



City of Milwaukee

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Meeting Minutes JUDICIARY & LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

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Monday, June 15, 2015

1:30 PM

Room 301-B, City Hall

Meeting called to order at 1:35 P.M.

Present 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl, Zielinski

1. [141655](#) Substitute resolution authorizing the return of real estate located at 5431 W. Lisbon Avenue in the 10th Aldermanic District to its former owner Weatherby's LLC (Application made by Robert Olson).

Sponsors: THE CHAIR

Appearing:

Karen Taylor - DCD not present

Emily Mckeown - DNS

Kerry Urban - Treasurer's office

Mr. Robert Olson -

Ald. Michael Murphy also present for this item

Reinspection Fees of \$5,323.50

Recording enforcement fees of \$1,140.75

Total of \$6,464.25 Due by noon on Monday, June 22 or item will be return to committee.

Applicant also has ownership interest on the following property with outstanding charges:

5421 W. Lisbon Ave \$4,461.60 Due by noon June 22, 2015

2011-2014 taxes if paid by June 30, 2015 \$20,562.09

If paid by July 23, 2015 \$20,790.68

Other properties owned by applicant:

5421-5423 W Lisbon Ave

2013-2014 Outstanding: 2013 bill totals \$6,202.76; 2014 bill totals \$7,248.43

GRAND TOTAL \$13,451.19

need to payment plan for this totals by June 22, 2015

A motion was made by ALD. BOHL that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski
No 0

2. [150215](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of Blanche Austin for property damage. (15th Aldermanic District)

Sponsors: THE CHAIR

Appearing:
ACA Patricia Fricker
Sgt Thomas - MPD
Mrs. Blanche Austin

*Ald. Bohl moved to denied this claim based on the city Attorney's and Police Department testimony.
There were no objections*

A motion was made by ALD. BOHL that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski
No 0

3. [150242](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of Ramon Encino for property damage. (12th Aldermanic District)

Sponsors: THE CHAIR

Based on non appearance Ald. Witkowski moved denial.

A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 4 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman and Zielinski
No 0

Excused 1 - Bohl

4. [150225](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Hazel Dilworth for property damage. (4th Aldermanic District)

Sponsors: THE CHAIR

Based on non appearance Ald. Witkowski moved denial.

A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 4 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman and Zielinski
No 0

Excused 1 - Bohl

5. [150273](#) Substitute resolution relating to the appeal of Dale Cannon for property damage. (5th Aldermanic District)
- Sponsors:** THE CHAIR
- Appearing:*
ACA Patricia Fricker
Samir Amin - Infrastrusture
Mr. Dale Cannon - appellant
- Ald. Bohl moved to pay this claim in the amount of \$1,000 to be consistent with his insurance deductible.*
- A motion was made by ALD. BOHL that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski
- No** 0
6. [141902](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Atty. Jonathan Groth on behalf of Peter Haverlock for personal injuries.
- Sponsors:** THE CHAIR
- Based on no apperance Ald. Bohl moved denial*
- A motion was made by ALD. BOHL that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski
- No** 0
7. [141523](#) Communication related to the 2014 annual report and activities of the Ethics Board.
- Sponsors:** THE CHAIR
- Appearing:*
Robert Shelledy - Vice Chair Ethics Board
- A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Communication be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski
- No** 0
8. [150299](#) Communication relating to retention of outside counsel to provide services and representation in Eddie Gill v. Det. Mark Peterson, et al., in the United States District Court.

Sponsors: THE CHAIR

Appearing:
Miriam Horwitz - Deputy City Attorney's Office

A motion was made by ALD. BOHL that this Communication be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski

No 0

9. [150226](#) Resolution authorizing settlement of claims in the lawsuit entitled John Cunningham v. City of Milwaukee, et al.

Sponsors: THE CHAIR

Appearing:
Jenny Yuan City Attorney's Office

A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 4 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman and Bohl

No 0

Excused 1 - Zielinski

10. [150008](#) Substitute resolution relative to legislative bill.

Sponsors: THE CHAIR

Appearing:
Paulina De Haan - Intergovernmental Relations Division
Dennis Yaccarino - Budget Office

Ald. Witkowski moved the committee does not to take a position on AB 210 Relating to: an additional local sales and use tax for maintenance of streets and highways and making an appropriation

but to support the creation of local sales tax for the purpose of transportation and infrastructure improvement.

A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Resolution be AMENDED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski

No 0

A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Witkowski, Bauman, Bohl and Zielinski

No 0

The Judiciary and Legislation Committee may convene into closed session at 1:30 P.M. on Monday, June 15, 2015 in Room 301-B, City Hall, 200 E. Wells St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin, pursuant to s. 19.85(1)(g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of conferring with the City Attorney who will render oral or written advice with respect to litigation in which the city is or is likely to become involved and then will go into open session for the regular agenda.

Ald. Zielinski moved the Judiciary and Legislation Committee may convene into closed session, pursuant to s. 19.85(1)(g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of conferring with the City Attorney who will render oral or written advice with respect to litigation in which the city is or is likely to become involved.

Roll call

Ald. Bauman

Ald. Bohl

Ald. Witkowski

Ald. Hamilton

Also present

Miriam Horwitz - DCA

Jenny Yuan - CA

Ald. Kovac

Clifton Crump - Mayor's Office

Ald. Witkowski moved the committee go into open session for the regular agenda.

Meeting adjourned at 3:39 P.M.

Joanna Polanco

Staff Assistant

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