

Dear ALRC members,

I will not be able to be at your meeting this evening but want to weigh in on items in District 2 which are on your agenda as follows.

Items 11 and 15 dealing with the Blind Pig at 1444 E. Washington Ave for an alcohol license and 21+ entertainment license. My understand is that Mr. Chandler will be withdrawing his request for a Class C Wine license and applying only for a Class B Beer license. I held a neighborhood meeting regarding this license and Mr. Chandler attended two Tenney Lapham Neighborhood Association Council meetings. Capt. Gloede and I also met separately with Mr. Chandler at 1444 E. Washington Ave. The neighborhood is in support as am I with the following conditions which have been agreed to by Mr. Chandler:

1. Close by 10:00 pm weeknights and 11:00 pm weekends
2. No outdoor amplified sound/music

Item 17 dealing with 608 Restaurant & Bar at 1738 Fordem requesting a Class B Combination Liquor & Beer license. This one is a bit more difficult. I met with Mr. Jonathan Enriquez and Capt. Gloede on March 10, 2016 as a result of my reaching out to Mr. Enriquez. When Ms. Debbie Fields in the Common Council office contacted him about getting together with Capt. Gloede and me Mr. Enriquez let her know about the public meeting he had scheduled per the requirements of licensure. Unfortunately it was not at a time I could go, nor was it publicized to the area residents other than by the required sign. Because of sign placement, it was extremely unlikely that residents would see the sign to learn of the opportunity to learn more. Therefore, with Mr. Enriquez's cooperation we have scheduled a neighborhood meeting for March 22, 2016 for which postcards have been sent to neighbors.

If you determine that the license should be granted I would like the following conditions attached. Mr. Enriquez has agreed to these conditions. In addition, Mr. Enriquez has agreed that if issues arise at the neighborhood meeting he would not object to have the license referred back to the ALRC from Common Council for additional consideration.

1. Patio close by 9:00 pm week nights and 10:00 pm Friday and Saturday nights
2. No alcohol outside of defined patio area and inside bar (i.e. volleyball spectators/players cannot take alcohol to court area or elsewhere)
3. No amplified sound/music outside the bar.
4. No whistles for volleyball game.
5. Volleyball games will end by 9:00 pm weeknights and 10:00 pm Friday and Saturday nights
6. Eight foot fence with sound deadening material between volley ball court/outside patio and apartments to the rear.

Thank you.

ALD. ZELLERS COMMENTS
TO ALRC

March 12, 2016

To: Madison Alcohol License Review Committee

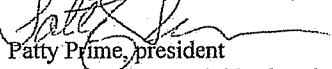
Re: Blind Pig at 1444 E. Washington Ave.

Jack Chandler appeared before the Tenney-Lapham Neighborhood Association (TLNA) council to request support for an alcohol license. They plan to open a art and music venue at 1444 E. East Washington Street. The Blind Pig will occupy two rooms on the main floor of the building. They plan to hold art events, including visual, spoken word, and music, serving beers for the events. They plan to end events at 11:00 PM. Some members of the TLNA Council, the alder, and neighbors attended a neighborhood meeting to see the space and ask questions. Captain Gloede was also on hand to answer questions.

The TLNA Council voted unanimously to support the Jack Chandler's request for an alcohol license at the Blind Pig given capacity and hours they described. Jack Chandler's plans will be a nice addition to the neighborhood and the increased activity adds to the attractiveness of our area as a destination for the neighbors and patrons further afield.

If you have any questions or if I can provide any additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Patty Prime, president

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