



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, July 12, 2022

Council Session

## Item G-5

**Approving Request from Jess Berglund, 4243 Yarrow Drive for  
Liquor Manager Designation with Buffalo Wild Wings, 809 Allen  
Drive**

Staff Contact: RaNae Edwards

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

**Meeting:** July 12, 2022

**Subject:** Request from Jess Berglund, 4243 Yarrow Drive for Liquor Manager Designation with Buffalo Wild Wings, 809 Allen Drive

**Presenter(s):** RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

## **Background**

Jess Berglund, 4243 Yarrow Drive has submitted an application with the City Clerk's Office for Liquor Manager Designation in conjunction with the Class "I-092285" Liquor License for Buffalo Wild Wings, 809 Allen Drive.

The application has been reviewed by the Police Department and City Clerk's Office. See Police Department report attached.

## **Discussion**

City Council action is required and forwarded to the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission for issuance of all liquor manager designations. All departmental reports have been received. Staff recommends approval.

## **Alternatives**

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Approve the request.
2. Forward the requests with no recommendation.
3. Take no action on the request.

## **Recommendation**

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the request for Liquor Manager Designation.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the request from Jess Berglund, 4243 Yarrow Drive for Liquor Manager Designation in conjunction with the Class "I-092285" Liquor License for Buffalo Wild Wings, 809 Allen Drive.



# Grand Island Police Department

Officer Report for Incident L22061134

**Nature:** Liquor Lic Inv

**Address:** 809 ALLEN DR; BUFFALO WILD WINGS GRILL AND BAR  
Grand Island NE 68803

**Location:** PCID

**Offense Codes:**

**Received By:** Dvorak T

**How Received:** T

**Agency:** GIPD

**Responding Officers:** Dvorak T

**Responsible Officer:** Dvorak T

**Disposition:** CLO 06/22/22

**When Reported:** 15:24:45 06/15/22

**Occurred Between:** 15:24:45 06/15/22 and 15:24:45 06/15/22

**Assigned To:**

**Detail:**

**Date Assigned:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**Status:**

**Status Date:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**Due Date:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**Complainant:**

**Last:**

**First:**

**Mid:**

**DOB:** \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**Dr Lic:**

**Address:**

**Race:**           **Sex:**

**Phone:**

**City:** ,

**Offense Codes**

**Reported:**

**Observed:**

**Circumstances**

LT21 LT21 Restaurant

**Responding Officers:**

**Unit :**

Dvorak T

309

**Responsible Officer:** Dvorak T

**Agency:** GIPD

**Received By:** Dvorak T

**Last Radio Log:** \*\*:\*\*.\*\*. \*\*/\*\*/\*\*

**How Received:** T Telephone

**Clearance:** CL CL Case Closed

**When Reported:** 15:24:45 06/15/22

**Disposition:** CLO **Date:** 06/22/22

**Judicial Status:**

**Occurred between:** 15:24:45 06/15/22

**Misc Entry:**

**and:** 15:24:45 06/15/22

**Modus Operandi:**

**Description :**

**Method :**

**Involvements**

Date	Type	Description
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06/15/22	Name	Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar,	location
06/15/22	Name	Berglund, Jesse J	proposed manager

06/22/22

**Narrative**

Liquor License Invest  
Grand Island Police Department

New proposed liquor manager for Buffalo Wild Wings.

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Responsible LEO:

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Approved by:

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Date

06/22/22

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**Supplement**

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Buffalo Wild Wings Liquor Manager

Grand Island Police Department  
Supplemental Report

Date, Time: 6-20-22

Reporting Officer: Sgt Dvorak #309

Unit #: CID

Jesse Berglund has applied to become the new Liquor Manager for Blazin Wings LLC, which operates as Buffalo Wild Wings in Grand Island. I noted that Jesse reported that he isn't married. Jesse Berglund indicated he has been employed by Buffalo Wild Wings since 2012 in both Omaha and Grand Island, and held various positions before recently being named General Manager for the Grand Island location. Jesse reported that he did recently receive his ServSafe certification.

I checked our local database, the State NCJIS files, and a paid law enforcement only database. I noted that Jesse had no active warrants for his arrest. I noted that Berglund indicated he has one historical conviction for a stop sign violation. I found no other records for moving violations or warnings. The law enforcement only database, that covers mostly civil issues, lawsuits, and liens/bankruptcies showed no entries of concern, with no negative judgements, liens or bankruptcies.

I called Jesse, and verified his application statements. Berglund advised that he was recently promoted to General Manager for the Grand Island store. We discussed cooperation with GIPD, dealing with intoxicated patrons and disturbances, possible compliance checks, and Jesse being responsible for his entire staff. Berglund indicated they normally do not have many issues, but also advised that when he has encountered issues, he has called GIPD or 911 for service.

Finding no negative reports in this background investigation, the Grand Island Police Department has no objections for Jesse Berglund being named the Liquor Manager for the Buffalo Wild Wings Grand Island restaurant.

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