

**CITY OF STEVENS POINT
PUBLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE
Monday, December 14, 2015 – 8:33 P.M.
Lincoln Center – 1519 Water Street**

Present: Alderpersons: Doxtator, Mrozek, Ryan, Van Stippen, Morrow

Also

Present: Mayor Wiza; City Attorney Beveridge; Comptroller/Treasurer Ladick; City Clerk Moe; Alderpersons Slowinski, Kneebone, Patton and McComb; Director Ostrowski; Fire Chief Finn; Police Chief Skibba; Personnel Manager Jakusz; Paul Piotrowski; Barb Jacob; Kenny Rozek; Steve Louis; Cliff Bembenek; Dale Schulfer; Dave Worzalla; Dan Rutkowski; Roger Skrzeczkoski; Cathy Dugan

1. License List:

A. New Operator's (Bartender's) Licenses.

B. Temporary Class "B" / "Class B" (Picnic) License:

i. St. Joseph Parish, 1709 Wyatt Ave, Stevens Point, for Winterfest on February 5, 2016 at 1709 Wyatt Ave. Licensed operators on premise: Dave Hansen and Gail Klauck. (Beer only)

ii. Bill Cook Chapter-IWLA, P.O. Box 582, Stevens Point, for 52nd Annual Winter Jamboree on February 6, 2016 on property at 4001 Patch Street along McDill Pond. Licensed operator on the premise: Tina Lechner. (Beer only)

D. Pawnbroker/Secondhand Jewelry Dealer (Renewals):

i. Point Title and Pawn Loans, 2625 Church Street, Stevens Point, Dan J. Spaulding, owner.

ii. Lee Ayers Jewelers, 1044 Main Street, Stevens Point, Leon R. Ayers, owner.

Chief Skibba said the Police Department does not have any issues with these requests.

Ald. Mrozek **moved**, Ald. Ryan seconded, to approve items A, B & D as presented.

Call for the vote: Ayes, all; nays, none; motion carried.

B. Class "B" Fermented Malt Beverage License: Ashley Ann Lindsey, 6002 Camp Phillips Rd, Weston, WI for Curiosities, 929 Main Street, Stevens Point, for license period beginning December 22, 2015.

Chief Skibba said the Police Department is recommending denial of this request. He said after completing the background check on this individual, she would not even qualify for a bartender's license.

Ald. Doxtator **moved**, Ald. Ryan seconded, to deny this license based on concern for public health, safety and welfare of the community due to the applicant's criminal record.

City Attorney Beveridge said the motion is in order and it is stated in a way that creates a good record.

Call for the vote: Ayes, all; nays, none; motion carried.

2. Monthly Inspection Report and Request to Move the Report to the City Plan Commission.

Director Ostrowski said he is recommending to move approval of the report to the Plan Commission to keep these reports all in the same location.

Mayor Wiza agrees with moving approval of this report to the Plan Commission.

Ald. Van Stippen questioned why the large number of parking violations.

Director Ostrowski said parking has always been one of the biggest violations with people parking on yards. He noted that gravel is no longer considered a hard surface if it's not already in place and maintained. The Director said all new driveways will need to be either asphalt or concrete.

Ald. Doxtator stated this report has been on this committee's agenda since 1977.

Ald. Morrow **moved**, Ald. Van Stippen seconded, to accept the report and place it on file.

Call for the vote: Ayes, all; nays, none; motion carried.

Ald. Morrow **moved**, Ald. Van Stippen seconded, to approve moving the monthly Inspection Report to the City Plan Commission.

Call for the vote: Ayes, majority; nays, minority; motion carried.

***3. Ordinance Amendment – Polling Place Change for District #4 – Move from Madison School, 600 Maria Dr. to Mid-State Technical College, 1001 Centerpoint Dr.). (Sec. 15.03(4) of the RMC).**

Ald. Doxtator said there is a vast difference between what the City has for a polling location at Madison School compared to what Mid-State Technical College is offering.

Clerk Moe said the City has been working on this for some time. He noted the individuals at the school have been very cooperative and good to work with. He said a new location needed to be considered because of the room size, parking issues and safety of the children. The Clerk thanked Paul Piotrowski for all of his hard work in helping set this up as well as Dean Gaul.

Paul Piotrowski, 4th District Chief Inspector, said during fall elections, the room that they were using at Madison School did not have enough room for voting and voter

registrations so they had to use the hallway. He also said at the end of the school day, there was not a good way to get voters in and out with all of the foot and bus traffic.

Ald. Mrozek **moved**, Ald. Morrow seconded, to approve the ordinance amendment to move the polling place for District Four from Madison School to Mid-State Technical College.

Call for the vote: Ayes, all; nays, none; motion carried.

4. Adjournment.

Adjournment at 8:47 p.m.