



The Board of Ethics

January 27, 2005

Milwaukee Common Council
200 East Wells Street, Room 205
Milwaukee, WI 53202

To the Honorable Common Council:

The Board of Ethics hereby requests that a file be opened to make additions to the 2005 Positions Ordinance.

On Wednesday, January 12, 2005, the Ethics Board approved the addition of the Main Street Milwaukee Partners Board to Section 7 of the Positions Ordinance requiring the filing of the annual Statement of Economic Interests. The description of the new board duties appears to fit clearly into the provisions of Chapter 303-1-2, Milwaukee Code of Ethics.

Further, the Ethics Board requests notification at the time new Boards and Commissions are created. If the Common Council and the Ethics Board feel that any new board should be filing a Statement of Economic Interest, it would be beneficial to nominees to know that in advance.

The Board respectfully asks that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee for further action.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Kit Halloran
Ethics Board Chair

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