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MEDIA ADVISORY

News conference at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday
to hold property owners of “bawdy house”
accountable

Alderman Bob Donovan and **Alderman José G. Pérez** will host a joint news conference at **1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 23** in front of a purported “bawdy house” to discuss the City of Milwaukee lawsuit against the owners of a home described as “a haven” for lewd activity including prostitution and drug use on the city’s near south side.

The city’s “bawdy house” nuisance suit against property owner **Gregory Jones** seeks to abate the prostitution and drug activity that is occurring at the rental property, located at **3200 West Greenfield Ave.** City officials say prostitution complaints were made about the property since February 2016, and on June 16, 2017 the homeowner made statements to Milwaukee Police that prostitution was occurring at the property. This is the second recent nuisance lawsuit focused on a “bawdy house,” which aims to hold property owners accountable for criminal activity tied to their property. Citizen complaints are crucial in opening investigations, and other city properties are also under review.

Joining Aldermen Donovan and Pérez for Wednesday’s news conference will be Assistant City Attorney **Heather Hecimovich Hough**.

What: News conference on city lawsuit

When: Wednesday– August 23-- 1:30 p.m.

Where: 3200 W. Greenfield Ave. (across from this address)

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