



City Clerk
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February 9, 2022

Zakery VanderLinden
9142 W Chester St
Milwaukee, WI 53214

RE: Operator's License Application Review

Dear Zakery:

Your application for an Operator's/Bartender License is scheduled for a televised hearing before the License and Health Committee on: **February 17, 2022 at 7:00 pm in Room 128 at City of West Allis, City Hall, 7525 W. Greenfield Avenue, West Allis.**

The reason for the hearing is based upon information from your background check relating to conviction(s) for a felony, misdemeanor, or other offense; and/or habitual law offenses. The circumstances of the offenses substantially relate to the operation of a licensed premise because the conduct demonstrates irresponsible or illegal use of alcohol and/or drugs and/or noncompliance with licensing rules and regulations.

You are allowed to show competent evidence of rehabilitation and fitness to engage in the operation of a premises licensed to serve alcohol (Wis. Stat. §111.335(4)(c)1.b.)* See page 2 for additional information.

If you fail to appear you waive your opportunity to be heard to present your evidence of rehabilitation and your license application could be denied. If your license is denied, you will have to wait six months from the date of denial to reapply.

Please park in the parking lot on the south side of the building. Room 128 is the first room on your right when you enter the building. The Art Gallery is located in the lower level through glass doors.

If you have questions, please email clerk@westalliswi.gov.

Pursuant to Wisconsin Statute Section 111.335(4)(d)1, competent evidence of rehabilitation may include:

- A certified copy of a federal department of defense form showing honorable discharge or similar cessation of military service
- A copy of local, state, or federal release documents showing completion of probation, extended supervision, or parole
- Evidence that at least one year has lapsed since release from local, state, or federal custody without a new offense and compliance with terms of supervision

An applicant may also provide information regarding:

- Evidence of the nature and seriousness of the offense
- The circumstances relative to the offense, including mitigating or social conditions
- The age of the applicant at the time of the offense
- The length of time that has lapsed since the offense
- Letters of reference
- Any other relevant evidence of rehabilitation and present fitness.