



# City of Racine

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## Meeting Minutes - Final

### Sex Offender Residency Board

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Friday, May 30, 2025

10:00 AM

City Hall, 730 Washington Ave., Rm 303

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#### Call To Order

**PRESENT:** 3 - Paul Nuechterlein, Karri Hemmig and Melisa Palacios

#### Approval of Minutes for May 15, 2025 Meeting

A motion was made by Hemmig, seconded by Nuechterlein, to Approve the Minutes.

#### New Business

##### [0545-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication from Eric Aponte requesting an exemption from the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine.

##### CLOSED SESSION

A portion of this public hearing may convene into closed session pursuant to Wis. Stat. sec. 19.85(1)(f), to consider medical history of alcohol, drug, and sex offender treatment, juvenile conviction records, and other health information.

##### CLOSED SESSION

At the conclusion of the hearing, it is intended that the Board will convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding the application of Eric Aponte for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision.

*Mr. Aponte's application was to be heard by telephone conference. When the call was made, there was no answer at the facility he was located at. A call was received back that he was at another hearing and unable to attend.*

**A motion was made by Hemmig, seconded by Palacios, that this file be Deferred**

##### [0548-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication from Robert I. Robinson requesting an exemption from the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside

at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine. Exemption Approved with Conditions

*Mr. Robinson was interviewed by the Board virtually.*

*Neuchterlein moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Board convene into closed session pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes section 19.85(1)(f) to give consideration to medical history of alcohol, drug, and sex offender treatment, juvenile conviction records, and other health information in relation to the request of Robert I. Robinson for an exception to the Sex Offender Residency Restrictions which, if discussed in public, would be likely to have a substantial adverse effect on persons involved. Roll Call Vote: Palacios, Aye. Hemmig, Aye.*

*Nuechterlein moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding the application of Robert I. Robinson for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Roll Call Vote: Palacios, Aye. Hemmig, Aye.*

*Hemmig moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: Palacios Aye, Nuechterlein Aye.*

**A motion was made by Nuechterlein, seconded by Palacios, that this file be approved with conditions. Mr. Robinson is to return in approximately six months with proof of completion or enrolled in SOT and also receive a psychological examination.**

[0549-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication from Dakota Hensley requesting an exemption from the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine.

*The Board was informed by Mr. Hensley's agent that his application does not need to be heard at this time.*

**A motion was made by Hemmig, seconded by Palacios, that this file be Received and Filed**

[0546-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication from Steven Andrew Hammond requesting an exemption from the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1128 Hayes Avenue, City of Racine. (Exemption Granted)

*Mr. Hammond was interviewed by the Board.*

*Hemmig moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding the application of Steven Andrew Hammond for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1128 Hayes Avenue, City of Racine and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Roll Call Vote: Nuechterlein Aye, Palacios Aye.*

**A motion was made by Nuechterlein, seconded by Hemmig, that this file be Approved**

[0547-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication from Zyshonne Tyson requesting an exemption from the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1643 Villa Street, City of Racine. (Exemption Granted)

*Mr. Tyson was interviewed by the Board. It was determined that Mr. Tyson met an exception in the ordinance. The Board did not feel a need to go into closed session to deliberate.*

**A motion was made by Hemmig, seconded by Palacios, that this file be Approved**

[0553-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication from Nicholas Beecher requesting an exemption from the residency restriction that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine. (Exemption Granted)

*Mr. Beecher was interviewed by the Board.*

*Nuechterlein moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding the application of Nicholas Beecher for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Roll Call Vote: Hemmig Aye, Palacios Aye.*

**A motion was made by Hemmig, seconded by Palacios, that this file be Approved**

[0554-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication from Kenneth Johnson requesting an exemption from the residency restriction that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine. (Exemption Granted)

*Mr. Johnson was interviewed by the Board.*

*Hemmig moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding the application of Kenneth Johnson for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1316 Twelfth Street, City of Racine and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Roll Call Vote: Nuechterlein Aye, Palacios Aye.*

**A motion was made by Hemmig, seconded by Palacios, that this file be Approved**

**Adjournment**