



City of Milwaukee

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Milwaukee, WI 53202

Meeting Minutes

PUBLIC SAFETY AND HEALTH COMMITTEE

ALD. MARINA DIMITRIJEVIC, CHAIR

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1:30 PM

Room 301-B, City Hall

AMENDED 1/26/21

Meeting time has been changed to 1:30PM

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Meeting convened at 1:37 PM

Present 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker, Rainey

1. [201291](#) Appointment of Kirsten Johnson as Commissioner of Health by the Mayor.
Appearing:
Kirsten Johnson
A motion was made by ALD. LEWIS that this Appointment be RECOMMENDED FOR CONFIRMATION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:
Aye 4 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski and Spiker
No 1 - Rainey

2. [200043](#) Communication from the Milwaukee Health Department providing an update on its efforts responding to the COVID-19 pandemic.
Appearing:
Marlaina Jackson - MHD
Claire Evers - MHD
Sanjib Bhattacharayya - MHD
Heather Paradis - MHD
Gisselle Torres - MHD
Lilliann Paine - MHD
A motion was made by ALD. RAINEY that this Communication be HELD TO

CALL OF THE CHAIR. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

3. [201219](#) Communication relating to the 2019 City of Milwaukee Health Department Annual Report

Appearing:

Gisselle Torres - MHD

Laura Rollin - MHD

Michael Stevenson - MHD

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

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

4. [201211](#) Resolution authorizing the Health Department to accept a donation of laboratory equipment.

Appearing:

Mark Yatchak - MHD

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

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

5. [201235](#) Resolution amending Common Council Resolution #200254 relative to the acceptance and funding of the CARES Act Provider Relief Fund from the Department of Health & Human Services (HHS).

Appearing:

Joshua Parish - MFD

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

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

6. [201253](#) Resolution amending Common Council File # 200925 acceptance and funding of the 2020-2021 Family Foundations Comprehensive Home Visiting Grant from the State of Wisconsin Department of Children and Families.

Appearing:

Mark Yatchak - MHD

A motion was made by ALD. BORKOWSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED to the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE due back on 2/4/2021. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

7. [201255](#)

Resolution relative to the acceptance and funding of the Universal Newborn Hearing Screening Program from the State of Wisconsin Department of Health Services.

Appearing:

Mark Yatchak - MHD

A motion was made by ALD. LEWIS that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED to the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE due back on 2/4/2021. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

8. [201214](#)

Communication from the Milwaukee Police Department relating to its efforts to curb reckless driving, particularly speeding.

A motion was made by ALD. RAINEY that this Communication be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

9. [201254](#)

Communication from various City departments relating to plans and protocols in place to respond to demonstrations within and against City facilities.

A motion was made by ALD. SPIKER that this Communication be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

10. [201151](#)

Communication from the Budget and Management Division and the Fire and Police Commission on the progress in establishing an Office of Emergency Communications, consolidating the Police and Fire dispatch centers and implementing a new Computer Aided Dispatch solution.

Appearing:

Dennis Yaccarino - Budget Office Manager

A motion was made by ALD. SPIKER that this Communication be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

11. [201251](#) Resolution relative to acceptance and funding of a 2020 Homeland Security ALERT Video Meshing Equipment grant.

Appearing:

Dan Rotar - MPD

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

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

12. [201252](#) Resolution relative to acceptance and funding of a 2020 Homeland Security ALERT Bomb Suit grant.

Appearing:

Dan Rotar - MPD

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

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

13. [201267](#) An ordinance relating to parking controls.

Appearing:

Scott Reinbacher - DPW

A motion was made by ALD. BORKOWSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

14. [201268](#) An ordinance relating to traffic controls.

appearing:

Scott Reinbacher - DPW

A motion was made by ALD. LEWIS that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Dimitrijevic, Lewis, Borkowski, Spiker and Rainey

No 0

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Meeting adjourned at 5:03 PM

Joanna Polanco

Sataff Assistant

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