis Police conducted an inspection at the liquor store. Approximately 157.5 cases of illegal alcohol were seized, valued at approximately \$12,080.77.

Case #16-041943 // 07 October 2016 at 2306hrs. // TNT Sports Bar – 6404 W. National Ave.

On 10/07/16 at approx. 2306 hrs., officers responded to TNT Sports Bar for a report of a man inside the bar with a gun. Investigation revealed an intoxicated man entered the tavern and caused a disturbance. A male individual was arrested, but no firearm was located. There was no violation by the tavern, license holder(s) or employees.

Call #16-043994 // 22 October 2016 at 2200hrs.// Heartbreakers – 9442 W. National Ave. (No incident report generated.)

On 23 October 2016, a male individual came to the police department to report that he was physically removed from Heartbreakers at approximately 2200hrs. the night before (22 Oct 2016). The individual suffered a scrape to his side and accused staff of stealing medication of his during the incident. Officers responded to Heartbreakers on 23 October 2016 and spoke with employees. It was confirmed the individual was intoxicated and physically escorted from the establishment, but staff never called West Allis Police. The medication was recovered, taken by officers and returned to the individual. No charges were pressed and no citations were issued.

Case #16-044962 // 30 October 2016 at 0149hrs. // The Hideout – 6201 W. Mitchell St.

On 30 October 2016 at approximately 0149hrs., West Allis Officers responded to The Hideout for a fight inside of the bar. The fight was broken up by the time officers arrived. A stolen cell phone was reported during the incident. During the investigation, it was revealed the bartender claimed to have a license, but could not provide it. She claimed she was a 'last minute fill in' and had never worked at the tavern before. No other employees or owner(s) could be contacted.

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Call #16-046211 // 08 November 2016 at 2009hrs. // The Spot Lite – 6424 W. Greenfield Ave. (No incident report generated.)

On 08 November 2016 at approximately 2009hrs., West Allis Officers responded to The Spot Lite regarding two individuals physically fighting in the tavern. The fight was over by the time officers arrived. A bouncer repeatedly asked one of the intoxicated individuals to leave. This individual struck another male in the face, causing a bloody nose, before leaving. Nobody wanted to press charges. There were no citations issued. There was no violation by the tavern, license holder(s) or employees.

Case #16-046660 // 12 November 2016 at 0008hrs. // Boosters West - 7731 W. Becher St.

On 12 November 2016 at approximately 0008hrs., West Allis Officers responded to Boosters West for individuals physically fighting inside of the tavern. There was no active fight when officers arrived and only a male victim remained on scene. The male victim did not want to pursue charges. Several individuals were stopped in a vehicle close to the scene and later issued municipal citations for Disorderly Conduct and Obstructing an Officer. There was no violation by the tavern, license holder(s) or employees.

Case #16-047041 // 14 November 2016 at approximately 2348hrs. // The Spot Lite – 6424 W. Greenfield Ave. (6500 Bar also listed in report, but no violation.)

On 14 November 2016 at approximately 2348hrs., while investigating a traffic stop at S. 60 St. and W. Main St. (Milwaukee), it was revealed a 16-year old female passenger had previously been in The Spot Lite earlier in the night. The 16-year old allegedly produced a fake WI Photo

Identification Card and was granted access to the establishment. Her presence was later confirmed by video surveillance from the tavern.

Case #16-047808 // 20 November 2016 at 0050hrs. // Heartbreakers – 9442 W. National Ave.

On 20 November 2016, several intoxicated individuals were inside of the establishment. There were at least two (2) physical incidents between the patrons and staff. One was not reported by the business or staff. The other involved an intoxicated male patron urinating on the exterior of the building. An employee of the establishment shoved the male, causing him to fall and strike his head on the side of the building. He suffered a laceration needing medical attention and approximately ten (10) stitches to close. The male employee of Heartbreakers was subsequently arrested and charged with Substantial Battery by the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office.

Case #16-048574 // 26 November 2016 at 0144hrs. // Remedy – 1309 S. 60 St.

On 26 November 2016 at 0144hrs., a West Allis officer on patrol observed a fight outside of and in front of Remedy – 1309 S. 60 St. Investigation revealed the primary instigator of the fight had been intoxicated upon her arrival at the tavern and asked to leave. She and a female acquaintance left, but were loitering outside the tavern and were advised to leave a second time. These two females then engaged in a physical fight. The instigator was arrested and received municipal citations for her involvement. There was no violation by the tavern, license holder(s) or employees.

Tobacco and Alcohol Compliance checks:

No compliance checks were performed during this time period.

Violation of Wisconsin Clean Air Act Smoking Ban:

- No violations reported during this reporting period.

Respectfully submitted,

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