



# City of Racine

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## Meeting Minutes - Final

### Public Safety and Licensing Committee

*Alder Sandy Weidner*  
*Alder Renee Kelly*  
*Alder Sam Peete*  
*Alder Nathan Pabon*  
*Alder Malik Frazier*

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Wednesday, July 9, 2025

5:00 PM

Racine Public Library, Community Room

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#### Call To Order

**PRESENT:** 5 - Weidner, Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

#### Approval of Minutes for the June 25, 2025 Meeting.

A motion was made by Alder Peete, seconded by Alder Pabon, that the minutes be Approved. The motion PASSED by the following vote:

**AYES:** 3 - Kelly, Peete and Pabon

**EXCUSED:** 1 - Frazier

[0662-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the City Clerk's Office, submitting a new massage establishment application for Laeken Hess DBA Laekhaus located at 2000 Wisconsin Ave, Laeken Hess, Agent.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety and Licensing Committee on 07-30-2025:** To Approve

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

A motion was made by Alder Kelly, seconded by Alder Peete, that this Communication be Deferred. The motion PASSED by the following vote:

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

[0620-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the City Clerk's Office, submitting a new massage establishment application for Weiwen Zhu DBA Lucky Weiwen Zhu Therapy located at 906 State St, WeiWen Zhu, Agent (1st District)

**Recommendation of the Public Safety Licensing Committee on 06/25/2025:** To Defer.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety Licensing Committee on**

**07/09/2025:** To Deny

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

A motion was made by Alder Peete, seconded by Alder Kelly, that this Communication be Recommended For Denial. The motion PASSED by the following vote:

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

[0663-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the City Clerk's Office, submitting a new Cigarette, Tobacco, and Electronic Vaping Device Retail License application for Sabah Inc DBA Fast Link located at 1405 Washington Ave, Dr. Naser Elayan, Agent.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety Licensing Committee on 07/09/2025:** To Approve

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

A motion was made by Alder Pabon, seconded by Alder Peete, that this Communication be Recommended For Approval. The motion PASSED by the following vote:

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

[0644-25](#)

**Subject:** Communications sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the City Clerk's Office, requesting the appearance of Erika Ann Vargas for a new operator's license.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety and Licensing Committee on 07-30-2025:** To Approve.

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

A motion was made by Alder Peete, seconded by Alder Pabon, that this Communication be Deferred. The motion PASSED by the following vote:

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

[0645-25](#)

**Subject:** Communications sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the City Clerk's Office, requesting the appearance of Marie Anne Reagles for a new operator's license.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety Licensing Committee on 07/09/2025:** To Approved

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

A motion was made by Alder Peete, seconded by Alder Kelly, that this

**Communication be Recommended For Approval. The motion PASSED by the following vote:**

**AYES:** 3 - Kelly, Peete and Pabon

**EXCUSED:** 1 - Frazier

[0656-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the Public Safety and Licensing Committee, wishing to discuss the requirements for operators or agents of a license to provide proof of rehabilitation.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety and Licensing Committee on 07-30-2025:** To Defer.

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

**A motion was made by Alder Pabon, seconded by Alder Kelly, that this Communication be Deferred. The motion PASSED by the following vote:**

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

[0669-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the Public Safety Committee, requesting a report from the Racine Police Department regarding public safety issues unrelated to a licensed premise.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety and Licensing Committee on 07-30-2025:** To Receive and File.

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

**A motion was made by Alder Pabon, seconded by Alder Kelly, that this Communication be Deferred to allow the Racine Police Department to come back with recommendations on how to get help from the Public Safety and Licensing. The motion PASSED by the following vote:**

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

[0660-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Weidner, on behalf of the City of Racine Police Department, for the licenses premise report.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety Licensing Committee on 07/09/2025:** To Approve

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

**A motion was made by Alder Kelly, seconded by Alder Pabon, that this Communication be Recommended For Approval. The motion PASSED by the following vote:**

**AYES:** 3 - Kelly, Peete and Pabon

**EXCUSED:** 1 - Frazier

[0661-25](#)

**Subject:** Communication sponsored by Alder Weidner, requesting any consideration, any formal expression of concern, or other actions pursuant to the police report.

**Recommendation of the Public Safety Licensing Committee on 07/09/2025:** To request the appearance of Kayla's Neighborhood Bar LLC, located at 2054 Lathrop Ave, Kayla Dibble, Agent and the appearance of the Taste of Soul Bar & Grill LLC located at 501 6th St, Rebecca Mccray, Agent, be Approved

**Fiscal Note:** N/A

A motion was made by Alder Pabon, seconded by Alder Kelly, to Recommended the issuance of a formal expression of concern for Kayla's Bar. The motion **PASSED** by the following vote:

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

A motion was made by Alder Pabon, seconded by Alder Kelly, to Recommended the issuance of a formal expression of concern for Taste of Soul. The motion **PASSED** by the following vote:

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

A motion was made by Alder Pabon, seconded by Alder Kelly, that this Communicaion be Recommended For Approval. The motion **PASSED** by the following vote:

**AYES:** 4 - Kelly, Peete, Pabon and Frazier

## Adjournment

*The meeting was adjourned at 6:47 PM*