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Meeting Minutes - Final

Sex Offender Residency Appeal Board

*Dave Younk
Brian Dimmer
Jessica Diaz*

Tuesday, August 30, 2016

1:30 PM

City Hall Room 307

Call To Order

Brian Dimmer left at 4:10 p.m.

PRESENT: 3 - Dave Younk, Brian Dimmer and Jessica Diaz

Approval of Minutes for July 19, 2016 Meeting

A motion was made by Dimmer that this file be to Approve the Minutes

[0722-16](#)

Subject: (Direct Referral) appeal of Jeffrey G. Hiler for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1022 Park Avenue.

Exemption Granted.

Jeffrey Hiler was interviewed by the members.

David Younk moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal 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 Jeffrey Hiler 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: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Brian Dimmer moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Brian Dimmer move that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding appeal of Jeffrey Hiler for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow her to reside at 1022 Park Avenue, and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

David Younk moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Brian Dimmer delivered the decision to grant the exemption, noting that Mr. Hiler's

partner is present and demonstrably supportive and provided confirmation of improvements in Mr. Hiler's actions and decision, plus the notes from the Judgment of Conviction indicate leniency in light of the underlying circumstances of the offense.

A motion was made by Dimmer that the exemption be Granted

[0723-16](#)

Subject: (Direct Referral) appeal of Carlos Harris for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1312 Goold Street.

Exemption Granted.

Carlos Harris was interviewed by the members.

David Younk moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal 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 Carlos Harris 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: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

David Younk moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Jessica Diaz moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding appeal of Carlos Harris for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow her to reside at 1312 Goold Street, and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Brian Dimmer moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Jessica Diaz delivered the decision to grant the exemption, indicating consideration was given to Mr. Harris' age at the time of the offense, even though they factored in a record bad decision making in how life proceeded after the conviction, but the members acknowledge that there is time to make better choices and have a life on a good track.

A motion was made by Diaz that the exemption be Granted

[0724-16](#)

Subject: (Direct Referral) appeal of Harris Nelson Jr. for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1703 Erie Street, a/k/a 520 High Street, Lower.

Exemption Granted.

Harris Nelson Jr. was interviewed by the members.

Brian Dimmer moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal 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 Harris Nelson Jr. 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: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

David Younk moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Jessica Diaz moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding appeal of Harris Nelson for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow her to reside at 1703 Erie Street a/k/a 520 High Street Lower, and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

David Younk moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Brian Dimmer delivered the decision to grant the exemption, noting that the members reviewed the Criminal Complaint and records of other unrelated violations, and poor judgment and other circumstances of the offense, but recognizing recent positive changes and the tools in place to continue on the right path along with developing a relationship with his children.

A motion was made by Dimmer that the exemption be Granted

[0725-16](#)

Subject: (Direct Referral) appeal of Sean O. Hanson for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 733 Cleveland Avenue.

Exemption Granted.

Sean Hanson was interviewed by the members.

David Younk moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal 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 Sean Hanson 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: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye. Also present were Amber Hanson and Stacey Salvo.

Brian Dimmer moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

David Younk moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding appeal of Sean Hanson for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow her to reside at 733 Cleveland Avenue, and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian

Dimmer Aye.

David Younk moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye, Brian Dimmer Aye.

Brian Dimmer delivered the decision to grant the exemption even though it was a close decision, noting that the offense is one of the worst on top of the age of the victim, with Mr. Hanson's apparent blame on drug use although the charge indicates more than one incident occurred, however the members recognize that research says that teenagers do not have fully developed brains and decision making can suffer although appropriate treatment can reduce future risks greatly. The members note the proximity of Fratt Elementary school, but are reassured due to Mr. Hanson's continuing participation in additional treatment, which they encourage be continued.

A motion was made by Dimmer that the exemption be Granted

[0726-16](#)

Subject: (Direct Referral) appeal of Lewis Manning for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow him to reside at 1729 Linden Avenue.

Exemption Granted.

Lewis Manning was interviewed by the members.

David Younk moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal 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 Lewis Manning 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: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye. Also present was Stacey Salvo.

David Younk moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye.

Jessica Diaz moved that the Sex Offender Residency Restriction Appeal Board convene in closed session pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes to deliberate concerning the quasi-judicial hearing regarding appeal of Lewis Manning for an exemption to the residency restrictions that would allow her to reside at 1312 Goold Street, and that the Board will convene in open session to announce its decision. Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye.

David Younk moved to go into Open Session. Roll Call Vote: David Younk Aye, Jessica Diaz Aye.

David Younk delivered the decision to grant the exemption, noting the positive factors of the length of time since the offense even though it was an egregious act, the submission of a support letter from a co-worker, and the apparent success realized with drug addiction treatment.

A motion was made by Younk that the exemption be Granted

Adjournment

