

INTERDEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

MEMO

To: Chairman Robert G. Donovan and Members of the Public Safety Committee

From: Richard Withers, Legislative Research Analyst

Date: February 12, 2007

Re: Taxicab Rates and Gasoline Prices

A substitute ordinance concerning taxicab rates has been placed on the Public Safety Committee agenda for the meeting of February 15 as item 10 to be heard at 10:00 a.m. Passage of a new ordinance is necessary and it must be in effect before the current rate "Flag Drop" rate of \$2.75 expires on March 26, 2007.

This memo will provide the Committee with an update concerning gasoline prices over the last month. Price information was last circulated to the Committee by memo and attachments of January 12, 2007.

Three figures are attached. The first reflects average daily prices for regular gasoline in the Milwaukee area for the month ending February 11. The second compares Milwaukee and U.S. prices for the same month. The third figure reflects average prices for regular gasoline in the Milwaukee area over the last 24 months.

Please feel free to contact the Bureau if you require additional information.

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