

December 13, 2024

TO: Members of the Common Council

The following application has been recommended for denial by the Licensing Board due to Cat I and II of the City of Watertown Licensing Guidelines:

Application for operator's license from Ashley E Grimm

CATEGORY I. *(Any applicant who has been convicted of, released from incarceration in a federal or state prison system or a county jail, or released from parole or probation status for an offense substantially related to the license sought within the last five (5) years (Exception: a statutory Class A felony conviction may be considered a lifetime disqualifier) will not be eligible for a license. Such offenses include, but are not limited to the following:*

- a. Violent offenses against the person of another, including but not limited to homicide, aggravated battery, sexual assault, injury by negligent use of a weapon, injury by negligent use of a vehicle, or injury by intoxicated use of a vehicle.*
- b. Offenses involving cooperation with law enforcement officials including but not limited to, any offense of false alarms, obstructing a police officer, harassment of a police officer, resisting arrest, bribery of public officers or employees, misconduct in public office, perjury, false swearing, assault by prisoner, escape from custody, bail jumping or bomb scares.*
- c. Offenses involving dishonesty, theft or misappropriation of funds, including but not limited to, burglary, entry into a locked vehicle, theft, fraud on hotel or restaurant keeper, issue of more than one worthless check, receiving or transferring stolen property, loan sharking, robbery, forgery and retail theft.*
- d. Offenses involving children, including but not limited to, any abuse of children, sexual assault to a child, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, receiving stolen property from children, selling drugs to children, or any crime involving child pornography.*
- e. Drug-related felony offenses, including but not limited to, any offense involving the sale of narcotics or other controlled substances, whether to adults or juveniles.)*

CATEGORY II.

Any applicant who has been convicted of, released from incarceration in a federal or state prison system or county jail, or released from parole or probation status for any of the following offenses within the last five years will not be eligible for a beverage operator's license:

- a. Alcohol beverage offenses, including but not limited to, sale of alcohol beverages without a license or permit, furnishing alcoholic beverages to underage persons, furnishing alcoholic beverages to intoxicated persons, or any other violation of Chapter 125 of the Wisconsin Statutes or a local ordinance enacted in conformity therewith;*
- b. Drug related misdemeanors;*
- c. Drug related municipal ordinance offenses arising from two or more separate incidents.*

However, the furnishing of alcoholic beverages to an underage individual, unless the licensee has committed two (2) such violations within one (1) year, shall not be a reason for a denial of a license.)

Respectfully Submitted,

Megan Dunneisen, City Clerk