

MINUTES
ORDINANCE & LICENSE COMMITTEE
Monday, March 24, 2014
Waukesha City Hall, Council Chambers

Members Present: Ald. S. Johnson-chair, Ald. D. Manion, Ald. R. Patton,
Ald. A. Perry

Members Absent: Ald. P. Bartels

Staff Present: Brian Engelking-Transit Manager, Sgt. Becker-WKPD

Others Present:

1. Approval of minutes for February 24, 2014.

Ald. Johnson made a motion to approve the minutes for February 24, 2014; motion seconded and unanimously approved.

2. Licenses

Sidewalk Café Permit (per list)

Ald. Patton made a motion to approve the Sidewalk Café Permits with the conditions listed by Community Development; motion seconded and unanimously approved.

Bartender/Operator Licenses (per list)

Ald. Johnson made a motion to approve the bartender licenses; motion seconded by Ald. Patton and unanimously approved.

3. Discussion and recommendation: Revise City Mass Transit Ordinance 31.14 Pets or Animals Prohibited. The current exception regarding service animals permitted needs to be updated to comply with current Americans with Disabilities Act regulations. (Transit)

Brian Engelking addressed the Committee. He said the exception in sec. 31.14 is outdated. The ordinance currently only allows for dogs guiding the blind, which is out of compliance with federal ADA standards. The standard issued by the Department of Justice in 2010 is that the exception needs to be broader to include service animals that perform work or tasks for persons with disabilities. He said currently all service animals are allowed on buses.

Ald. Patton made a motion to approve the draft ordinance; the motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

4. Communications

Ald. Johnson told the Committee at their April 14th meeting they will be discussing Special Events. He said Bill Huelsman asked the Committee to look at a couple issues that he had with Special Events occurring downtown. Johnson said he met with Mr. Huelsman, Clerk/Treasurer Kozlik and Assistant City Attorney Julie Gay to discussed some of the issues and the attorney wrote a memo that he will make sure everyone has for that meeting. Ald. Johnson said Mr. Huelsman's issues are minor but he wanted them readdressed.

Ald. Johnson said in May and June the O&L Committee meetings may be changing to the day before the Council meetings.

5. Adjournment

Ald. Johnson made a motion to adjourn; motion seconded and unanimously approved. Meeting adjourned at 6:20 p.m.