



City of West Allis

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214

Meeting Minutes

License & Health Committee

Aldersperson Kurt E. Kopplin, Chair
Aldersperson James W. Sengstock, Vice-Chair
Alderspersons: Michael J. Czapslewski, Linda A. Dobrowski,
Richard F. Narlock

Tuesday, January 22, 2008

6:04 PM

West Allis City Hall Room 128

REGULAR MEETING

A. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chair Kopplin at 6:04 p.m.

B. ROLL CALL

Present: 3 - Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Dobrowski and Ald. Narlock

Excused: 2 - Ald. Sengstock and Ald. Czapslewski

Others present: Matthew J. Jastroch, Justine G. Balistreri, Inderjeet Singh, Ekaterina Kononov, Carol A. Jackson, Thomas Lee Lipp, Sr., Christina M. Knueppel, Kevin S. Stanelle, Peter D. Crivello, Scott R. Jesion, William P. Savage, Angela M. Robinson, Steven T. Robinson, Mario P. Morgese, Deborah A. Daniels, Ronald P. Daniels, Barry Book, representing the City of West Allis, Lt. Ron Versnik, West Allis Police Dept., Jeffrey J. Warchol, Assistant City Attorney and Ann Marie Neff, Secretary to the Committee.

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Ald. Narlock, seconded by Ald. Dobrowski, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of November 27, 2007 and recess meetings of November 20, 2007, December 4, 2007, December 18, 2007, January 2, 2008 and January 15, 2008. The motion carried by the following vote:

Votes: Aye: 3 - Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Dobrowski and Ald. Narlock

No: 0

A second roll call was taken to reflect Ald. Czapslewski present at this time.

Present: 4 - Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Czapslewski, Ald. Dobrowski and Ald. Narlock

Excused: 1 - Ald. Sengstock

E. NEW AND PREVIOUS MATTERS

3. [2008-0052](#) 2007-2009 Tavern Operator License application no. 9-444 of Matthew J. Jastroch.

Appearance by Matthew J. Jastroch. Ald. Dobrowski commented on Mr. Jastroch's police background check. Ald. Kopplin suggested Mr. Jastroch apply again next year. Recommended denial based on the police report.

A motion was made by Ald. Czapslewski, seconded by Ald. Dobrowski, that this matter be Recommended for Denial. The motion carried by the following vote:

Votes: Aye: 4 - Ald. Czapslewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski

No: 0

4. [2008-0053](#) 2007-2008 Tavern Operator License application no. 8-413 of Anthony P. Rath.
- Nonappearance of Anthony P. Rath. Mr. Rath did not contact the Clerk's Office. The Committee requested he be ordered to appear at the next scheduled License & Health meeting.*
- Held**
5. [2008-0031](#) 2007-2008 Adult-Oriented Establishment Operator Permit application no. 1360 of Justine G. Balistreri.
- Appearance by Justine G. Balistreri. Ald. Kopplin told Ms. Balistreri it was standard policy to have new Adult-Oriented Establishment Operators appear.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Dobrowski, seconded by Ald. Narlock, that this matter be Recommended For Approval. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
7. [2007-0675](#) Police Department Report involving Pfanny's, 5819 W. National Ave. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 1212 and Cigarette License no. 1213 of Pfanny's, LLC, Ekaterina Kononov, Agent, Incident Date: September 21, 2007).
- Appearance by Ekaterina Kononov. Ms. Kononov said she understood why she was asked to appear, and the employee involved has been let go. Ald. Kopplin informed Ms. Kononov to remind her bartenders to be responsible servers.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Narlock, seconded by Ald. Dobrowski, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
8. [2007-0719](#) Police Department Report involving HD Hideout, 6201 W. Mitchell St. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 733, Dance Hall License no. 735 and Cigarette License no. 734, HD Hideout, Inc., Carol A. Jackson, Agent, Incident Date: October 15, 2007).
- Appearance by Carol A. Jackson. Ms. Jackson said she understood why she was asked to appear. Ald. Czaplewski commented on the number of Ms. Jackson's prior appearances. Ald. Narlock informed Ms. Jackson it is her license in jeopardy, and to remind the bartenders to call the police.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Czaplewski, seconded by Ald. Narlock, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0

9. [2008-0016](#) Police Department Report involving The Dog House, 1641 S. 68 St.(2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 810, Dance Hall License no. 812 and Cigarette License no. 811 of Dog House, Inc., Thomas Lee Lipp, Sr., Agent, Incident Date: November 26, 2007).
- Appearance by Thomas Lee Lipp, Sr. Ald. Czaplewski questioned if Mr. Lipp had told his bartenders not to call the police, unless people were out of control. Lt. Versnik asked Mr. Lipp what his definition of out of control was. Ald. Czaplewski reminded Mr. Lipp that his employees need to respond to problems in the bar responsibly.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Czaplewski, seconded by Ald. Narlock, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
6. [2008-0026](#) Police Department Report regarding December 11, 2007 Alcohol Compliance Check involving seventeen (17) West Allis businesses, resulting with one (1) selling alcohol to an underage person without requesting identification (2007-2008 Combination Class A Liquor License no. 1113 and Cigarette License no. 1114 of Supreme Enterprises, Inc., Inderjeet Singh, Agent, d/b/a Oklahoma Liquor & Tobacco, 10711 W. Oklahoma Ave.).
- Appearance by Inderjeet Singh. Mr. Singh stated that the employee involved was preoccupied and has since gone to additional training. Mr. Singh said they card everyone.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Dobrowski, seconded by Ald. Narlock, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
10. [2008-0014](#) Police Department Report involving Shepherd's Hideaway, 8924 W. Schlinger Ave. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 806, Dance Hall License no. 808, Instrumental Music License no. 809 and Cigarette License no. 807 of Shepherd's Sports Lounge, Inc., Christina M. Knueppel, Agent, Incident Date: November 7, 2007).
- Appearance by Christina M. Knueppel and Kevin S. Stanelle. A discussion ensued regarding the police report. Ms. Knueppel was reminded to call the police and have the employees do the same.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Narlock, seconded by Ald. Czaplewski, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
11. [2008-0013](#) Police Department Report involving Scotty's Pub, 6500 W. Greenfield Ave. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 1254, Dance Hall License no. 1255 and Cigarette License no. 1256 of Iris Girl, LLC, Peter D. Crivello, Agent, Incident Date: November 1, 2007).
- Appearance by Peter D. Crivello. Mr. Crivello informed the committee the bartender has been let go for taking matters into his own hands.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Czaplewski, seconded by Ald. Dobrowski, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0

12. [2008-0022](#) Police Department Report involving Wild Bill's Saloon, 1454 S. 92 St. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 789 and Cigarette License no. 790 of Wild Bill's Saloon, LLC, William P. Savage, Agent, Incident Date: December 6, 2007).
- Appearance by William P. Savage. Lt. Versnik stated that the only people allowed in a tavern after hours are the employees working. Mr. Savage told the committee the employee was let go.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Dobrowski, seconded by Ald. Narlock, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
13. [2008-0023](#) Police Department Report involving Top Gun Saloon, 1100 S. 60 St. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 729, Dance Hall License no. 731 and Instrumental Music License no. 730 of Top Gun Saloon, Inc., Angela M. Robinson, Agent, Incident Date: December 21, 2007).
- Appearance by Angela M. Robinson and Steven T. Robinson. Ald. Czaplewski commented on the police not being called. Mr. Robinson replied that the bartender was laid off and has been reminded to call the police.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Czaplewski, seconded by Ald. Narlock, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
14. [2008-0030](#) Police Department Report involving Top Gun Saloon, 1100 S. 60 St. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 729, Dance Hall License no. 731 and Instrumental Music License no. 730 of Top Gun Saloon, Inc., Angela M. Robinson, Agent, Incident Date: December 26, 2007).
- Appearance by Angela M. Robinson and Steven T. Robinson. Mr. Robinson stated that all the bartenders' licenses are now kept at the tavern.*
- A motion was made by Ald. Czaplewski, seconded by Ald. Dobrowski, that this matter be Recommended to be Placed on File. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Votes:** Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0
15. [2007-0670](#) Police Department Report involving Mario's, 1900 S. 60 St. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 1091, Dance Hall License no. 1092 and Instrumental Music License no. 1093 of M & W Hospitality, Inc., Mario P. Morgese, Agent, Incident Date: September 9, 2007).
- Appearance by Mario P. Morgese. Discussion ensued regarding the number of police reports and appearances involving Mario's.*
- This Matter was Recommended to be Placed on File on a Block Vote.**

16. [2007-0671](#) Police Department Report involving Mario's, 1900 S. 60 St. (2007-2008 Class B Tavern License no. 1091, Dance Hall License no. 1092 and Instrumental Music License no. 1093 of M & W Hospitality, Inc., Mario P. Morgese, Agent, Incident Date: September 29, 2007.)

Mr. Morgese was told to supply the Clerk's office with a copy of the court report, involving this incident, when it is settled.

This Matter was Recommended to be Placed on File on a Block Vote.

Passed The Block Vote

A motion was made by Ald. Dobrowski, seconded by Ald. Narlock, including all the preceding items marked as having been adopted on a Block Vote. The motion carried by the following vote:

Votes: Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0

D. CLOSED SESSION

At 7:15 p.m., Chair Kopplin stated it was the intention of the Committee to convene in closed session at said time and place to deliberate and confer with the City Attorney on the Summons and Complaint regarding Deborah A. Daniels, 2007-2009 Tavern Operator License renewal application no. 329.

A closed session for the above purpose is authorized pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stats. Section 19.85(1)(a) and (g), which authorizes a governmental body, upon motion duly made and carried, to meet in closed session to deliberate concerning a case which was the subject of any judicial or quasi-judicial trial or hearing before that governmental body; and to confer with legal counsel for the governmental body who is rendering oral or written advice concerning strategy to be adopted by the body with respect to litigation in which it is or is likely to become involved.

A motion was made by Ald. Kopplin, seconded by Ald. Czaplewski, to convene in closed session at 7:17 p.m. The motion carried by the following vote:

Votes: Aye: 4 - Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Narlock and Ald. Dobrowski
No: 0

Others present: Lt. Ron Versnik, West Allis Police Dept., Jeffrey J. Warchol, Assistant City Attorney and Ann Marie Neff, Secretary to the Committee.

Upon conclusion of the closed session at 7:27 p.m., the License and Health Committee reconvened in open session at said time and place to consider its public agenda, including motions to recommend approval or rejection of above-listed deliberations or any of the public agenda items that have not been acted upon.

Present: 4 - Ald. Kopplin, Ald. Czaplewski, Ald. Dobrowski and Ald. Narlock
Excused: 1 - Ald. Sengstock

NEW AND PREVIOUS MATTERS

1. [2007-0600](#) Summons and Complaint in the matter of the complaint against Deborah A. Daniels, 2007-2009 Tavern Operator License renewal application no. 329.

Appearance by Deborah A. Daniels and Ronald P. Daniels. Attorney Book stated that with a suspension of Ms. Daniels bartenders license not being an option, that a Hearing to revoke her license needed to be scheduled. Assistant City Attorney Warchol explained the process of the Hearing to Ms. Daniels. A Hearing date of February 26, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. was agreed upon and scheduled. Mr. Daniels spoke on Ms. Daniels behalf regarding completed meetings and therapy. Ald. Czaplewski stated that Ms. Daniels could have witnesses speak on her behalf at the Hearing. She would need to provide Attorney Book with a list.
Held

2. [2007-0458](#) 2007-2009 Tavern Operator License renewal application no. 329 of Deborah A. Daniels.

See legislative file no. 2007-0600.
Held

F. ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Ald. Narlock, seconded by Ald. Dobrowski, to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 p.m. The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

*Ann Marie Neff
Secretary to the Committee*