

## **PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE**

Date and Time: Monday, October 20, 2014, at 5:15 pm, (Council Chambers)

Members Present: Rasmussen (C), Gisselman, Kellbach, Wagner, Neal

Others Present: Alfonso, Hardel, Barnes, Bishop, Kujawa, Rayala, Hebert, Goede, Linda Karger, Nichole LaPorte, Vanessa LaPorte, Donald Mertes, and other interested parties.

### **Public Comment on matters appearing on the agenda.**

- 1) Susan Haug, Ringle, representing the Wausau Bird Club, spoke in opposition to a committee recommendation in favor of or financial support for a Trap-Neuter-Release program.
- 2) Lettie Becker, Rib Mountain, spoke in favor of a TNR program believing it was the sensible and cost effective way to go.
- 3) Terry Carol, Town of Easton, stated she has a feral colony which she has maintained for 15 years and was in support of a TNR program. She indicated she would be willing to put together a volunteer committee.
- 4) Dick LeClair, 513 Stark St, opposed the TNR plan and felt the problem was with irresponsible pet owners.
- 5) Kim Schoenberger, 702 S 21<sup>st</sup> St, spoke regarding pet licensing and in support of TNR and agreed it was an issue with irresponsible pet owners.
- 6) Mark Dillman, 129 Weston Ave, stated education was the key and he would support whatever decision the committee made.
- 7) Judith Miller, 903 Kickbusch St, was opposed to the proposal of the police department to house cats and believed TNR was the best option we have at this point.

### **Minutes of previous meeting(s) (9/15/14)**

Motion by Kellbach, second by Neal to approve the minutes of the previous meeting (9/15/14). Motion carried 5-0.

### **HEARING: Nicole LaPorte, owner, appeal of dangerous animal designation declaration - Fonzy; and appeal of prohibited dangerous animal declaration - Kit Kat**

Rasmussen opened the hearing, the procedure was explained and the Clerk swore in the individuals present to testify.

Nicole LaPorte presented her appeal for Kit Kat designated as prohibited dangerous and which has been impounded at the Humane Society and for Fonzy designated as dangerous. She indicated she has now complied with all the requirements of the ordinance to prevent any further issues. Alfonso followed up with questions. Humane Officer, Ashlee Bishop, presented the city's case.

LaPorte stated she would withdraw the appeal of dangerous animal designation of Fonzy and asked that Kit Kat's designation be changed from a prohibited dangerous animal to dangerous animal. She stated she wanted to comply and would do anything they asked to have her dogs back in her environment and with her family.

### **Closed Session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes for the purpose of considering the following: Deliberating concerning a case which was the subject of any judicial or quasi-judicial trial or hearing before the governmental body**

Motion by Neal, second by Gisselman to convene in closed session. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Gisselman, Neal, Wagner, Kellbach, Rasmussen. Noes: 0. Motion carried 5-0.

### **Reconvene in Open Session, announce results of deliberations on appeal of dangerous animal declaration and prohibited dangerous animal declaration.**

Motion by Wagner, second by Kellbach to reconvene in open session. Motion carried unanimously.

Rasmussen read the findings of facts and stated based upon testimony of the parties the committee finds in favor of the appeal and Kit Kat shall not be designated as a prohibited dangerous animal under the Wausau Municipal Code, however, the original designation of dangerous animal and the requirements associated with the possession of a dangerous animal shall be upheld and maintained. The committee also notes from this point forward there is no question what would happen in this situation if the Humane Officer finds that they are out of compliance or another bite occurs.

Barnes stated there is an expense under our Held for Cause Contract. The animal has been held at the Humane Society which is approximately \$16 per day plus an entry fee. He requested that the owner pay the pending bill.

**Consider various license applications.**

Rasmussen indicated Shawn Bauer's application for a Public Transport Driver was recommended for denial. Bauer addressed the committee stating he has a bad record but has been trying to change his life and hold down a job. He commented he had his back fused and it has been very hard for him to find work, but this is something he can do.

Chief Hardel stated Bauer's record includes one felony conviction in 2006 and three OWI convictions. Bauer indicated he has not had any criminal convictions since 2006. Hardel stated the three OWI convictions greatly concerned him and he has never recommended approval for a public transport driver with three OWIs. Rasmussen commented she was also concerned with the number of operating after revocation citations, which told her he did not take it seriously and drove anyway. Bauer stated he understood their concerns but was really trying to be a good citizen. He agreed he had a real problem with his driver's license but finally got it back after paying over \$10,000 in fines. He felt he paid his debt and has learned from his mistakes.

Rasmussen noted there was a special event application for the 2014 Eastbay Turkey Trot. Goede noted that Rob Andringa, DPW, temporarily objects until a meeting is scheduled with the police department regarding the route. Lt. Barnes stated there were several concerns with the Turkey Trot, specifically that it is held on Thanksgiving. He stated last year we required that Bridge Street and 5<sup>th</sup> Street and a portion of Scott Street have a lane closure because it would not be safe to run the sidewalks with 1500 – 2000 people. They are anticipating the same turnout this year, so he has a meeting scheduled with DPW to address who will put out the cones and staffing. He indicated they would work out the details and recommended approval.

Motion by Neal, second by Wagner to approve or deny licenses as recommended by staff, with the exception of Shawn Bauer for Public Transport Driver, to be voted separately. Motion carried 5-0.

Neal commented he understood the Chief's recommendation regarding Bauer, but felt he paid his dues by not having any history the last five years and he deserved a chance. Wagner commended him for trying to turn his life around, but felt this was not a job he qualified for based on his record.

Motion by Neal, second by Gisselman to approve Shawn Bauer for a Public Transport Driver license. Motion failed 1-4.

**Property Maintenance and Housing Code Violation Enforcement Report - Inspections (Bill Hebert)**

Bill Hebert stated they were approximately 1,000 notices over last year already. He noted they have also taken on the task of weed notices and drastically improved that service. Report placed on file.

**Discussion and make recommendation on continuing use of PetData System for pet licensing vs. creating an in-house alternate solution**

Maryanne Groat, Finance Director, stated we entered into a contract with PetData last year for processing animal licenses. The contract provides a payment of \$3.90 for each license, regardless of whether those licenses are processed in-house here at City Hall or if they are processed online or through the mail. The other service they provide in addition to issuing licenses is online access for people to look up a pet to see if it is licensed or find an owner of a lost pet. She indicated the city has paid \$22,000 to date for that service and next year she estimated it to be approximately \$24,000. She indicated because over half of the licenses are issued here at City Hall we were considering whether we could provide this service in-house without incurring this additional cost. She felt the additional demands of the licenses could be met with our current staffing. The only problem we encounter is the timing because we have short notice before the licenses go out. One of the critical things for IT is for our public safety personnel and animal control officer to be able to access the data base at any time so that they can see if a pet is licensed and/or to attempt to reach the pet owner. There would be an upload that would occur nightly that our public safety people would have access to. The data base is also available to the public online. At this point IT did not feel they could accomplish online licensing this year, but should be able to next year. Groat noted less than 10% of licenses are obtained online.

Rasmussen stated she received feedback from the Village of Weston, whom we have partnered with on the PetData contract, that they are not willing at all to consider giving up PetData. They have adopted it as a complete solution and as a result have quit selling licenses across the counter. She indicated Dan Guild suggested we go completely

with PetData as well and install kiosks for people to use. Groat stated PetData does not recommend it because if your goal is to get as many people to license as possible, you want to make it as convenient as possible. She commented we have an elderly population that typically takes care of their pet licensing when they come in to pay their taxes. Rasmussen stated pet licensing for 2015 is almost upon us, so she suggested leaving it alone for this year and consider moving to in-house for 2016. She also suggested starting discussions with Weston over the summer regarding implementation and how we can work it together with them. Gisselman expressed concern with the backlog of projects in IT and felt we should have some guarantee they can get it done. Consensus was status quo for 2015.

**Consider and make recommendation to Finance Committee/Council on possible increase in 2015 pet license fees to \$12 for altered and \$24 for unaltered pets.**

Rasmussen commented she has received calls from concerned residents urging us not balance the animal control budget on the backs of the few citizens that want to comply. She indicated Oberbeck suggested an alternative that we consider some sort of incentive for people willing to microchip their pets to receive a discounted license fee.

Renee Hodell, Village of Weston representative, indicated Administrator Guild would only be in support of a fee increase if we continued with PetData. She commented their residents who have been compliant also felt they were penalized. They increased their late fees as a solution instead of the on time fees. Bishop noted the citation for non-licensing is \$187.

Neal stated he was interested in a more creative comprehensive proposal to send to Council rather than just raising fees. Wagner indicated he was not in favor of raising the license fee again, but liked the idea of charging more for violators. He wanted to make it clear it is not about making money, but it was about getting people educated to get pets vaccinated, chipped and licensed. Consensus was to look at it for 2016 as part of a comprehensive plan along with PetData versus in-house.

**Consider potential policy/ordinance changes necessary to begin in-house cat sheltering operations in January 2015 to meet statutory hold obligations if needed.**

Lt. Barnes indicated he and the Humane Society have been in conversation and have informally negotiated a price point per cat that is lower than what we paid in 2014. Although there is potential for cost savings associated with in-house cat kennels at the Police Department, we don't want to be in the business of taking care of cats every day. He had significant concerns on whether or not we would be able to be up and running by January 1<sup>st</sup>. He knew for a fact there weren't any police officers that wanted to be cleaning cat cages every day. He stated the Police Department's perspective at this point for 2015 would be to continue our relationship with the Humane Society and move forward from there.

Rasmussen commented she felt in-house sheltering has always been considered a last resort if nothing could be worked out with the Humane Society. Neal felt anything we can do to firm up the relationship with the city and the Humane Society in an effective program is what the public is looking for us to achieve. Wagner agreed this was a last resort and having a contract with the Humane Society and a relationship that works both ways is best. He still wanted the Humane Society to insist that all animals that are adopted into our area are licensed as part of the contract. He stressed he was opposed to the fact that they do not help us license these animals.

Linda Karger, HS, stated they do give the information to pet owners where to go for licensing. Rasmussen questioned if they could go a step further and help them to process the license with PetData through a credit card before they leave. Karger indicated she would have to take it to the Board, but if the city wanted to provide a kiosk with a computer at the Humane Society they might be willing to help people with it.

**Evaluate and make recommendation to Council on whether to support creation of a community TNR (Trap, Neuter, Release) plan for management of feral cat colonies and begin creation of enabling language in ordinances pertaining to leash requirements and open feeding to permit cat colony maintenance by volunteers associated with the plan.**

Rasmussen noted in Dr. Susan Krebsbach's presentation she stated that a group of volunteers or the shelter could begin TNR with or without us. The Council needs some direction from the PH&S Committee as far as what we feel should happen with TNR. We have heard from people present at meetings and received email and article commentary from both sides of the issue in almost equal amounts. Karger stated the HS would not organize these groups but would help facilitate the establishment of them and provide resources and information.

Following discussion the consensus was to hold off on any support of a TNR plan until such time that an organized volunteer group with a structure and a plan comes forward and presents to us what their mission is.

**Tavern Activities / Compliance Checks / Law Enforcement Activities**

Chief Hardel presented the Tavern Report from September 5, 2014 thru October 07, 2014. (See attached report.)

Lt Barnes stated Scott Kurzynski, owner of the Paradox, was arrested on October 10<sup>th</sup>. This was the culmination of a long investigation conducted in partnership between the FBI Division of Criminal Investigation, Marathon County SIU, with assistance of CSO's and the Wausau Police Department. Kurzynski solicited an undercover state agent to sell him 100 pounds of high grade marijuana. As part of that investigation we learned that there were significant marijuana sales conducted by Mr. Kurzynski prior to that date. He was taken into custody and incarcerated in the Marathon County jail where he currently sits on a cash bond. Not only is he the agent of record and the holder of the liquor license, we have evidence in this investigation of the Paradox bar being utilized in the trafficking of those drugs. Many of the conversations setting up this drug transaction occurred inside the Paradox bar and we have evidence that significant quantities of marijuana were being stored or housed inside the Paradox.

Rasmussen stated she met with PD and the Attorney's Office to determine what the committee needs to do in regard to the liquor license for the Paradox. Since he is the agent and owner and is not available to run the bar there is a question as to whether the bar can remain open. She stated they have the option to suspend the license for a period or revoke the license entirely. This will require a special PH&S meeting to consider the complaint and vote on whether to move forward with a formal hearing. She indicated a special PH&S Committee meeting will be set up as soon as the proper documentation is ready.

Wagner questioned if It's Our Clubhouse was intending to open for food and soda service during its suspension period. Rayala indicated the beer taps were removed and the alcohol has been locked in a room in the basement. Wagner was concerned about private parties inside the premise because Mr. Morel has not shown good judgment to this point. It was his understanding the 60 day suspension was to give him time to educate and change his procedures. He questioned if he had the proper licensing from the Health Department for food service. Hardel indicated Morel was defensive with Officers when asked about food licensing, but the PD will continue to check the premises. Rayala stated she would check with the Department of Justice Alcohol Enforcement to determine if he is allowed to keep the alcohol locked up on premise during the suspension period and if not, what legally has to be done with it.

**Operations Report from Fire Department for September 2014**

No discussion. Place on file.

**Communications**

None.

**Adjournment**

Motion by Neal, second by Gisselman to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 8:39 pm.

Attachment

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**Date** 10-07-14  
**To** Chief Hardel  
**From** Lt. Todd Baeten  
**Subject** TAVERN REPORT September 05, 2014 through October 07, 2014

**ROUTINE TAVERN INSPECTIONS (No violations unless noted)**

**Malarkey's**, 412 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St.

**Mountain Lanes**, 1401 Elm St. - **Still closed. May be for sale.**

**North End Pub**, 1002 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

**Oz**, 320 Washington St.

**Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

**Paradox**, 932 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

**Player's**, 4411 Stewart Ave.

**Polack Inn**, 1206 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

**Roc's Place**, 810 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

**Showtime Gentlemen's Club**, 1709 Merrill Ave.

**The Bar**, 1025 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

**Tremor's Sports Bar**, 516 W. Thomas St.

**Treu's Tic Toc Club**, 1201 W. Thomas St.

**VFW Burns Post 388**, 388 River Dr.

**NOTABLE INCIDENTS THAT OCCURRED AT TAVERNS TO WHICH POLICE WERE DISPATCHED.**

**101 Pub**, 101 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140106047, 09-06-14 at 6:46pm: Officer spoke with an individual who stated he is out of jail on bond, and he saw a female at 101 Pub that he believes is on probation. He wanted the female

arrested. Both of the individuals' probation agents were contacted and made aware of the situation.

**101 Pub**, 101 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140106457, 09-07-14 at 8:23pm: Officers responded for a report of a female refusing to leave. Upon arrival, officer made contact with a female screaming through the window at the bartender. Female registered 0.22BrAC on a PBT. Bartender advised the female became upset she was refused service due to her intoxication level. Not being a candidate for an alcohol detention, the female was permitted to walk her bicycle home.

**101 Pub**, 101 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140115127, 09-27-14 at 9:06am: Officer responded to a complaint of a lost ring. The ring was described as yellow gold with one large diamond and some smaller ones on the side, with a total of 5-7 diamonds.

**101 Pub**, 101 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140118453, 10-05-14 at 2:38am: Officer on routine patrol observed three people exiting 101 Pub with full drinks. They were stopped and told they could not be walking on the street with open containers. The individuals were cooperative and dumped the alcohol out. The officer reported warning the bartender they were not allowed to give out "to go" cups.

**6<sup>th</sup> Street Pub**, 2002 N. 6<sup>th</sup> St., Event #140115415, 09-27-14 at 11:09pm: Officer responded for a report of loud noise. The reporting party indicated the doors to the bar were open and people were yelling. Upon arrival, officer observed the door to the tavern was closed and there was no activity outside that would constitute a disturbance.

**Bob & Randy's Bar**, 1515 N. 6<sup>th</sup> St., Event #140106523, 09-08-14 at 12:43am: Officers responded to the area of Bob & Randy's bar for a report of a "drunk" running from the bar toward Family Video. The male was located sitting/lying on the sidewalk at N. 6<sup>th</sup> St. at Steuben St. He was very intoxicated and his roommate agreed to stay up and watch him for a while.

**Campus Pub**, 1110 W. Campus Dr., Case #14-8558, 09-27-14 at 2:15am: Officers responded to the area of Campus Pub for a report of an intoxicated female that had just driven away from the bar in a vehicle. The vehicle was located a short distance away. The driver refused all testing and was arrested for OWI 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Day's Bowl-A-Dome**, 1715 Stewart Ave., Case #14-8052, 09-10-14 at 7:58pm: Officers responded to the bar for a report of a male that left without paying his \$95.00 bar tab. The male was located about a block away. It was discovered that he had no money to pay the bar tab. Additionally, the male was found to have a warrant for his arrest and he was also on probation. The male was arrested and transported to jail for Absconding without Paying, the warrant and a probation hold.

**Glass Hat**, 1203 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Event #140109621, 09-15-14 at 1:33am: Officer was dispatched for a report of music playing very loudly. The caller was not sure if it was the tavern or the apartments across the street. Officer responding learned that the tavern was not playing music and they did not have live music or a DJ. The complaint was not substantiated.

**Glass Hat**, 1203 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Case #14-8366, 09-20-14 at 1:58am: Officers responded to Glass Hat for a report of a staff member that had been battered by a female patron who then left the area on foot. Investigation showed that a Glass Hat bouncer was attempting to address the female's disruptive behavior in the bar when she grabbed his eyeglasses and broke them. She then struck him in the face multiple times before fleeing on foot. The female had left her purse in the bar, and she was identified when she returned to the bar a short time later to retrieve the purse. She registered 0.25BrAC on a PBT. The female was arrested and transported jail for Battery.

**Glass Hat**, 1203 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Case #14-8559, 09-27-14 at 2:48am: Officers responded for a report of several individuals fighting in the street. Upon officer arrival, all parties were fleeing the area - some in a vehicle and some on bicycles. Officers located the ones on bicycles nearby. They denied having been involved in an altercation. One of the males smelled of intoxicants, and was on probation. He was arrested and transported to corrections for a probation violation.

**It's Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Event #140105601, 09-05-14 at 6:42pm: Officer conducted follow-up to a prior incident involving a Temporary Restraining Order the owner has against another citizen. Subsequent to this conversation, the owner advised the officer he wanted to change the tavern's environment in a positive way. He

further stated he wants to have a good reputation and experience with the city. He then advised that the tavern's part-owner is Jolene Finger.

**It's Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Event #140105736, 09-06-14 at 12:32am: Officers were dispatched for an anonymous complaint of five males in the parking lot smoking marijuana. Officers did not observe any males smoking marijuana, nor was an odor of marijuana detected. The bouncer on scene advised he had told the males they were not allowed smoke marijuana on the property. They then dispersed before officers came

**It's Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Event #140105776, 09-06-14 at 2:31am: Officer conducting patrol in the area of It's Our Clubhouse tavern documented some comments regarding noise levels and new door signage. The officer noted the owner had a sign posted on the north side door instructing patrons to use the other. The officer reported that the noise level was mild due to bouncer and the owner standing at the door.

**It's Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Event #140106216, 09-07-14 at 2:14am: Officer observed a male subject they believed to have probation condition which prohibited him from being in tavern. Upon officer arrival, the male stepped back inside and eventually fled out the opposite door and was not located

**It's Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Case #14-8158, 09-13-14 at 1:23am: Officers conducting undercover surveillance on exterior of It's Our Clubhouse tavern between 10:00pm and 1:15am observed several activities, including an argument between a male and female resulting in the male smashing a couple of glass bottles in the street and then laying down on the road. The male was found to have a marijuana pipe in his pants pocket. He was arrested for Disorderly Conduct and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. The female was also arrested for Disorderly Conduct as she had been shouting profanities repeatedly during the incident.

Undercover officers on scene also reported observing numerous intoxicated persons that were able to be heard from a block away talking loudly and using profanity. Officers also reported observing many patrons outside the tavern with open alcohol containers, and stopped counting the times they could hear someone use the word "fuck" after reaching 100. Lt. M. Barnes eventually spoke with owner Bryan Morel after having contact with tavern bartender. After explain the concerns he had witnessed, Lt. Barnes stated Mr. Morel told him he was just going to have the bartender close the tavern early. Lt. Barnes advised that officers assisted in the early closing of the tavern that evening.

**It's Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Event #140109472, 09-14-14 at 6:38pm: Officer were dispatched to the area outside It's Our Clubhouse tavern for a report of lots of screaming and "heavy arguing." It was discovered that a male party had asked a female to stop leaning his vehicle as she was outside smoking. The male decided to move the vehicle onto the street, but the female would not move. This resulted in an escalation in the argument. The female was found to be intoxicated, and was eventually released to her roommate.

**It's Our Clubhouse**, 738 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Case #14-8432, 09-22-14 at 9:39pm: Officers responded for a report of male patron that had handed marijuana to the bartender. The male was located inside the bar. He was found to be in possession of suspected marijuana and drug paraphernalia. He was arrested and transported to jail for those offenses and for an active probation warrant.

**Labor Temple**, 318 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140115479, 09-28-14 at 1:42am: Officer was dispatched for a report of two people engaging in sexual activity behind the building. Officer made contact with two security personnel outside the building. They theorized the call was made by a disgruntled neighbor because there was a music show at the Labor Temple that evening. The show was loud and the windows were open. They were advised to close the windows to minimize the noise. The security staff said they would comply with this.

**Loppnow's Bar**, 1502 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Event #140112368, 09-21-14 at 1:29am: Officer on patrol observed a male standing outside Loppnow's with an open container of alcohol. Officer made contact with bartender, who stated that their patrons are usually regulars who know not to go outside. There were no signs posted regarding keeping alcohol inside, and no staff working the doors. Officers did not cite the patron, and made a follow-up visit to the bar a couple of days later to suggest options to prevent this activity from happening any further.

**Loppnow's Bar**, 1502 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Case #14-8817, 10-05-14 at 10:46am: Officer dispatched to Loppnow's for a report of a male that had damaged a window at the bar and left the area in a vehicle. Neither the vehicle nor the

male were located. Witnesses describe the male as acting like on he was “on something.” The investigation continues.

**Malarkey’s Pub**, 412 N.3<sup>rd</sup> St., Case #14-8772, 10-03-14 at 10:47pm: Officer on patrol observed a male standing in front of Malarkey’s she recognized from previous contacts as being on probation. The male was contacted, submitted to a PBT (registered 0.08BrAC), and admitted to drinking. After hours Probation & Parole office was contacted and they authorized a hold. The male was taken into custody and transported to corrections.

**Paradox**, 932 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140106185, 09-07-14 at 12:42am: Officer on patrol witnessed what appeared to be a physical confrontation in front of Paradox. Investigation showed that a bar patron became disruptive when escorted out of the bar by the bartender for his disruptive behavior. He was just asked to leave for the night.

**Paradox**, 932 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140109274, 09-14-14 at 1:40am: Officer was dispatched to Paradox for a report of a disruptive patron refusing to leave. Upon officer arrival, the male agreed to leave cooperatively.

**Paradox**, 932 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Case #14-8391, 09-21-14 at 1:54am: Officers were dispatched to Paradox for a report of a male patron refusing to leave. Further investigation showed that the male had been antagonizing other patron, and the owner. The male was shouting profanity as well. He was issued a municipal citation for Disorderly Conduct.

**Paradox**, 932 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #140118445, 10-05-14 at 2:13am: Officer was patrolling in the area of Paradox a he observed a group of people that had been removed from the bar. Other patrons nearby started pushing and shoving people from the first group. A female was pushed to the ground, but declined to pursue charges. When officer activated his emergency lights, the individuals started running in different directions.

**Players**, 4411 Stewart Ave., Event #140109286, 09-14-14 at 2:35am: Officers responded to Player’s for a report of a fight in progress. Investigation showed that a female patron alleged to have assaulted by a male staff member. She stated he physically removed her from the bar when there was still 5 minutes before close. The staff member stated the female had not left despite having been told it was time to go. She used to profanity and continued to talk on her cell phone. He stated he did take hold of her arm to direct her out of the bar. Investigation continues.

**Polack Inn**, 1206 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Case #14-8774, 10-04-14 at 1:44am: Officer on patrol observed a male standing outside Polack Inn with an open container of alcohol (Pabst tall boy). Contact was made with the bartender, and the patron was cited for Liquor on the Street. There were no signs posted inside the bar, and nobody working the door.

**Roc’s Place**, 810 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Case #14-8023, 09-10-14 at 12:00am: Officers were dispatched for a report of an out of control male. Upon officer arrival, the male was located but he then fled from officers on foot. Following a brief foot pursuit, the male was apprehended. He was arrested and transported to corrections for Disorderly Conduct, Resisting and Resisting Arrest Causing Harm to Officer.

**Roc’s Place**, 810 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Event #14-1-9578, 09-14-14 at 11:44pm: Officers were dispatched for a report of loud music and people being loud. Officer indicated that a records check showed only one noise complaint there in the past three months. Verbal warning was issued, and the music was turned down to an acceptable level.

**Roc’s Place**, 810 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Case #14-8606, 09-28-14 at 6:41pm: Officer conducting a traffic stop in front of Roc’s Place reported hearing some type of disturbance inside the bar. Further investigation showed that the bartender appeared intoxicated (odor of intoxicants, slurred speech and poor balance), and had been yelling at another female in the bar. The bartender refused a PBT. She was subsequently issued a municipal for violation of the Sober Server ordinance. She was able to call another bartender to come in to work.

**Showtime Gentlemen’s Club**, 1709 Merrill Ave., Case #14-8425, 09-25-14 at 3:44pm: Officer was dispatched for a report of fraud. Investigation showed that a male patron had recently run up a tab of \$237.00 on his debit card. The card had been denied, and the male was not able to be located. The male was referred for Absconding without Paying.

**Tremor’s Sports Bar**, 516 W. Thomas St., Event #140106172, 09-07-14 at 12:12am: Officers responded along with paramedics from Wausau Fire Department for a report of an unconscious female. It was learned the female had been drinking at a bar across the street initially. She had a few sips of a drink at Tremor’s before losing

consciousness. It was thought that she may have had other drugs in her system. The female was transported to Aspirus Wausau Hospital.

**Tremor's Sports Bar**, 516 W. Thomas St., Event #140109491, 09-14-14 at 7:26pm: While conducting regular bar check, officer learned the bartender on duty did not have a current operator's license due to unpaid fines. She was permitted to contact another bartender to come in to work.

**Tremor's Sports Bar**, 516 W. Thomas St., Event #140113005, 09-22-14 at 6:32pm: Officers responded for a report of a civil complaint. It was reported that the individual that leases the building in which Tremor's is located was wanting the bar closed as he was going to open a different business there. The owner of Tremor's was contesting this, as she had lots of inventory there. The male was advised he may have to go through an eviction process, and was told to consult the sheriff's department.

**Tremor's Sports Bar**, 516 W. Thomas St., Event #140115009, 09-27-14 at 12:36am: Officers responded for a report of a fight between some males and a female outside the tavern. The parties were gone on arrival. The bartender did say there had been a male and female arguing inside the tavern and she had told them to leave.

#### **RESTAURANT INSPECTIONS (No violations unless noted)**

**2510 Restaurant**, 2510 Stewart Ave.

**Allister Deacon's**, 300 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Ste. #103

**Angelo's Pizza/Tuesday's Bar**, 1206 N. 6<sup>th</sup> St.

**Applebee's**, 2221 Stewart Ave.

**Back When Café**, 606 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St.

**BB Jack's**, 900 Golf Club Rd

**Buffalo Wild Wings Bar & Grill**, 1819 Stewart Ave.

**Bunkers Bar & Grill**, 1001 Golf Club Rd.

**Chang Garden**, 102 Jefferson St.

**Courtyard by Marriot**, 100 S. 22<sup>nd</sup> Ave.

**El Jalapeno Bar & Grill**, 300 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Ste. #101

**Great Dane Pub & Brewing**, 2305 Sherman St.

**Greenwood Hills**, 2002 Poplar Ln.

**King Buffet**, 358 S. 18<sup>th</sup> Ave.

**Mandarin**, 150 E. Stewart Ave.

**Milwaukee Burger Company**, 2200 Stewart Ave.

**Mint Café**, 422 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St.

**New City Grill**, 203 Jefferson St.

**Noodles & Company**, 1800 Stewart Ave.

**Peking Chinese Restaurant**, 221 Scott St.

**Pizza Hut**, 210 S. 1<sup>st</sup> Ave.

**Plaza Hotel & Suites**, 201 N. 17<sup>th</sup> Ave.

**Polito's Pizza**, 311 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St.

**Red Apple Social Club**, 707 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

**Red Eye Brewing Company**, 612 Washington St.

**Sam's Pizza**, 111 Elm St.

**Sawadee Thai Restaurant**, 1720 Merrill Ave #500

**Taqueria Tres Hermanos**,

**Vino Latte**, 700 Grand Ave.

**Wausau Mine Company**, 3904 W. Stewart Ave.

**Westwood Conference Center**, 1800 W. Bridge St.

**Whiskey River Bar & Grill**, 5512 Stewart Ave.

#### **ALCOHOL BEVERAGE DEMERIT POINTS ASSESSED**

Respectfully submitted,  
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