

Name: DISPARITY STUDY INDEPENDENT REVIEW COMMITTEE

Type: Board or Commission

Description: **PURPOSE:** The Disparity Study Independent Review Committee is directed to perform the following functions before and during the Disparity Study: 1. Review and provide input on a draft of the Disparity Study request for proposals prior to its issuance. 2. Act as the voice of the community, maintaining communication between the City and community groups, including gathering information on community concerns and recommendations. 3. Engage the community to ensure that it remains informed of the Disparity Study process.

**COMPOSITION:** The Disparity Study Independent Review Committee shall consist of the following 13 members: 1. One member from the Common Council, to be selected by the Common Council President, who shall be the chair of the Disparity Study Independent Review Committee. 2. One community representative with a background in business advocacy, to be selected by the Common Council President. 3. One member from the staff of the Office of the Common Council - City Clerk, to be selected by the Common Council President. 4. One member from a City department that is led by a mayoral appointee, to be selected by the Mayor. 5. The President of the African American Chamber of Commerce of Wisconsin, or his or her designee. 6. The President of the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Wisconsin, or his or her designee. 7. The President of the American Indian Chamber of Commerce of Wisconsin, or his or her designee. 8. The President of the Hmong Wisconsin Chamber of Commerce, or his or her designee. 9. A representative from Milwaukee Public Schools. 10. The President of the National Association of Minority Contractors - Wisconsin Chapter, or his or her designee. 11. The President of the Wisconsin Women's Business Initiative Corporation, or his or her designee. 12. The President of the Latino Chamber of Commerce of Southeastern Wisconsin, or his or her designee. 13. The President of the Associated General Contractors of Greater Milwaukee, or his or her designee.

**CREATING AUTHORITY:** Common Council File Number 171915

**STAFFING:** Ms. Joana Polanco, Office of the Common Council - City Clerk,

**LAST UPDATED:** September 29, 2020

Name	Title	Start Date	End Date	
ALD. STAMPER	Member	2/5/2019	12/31/2099	*
Appointed By: ALD. HAMILTON				
Bernadette Karanja	Member	2/18/2019	12/31/2099	*
Appointed By: ALD. HAMILTON				
Jean Marie Thiel	Member	7/26/2019	12/31/2099	*
Appointed By: American Indian Chamber of Commerce				
Michael Fabishak	Member	7/26/2018	12/31/2099	*
Appointed By: Associated General Contractors of Greater Milw.				
Nelson Soler	Member	4/4/2019	12/31/2099	*

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Appointed By: Latino Chamber of Commerce

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Ossie Kendrix	Member	7/30/2019	1/1/2099	*
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Appointed By: Mayor Tom Barrett

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Roy Evans	Member	7/26/2019	12/31/2099	*
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Appointed By: ALD. HAMILTON

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Wendy Baumann	Member	7/26/2018	12/31/2099	*
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Appointed By: Wisconsin Women's Business Initiative Corporation

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Zongcheng Moua	Member	10/17/2019	1/1/2099	*
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Appointed By: ALD. JOHNSON

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\* indicates extended term