

DEPARTMENT(S)	EFFECT		
	BUDGET	TAX LEVY	TAX RATE PER \$1,000
HEALTH DEPARTMENT, LIBRARY	\$+0	\$+0	\$+0.000

FOOTNOTE INTENT

This footnote directs the Library to collaborate with the Health Department’s Office of Violence Prevention to inform changes to library operations, programming and partnerships that incorporate and promote and the work being done by the Office of Violence Prevention.

BACKGROUND

1. The mission of the Health Department’s Office of Violence Prevention is to reduce violence in Milwaukee.
2. The Office of Violence Prevention provides strategic direction and oversight for City efforts to reduce risk of violence through linked strategies in partnership with government, non-profit, neighborhood, and faith organizations.
3. The City’s libraries are among the most important assets in the city’s neighborhoods.
4. Milwaukee libraries already provide a wide range of programming, much of it aimed at the city’s most vulnerable communities.
5. Given the Library’s importance in the city’s many communities and positive public image, they are a natural outlet for promoting the important work being undertaken by the Office of Violence Prevention.

DISCUSSION

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EFFECT

The footnote will have no effect on the budget, the tax levy, or the tax rate.

COMMITTEE VOTE:

(x-x)

In Favor: Ald.

Opposed: Ald.

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