

District	New Flag?	Details
1	Yes	Symbols are important. What represents you can tell a story or who you are where you come from and ideally even where you want to go. Milwaukee's flag is a throwback to a bygone era that no longer exists or can universally serve all of the diverse community that it represents. The time for change is now. We need a new flag that we can rally around and bring the community together with as the proposed Milwaukee flag has already
1	yes	
1	yes	Thought the peoples flag was already the flag
1	yes	
1	yes	Likes the new design
1	yes	
1	yes	relavent, modern, and inclusive
1	no	Don't replace the flag
1	yes	Feels it is appropriate, and this version represents Milwaukee
1	yes	
1	no	The money could be spent better
1	yes	
1	yes	
2	yes	City on the lake of the rising sun! Milwaukee!
2	yes	
2	yes	
2	yes	
2	no	
2	yes	
2	yes	
2	yes	
2	yes	
2	no	
3	Yes	On Aug 29, 2024, at 12:53, wrote: I strongly prefer the new/contemporary flag design. Please vote for it. I've considered it our flag for several years and was surprised to learn that it still wasn't. When I feel a need to mask for Covid, I will wear my Sunrise over the Lake mask. Milwaukee, WI
3	no	Sent: Monday, August 26, 2024 1:57 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Re: opposition to adopting the "new" Sunrise Over the Lake flag design for Milwaukee Hi Peter, I am in Brostoff's district, I live just east of UWM. As for the second part of your email, it's hard for me to say what would wind up happening if there was a do-over done right. I'm a graphic designer, and I was appalled at how the original process went down. I don't really know if Milwaukee is in a place to adopt a new flag at the time—people are so on edge about so many things—taxes, MPS, crime, car chases, high prices. We were in a different place when "Sunrise Over the Lake" was introduced, and yes, it is popular, less now than it was back then, I'd say. I think that people simply like the way it looks, and don't know everything that went on behind the scenes. I think that if the process was done properly, there perhaps could be a different design that would be more popular. And, on a related note, is that what we want in a flag? Do we want it brandishing everything from beer cans to campaign signs? Genuinely asking, I just don't see that done in other cities, and that saturation can lead to an ennui about a design. Anyway, I could discuss this at length, but will refrain. If you absolutely need my specific address, let me know. Thanks!
3	no	Sent: Friday, August 16, 2024 7:01 AM To: Burgelis, Peter <Peter.Burgelis@milwaukee.gov> Subject: City Flag The imagery is murky and nondescript, the colors are Brewers bland and the name is more Mao than Milwaukee. No thanks! Declutter the old flag. City Hall, recognition of our Native American heritage, the three rivers and Milwaukee boldly emblazoned. The City will also be able to trademark the new flag allowing the City of Milwaukee to profit from sales and control use instead of some third party. It also appears some geographically challenged near suburb dwellers are flying the flag and think the people's flag represents them, it doesn't represent the burbs or the City of Milwaukee.

3	yes	Let's face it. This is the flag. It works so well being incorporated into other designs. No one actually likes the other flag, they just say they do cause they want attention, kind of like when people say they are "afraid of clowns". No you aren't, you are an adult who wants some attention. Happy to expand.
3	Yes	As a lifelong Milwaukee resident, I've seen the pride of the city follow suit with the rise of the people's flag in popularity. I think it would be a fantastic move if we adopted it as the official city flag, something that helps identify us as Milwaukee.
3	Yes	I support official adoption
3	Yes	I LOVE the "people's flag" and would like it to become the official city flag.
3	Yes	I love Milwaukee's beautiful 'People's Flag' design and hope it can be made official as soon as possible!
3	Yes	Consider this email a nod of support to the people's flag of milwaukee as the next flag for the city of milwaukee.
3	Yes	I strongly support adoption of the People's Flag of Milwaukee as the official flag. Thank you!
3	Yes	Dear city officials, I support the official adoption of the people's flag of Milwaukee. I live on the East side and see the flag everywhere, and it makes the city feel unified. Milwaukee deserves a well designed, timeless flag.
3	yes	
3	yes	Much simpler, wasn't even aware of the first flag
3	yes	I think is symbolizes the summer events yearly, lets keep the flag as it is officially
3	yes	
3	yes	The new Flag is simple, yet effective.
3	yes	It's time to adopt a new Flag. Prefer the People's Flag.
3	yes	3
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	Love this simple design - sybolic.
3	y	I love the new one as is. Let's adopt the new one.
3	yes	It's time to adopt a new Flag. Prefer the People's Flag.
3	yes	
3	yes	No Ntainer!
3	yes	Relevant! Reflects the people.
3	yes	
3	yes	The new Flagencompasses the city a a whole!
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	Just do it
3	no	Likes the orginal flag
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	no	The new flag is bland, needs something that better reflects the city.
3	no	Likes the simplicity of the flag
3	no	The flag needs to be less busy
3	yes	Loves the simplistic representation
3	yes	Change is good
3	yes	Likes the new look
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	So much better
3	yes	
3	yes	Love the new design
3	yes	Looks great
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	The People's Flag is already the flag
3	yes	
3	yes	Loves the new flag
3	yes	Loves the new flag
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	

3	yes	The joke is we already assumed it was the flag
3	yes	
3	yes	The new flag is lovely
3	yes	Would like to see 414 on the flag
3	yes	Forget the old flag, the new one resonates
3	yes	
3	yes	Loves the Peoples Flag
3	yes	Pretty nice, very modern
3	yes	Likes the simplicity & forward thinking
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	Loves the new flag
3	yes	Loves the new flag
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	Surprised it's not the official flag yet
3	yes	New flag is better
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	Likes the stripes, and represents equality
3	yes	Could the old one be revamped using some of the elements on the new one
3	yes	
3	no	Too generic, not representative of Milwaukee
3	yes	
3	no	The new flag is too bland, derivative, and meaningless
3	yes	Took a while to warm up to the new look
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	Feels the new flag should have something representing Indigneous origins
3	yes	The new flag looks better, and cleaner
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	
3	yes	The people have already adopted the flag
3	no	While the current flag is extremely busy and the Indian head imagery is inappropriate in every way the "Peoples Flag" is incredibly non-descript and should have been proposed
3	yes	The old flag contains an offensive depiction of native people. The new flag has already been chosen.
3	yes	
4	no	<p>Sent: Sunday, August 18, 2024 10:30 AM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Flag debate.</p> <p>Hello,</p> <p>My name is Travis and I am a resident of the city since 2011. I would like either the current flag to remain our official flag, keep the peoples flag at there discretion how to use it but not make it official or put forward a new contest.</p> <p>The current flag, has character, substance and shows an appreciation for all things that make this city great. Gears for the industrial history of the machine shop of the world. Pays image to the great and growing shipping industry we have. The Indians that settled these lands, the great stadiums of our past and the amazing skyline we have. The wheat celebrating our brewing history with the waves of the lake.</p> <p>The "peoples flag" is bland, lacks character and isn't creative. I understand the meaning behind it all but it's done so brandy and doesn't represent enough of our historic past and our identity. It also almost identically matches a Obama Campaign logo from his political run in 2008. There shouldn't be any political connections to a flag that is meant to unify a city as one.</p> <p>Thank you for your time.</p>
4	Yes	<p>> Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2024 7:31 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> > Subject: I support official adoption</p> <p>I'd like to voice my support for the Peoples Flag for Milwaukee. I think that it has become widely loved and generally accepted as "the" flag of Milwaukee already.</p> <p>It's on stickers and tshirts that I see every day. I also just saw the flag graphic on a billboard (94 eastbound, west of Moreland) for a new debit card for a local bank. The tagline was "Locals Only". I believe that at this point it is the defacto symbol for the City and should be made official. And it's a great design!</p> <p>Thank you for your time-</p> <p>Message of support Hello!</p>
4	Yes	<p>I am sending a message to support the official adoption of the new Milwaukee flag! This flag should most definitely be the official flag of Milwaukee. It's a beautiful design and is meaningful to many residents. Thanks!</p> <p>Best,</p> <p>Paige Nauman</p>

4	Yes	Comments on Milwaukee's Official City Flag Adoption I support the People's Flag of Milwaukee, "Sunrise Over the Lake," designed by Robert Lenz, as Milwaukee's official City Flag. This flag has already passed an open public comment and examination period, winning as the top pick from over 1,000 entries and five finalists in 2016. It faced scrutiny by a vexillologist (an expert in flag designs), a historian, public comments, graphic experts, and others. Since then, this flag has been widely adopted and used by the people of Milwaukee. It is the flag I use and will continue to use as the symbol of Milwaukee. Please adopt this flag as the official flag of the City of Milwaukee in recognition of its proven record of acceptance and use. The variations of the base design of "Sunrise Over the Lake" that have proliferated over the years demonstrate a design flexibility that allows expressive variations in color or shape for different audiences.
4	Yes	I'd like to voice my support for the People's Flag of Milwaukee becoming the official flag of the City of Milwaukee. > > It is such a simple, iconic, and easily-recognizable design, which is really a great example of good flag design. It is vastly superior to the current (1954) official city flag, which is both very busy and (now) quite outdated. Compared to this, the People's Flag has a timeless quality. > I'm a recent transplant and one of the first things I did when I moved to Milwaukee a couple years ago was to buy a People's Flag doormat. If I didn't live in an apartment building with no balcony or any other way to fly an actual flag, I'd be flying the flag itself.
4	Yes	Sent: Saturday, August 17, 2024 3:26 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Flag vote Please make The People's Flag officially Milwaukee's flag! Milwaukee Resident since 1989
4	Yes	Friday, August 16, 2024 12:50 PM City flag Hi, weighing in to say I love Robert Lenz's People's Flag design. If the city had adopted it years ago, it would have been shown nationwide during the GOP convention, another feather in Milwaukee's cap. It's the de facto city flag, anyway. Would be nice for the Common Council to catch up. The Braves and County Stadium no longer exist; the people's flag's elements will always be pertinent.
4	Yes	Sun 8/18/2024 9:51 PM Thank you for the opportunity to comment. I like the "Sunrise Over the Lake" flag. I put it with the Harley-Davidson logo, the Hoan Bridge, the Calatrava. It's a symbol of Milwaukee. That doesn't mean I want it to become the official flag, though. I like the one we have now. The things that some people see as flaws are positives for me. It's complex. It's detailed. It's historical. Plus, to me, "Sunrise Over the Lake" doesn't represent the whole city. It represents a part, an important part, but one part. I like the Sunrise flag. It's beautiful. I hope I continue to see it being flown. But maybe we don't need to make it the official flag. Maybe it's better if it stays unofficial. Again, thank you.
4	yes	Sent: Tuesday, August 13, 2024 1:07 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: ADOPT THE PEOPLES FLAG For the love all things good and holy, PLEASE ADOPT THE NEW FLAG. IT IS SO EMBARRASSING THAT THE ENTIRE CITY, MULTIPLE BRANDS, AND MULTIPLE SPORTS TEAMS ALL REPRESENTING THE CITY HAVE ADOPTED IT EXCEPT FOR THE ACTUAL CITY IN WHICH THE FLAG REPRESENTS. DO BETTER. Thank you,
4	Yes	Fri 8/16/2024 5:52 AM I would love to see the People's Flag of Milwaukee adopted as Milwaukee's official city flag!
4	yes	I support the adoption of the People's Flag of Milwaukee as Milwaukee's official flag.
4	Yes	Hello, I am writing in support of adoption of what is commonly known as the People's Flag as the official flag of the city of Milwaukee. This flag has already been adopted by many in our community and I would love to see it get official recognition. vThank you,
4	Yes	> Subject: I support official adoption > I love the new flag proposed, which is known as "the people's flag." It is simple, beautiful, memorable, and easy to draw! Even flag experts say this is a good flag! > The present/old flag is too busy, no one can draw it or even tell you what is on it. Flag experts agree this present/old flag is awful. > Bring Milwaukee into the 21st century with this new flag!

4	no	<p>Hello! Thank you for soliciting input, whatever you all end up deciding.</p> <p>1. Vexillology is a wonderful artistic territory currently occupied by drab nerds with cardboard imaginations. Graphic design schools should not continue to sand off the personality of all corporate and civic artwork. I am extremely open to reforming the current flag, but I would rather have a flag that looks like a comic strip than one that looks like a credit card logo.</p> <p>2. Few of its colors or symbols specifically relate to Milwaukee. Many places have bodies of water. Everywhere has the sun. Half the country uses flags with dark blue, which is not even the color Lake Michigan is the majority of sunrises. Having 3 stripes does not evoke 3 settlements, but a rushed annual report cover designed by someone from Fiverr.</p> <p>3. The flag's essence has nothing to do with modern or future Milwaukee. It is a flag for White people in Yankee Hill. It is a flag for people with Bluesky and Reddit accounts. It is a flag for the population enjoying a piece of Milwaukee's historic prosperity, not the population responsible for restoring that prosperity. How does this flag represent Muskego Way? How does this flag represent Harambee? How does this flag represent Layton Park and Silver Spring?</p> <p>As with most of Milwaukee's development, education, cultural institutions, and branding, Sunrise Over The Lake is for people who can actually see sunrise over the lake from their homes. The rest do not have such a perspective.</p> <p>https://www.visitmilwaukee.org/blog/posts/post/visit-milwaukeees-refreshed-brand-colors</p> <p>Please, do not replace Milwaukee's current flag with that one. Thank you for all of your work!</p>
4	Yes	<p>Whenever municipal flags are compared, the ones most embraced by the people are the ones that reflect a design of simple elegance. Our last flag was a bit of a hodgepodge of icons, whereas this new one is beautifully clean. It also possesses a pattern that doesn't have any text or right/left directionality, so the imagery looks the same regardless of which way the wind blows and doesn't need a separate layer of cloth for its backside. And finally, I love how it was organically embraced by the citizens of our great city which, I feel, harkens back to our socialist roots.</p> <p>Many thanks to you, Alderman Burgelis, for helping our community to adopt this new flag. And, it was a pleasure to meet you at last night's Night Market.</p> <p>Sincerely, Tait</p>
4	Yes	<p>Hello Alderman Bauman,</p> <p>Just another note to encourage you to vote for adoption of the people's flag; "Sunrise Over the Lake"</p> <p>This flag is loved and adopted everywhere already: Brewers, Bucks, Admirals, community organizations, and businesses. I think the sun, lake and the three rivers are perfect. Includes a nod to our three founding communities. All things in the community that should unite us.</p> <p>Thanks for all you do for us!</p>
4	Yes	<p>Common Council:</p> <p>This is a beautiful representation of our city and should be (finally) declared the official flag of Milwaukee.</p> <p>While it's been called a simple design, it's powerful in its representation of the sun rising every day. New beginnings, new challenges, new possibilities.</p> <p>Make it official and adopt this flag.</p>
4	Yes	<p>Adding my name to the list of supporters for the People's Flag of Milwaukee. It's time to adopt this updated symbol of our city to help bolster pride in the community in a way that the current flag simply cannot accomplish. One only has to notice how Chicago's famous blue bars and red stars symbol is in blazoned on everything from T-shirts to police uniforms to see how it can unify a city. It is instantly recognizable and is a symbol that people can rally around. The People's Flag of Milwaukee is a simple and meaningful image that deserves to be recognized officially.</p>
4	Yes	<p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>Many residents, businesses, and organizations have already adopted the People's Flag as Milwaukee's official flag. Not only is it recognizable, but it's also attractive and easy to adapt to merchandise, like the flags of cities such as Chicago and Washington, D.C. It is past time the city adopted this flag as its official flag.</p>
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	no	<p>it's important to preserve our history, without it, we lose sight of what brought us to today. Ignoring our history diminishes the sacrifices those before us made to get us to today. Your postcard sounds like you already decided, my opinion really doesn't matter.</p>
4	no	<p>The People's Flag is more consistent with today's Milwaukee. The current flag is outdated and busy. We need a flag to reflect the beauty of the city</p>
4	yes	No Brainer!
4	yes	love the Peoples Flag, lets update and keep moving forward
4	yes/no	I would support it much more if it had an indication of Milwaukee or MKE on it.

		<p>From: TAIT PETERSON <taitpeterson@mac.com> Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2024 2:10 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: People's Flag Dear Mr. Burgelis, Whenever municipal flags are compared, the ones most embraced by the people are the ones that reflect a design of simple elegance. Our last flag was a bit of a hodgepodge of icons, whereas this new one is beautifully clean. It also possesses a pattern that doesn't have any text or right/left directionality, so the imagery looks the same regardless of which way the wind blows and doesn't need a separate layer of cloth for its backside. And finally, I love how it was organically embraced by the citizens of our great city which, I feel, harkens back to our socialist roots. Many thanks to you, Alderman Burgelis, for helping our community to adopt this new flag. And, it was a pleasure to meet you at last night's Night Market. Sincerely, Tait 1229 N. Jackson St., Unit 307 Milwaukee, Wis. 53202 Tait W. Peterson 773-620-7332 taitpeterson@mac.com</p>
4	yes	
4	yes	Cool modern design!
4	yes	It makes me smile. The old one is racist.
4	yes	I gave the new one away.
4	yes	Meaningful and clean. Noticeable and stands out.
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	Love these Flags.
4	yes	Power to the "People's Flag"
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	Cheers to the new Flag! Love it!
4	yes	Please just do it.
4	yes	Old Flag looking backward.New Flag modern forward looking.
4	yes	Too much going on in the old Flag.
4	yes	Ald.Bauman-Time to resolve this and move on.
4	yes	
4	yes	The people have already adopted the flag. Council might as well catch up! Blessings!
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	The people's flag is fantastic
4	yes	
4	yes	Likes the proposed flag
4	yes	
4	yes	The flag is representative of all that is important
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	Feels the flag would do some justice for the city
4	yes	The people's flag is a clear representation of the city of Milwaukee
4	yes	
4	yes	It's a great flag
4	yes	The flag is iconic, wonderful, fantastic
4	yes	
4	yes	Use the new flag
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	Loves it
4	yes	Loves it
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	no	Supports the natives and boats on the old flag
4	yes	Adopt the beautiful flag Timeless

4	no	The so-called "Peoples Flag" is neither. No people shown or images portrayed that highlight the city. It is typical liberal nonsense. Shows nothing the city offers.
4	no	The flag is an embarrassment. Eighth grad art project. What does it represent? The old flag is outdated but our city needs to be on the flag
4	no	Tradition
4	yes	
4	no	The current flag highlights a number of images that reflect Milwaukee's history, which makes it distinct and has our city's name
4	yes	Less is more
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	Thought it was already the flag
4	no	Likes the current flag. Please don't replace it
4	yes	Love the People's Flag
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
4	yes	
5	Yes	People are using the Robert Lenz design because it is so much prettier than the official cluttered flag with out of date logos, ranked 147 out of 150 flags analyzed by people who know what makes a good flag..We definitely should do better than that! Easily recognizable, good symbolism.
5	yes	YES to replacing the current flag
5	yes	I thought that was the flag already
5	yes	
5	no	Stop erasing history.Don't need a Flag.Belongs to surf shop.
5	yes	
5	yes	
5	yes	Loves the Peoples Flag
5	yes	Love the clean modern look
5	yes	Love the new flag
5	yes	
5	yes	We need to update the flag to stay current for the future generations
5	yes	Thought it was already the city's flag
5	yes	Had never seen the MKE flag outside a house until the People's flag
5	yes	Simplicity is the key
5	yes	Representation of the new flag looks like Milwaukee
5	yes	Love the focus on Lake Michigan
5	yes	Long over-due
5	yes	The old flag is outdated. Too cluttered
5	yes	
5	yes	Recognizable like Chicago
5	yes	Maybe add Milwaukee
5	yes	The flag of the people
5	yes	Would like to see words that represent Milwaukee on it
5	no	The old flag says a lot. The perposed new flag shows not a thing about MKE. Stay with the old one people know
5	no	
6	Yes	Hello, Every city needs a good logo. The vast majority of Milwaukee has been already using the people's flag of Milwaukee to represent us. It's about time that it's officially adopted. Thank you,
6	Yes	I support official adoption of the new People's Flag of Milwaukee.
6	yes	
6	yes	Love the People's Flag!
6	yes	The new Flag better resonates with the community.
6	yes	
6	yes	The old flag sucks
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	yes	The People's Flag is simple, and provides great symbolism
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	yes	Likes the new flag
6	yes	
6	yes	The new Flag is beautiful
6	yes	

6	yes	
6	yes	New, and improved
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	yes	So much cleaner, like our city
6	yes	It's modern, attractive, and people love it
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	no	Looks like a Japanese Flag does not represent Milwaukee
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	yes	The native american image is offensive, many of the images are unclear
6	yes	
6	yes	
6	yes	We need a new flag
		Sent: Tuesday, August 20, 2024 2:53 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Milwaukee Flag Dear Alderman Burgelis, I just saw that you were looking for comments on the proposed Milwaukee flag ("Sunrise over the lake"). I have seen it flying near some homes on the west side. I really like it, and I hope it gets adopted.
7	Yes	
7	yes	
7	yes	
7	yes	I am representing my mother, who would agree that the flag is fine to represent our Milwaukee Festivals
7	yes	
7	yes	
7	yes	
7	yes	Love the new flag
7	yes	It should have been done a long time ago
7	yes	The old flag is too busy. People's flag is great!
7	yes	The simple clean look of the People's Flag has powerful symbolism of MKE'S futher and grassroots popularity
7	yes	
7	yes	
7	yes	
7	yes	
7	no	Loves the old flag
7	yes	
7	yes	The new flag looks nice
7		
7	no	
7	yes	
7	yes	
7	yes	Love it, good things come to the shores of Lake Michigan
7	yes	Loves this version of the flag
7	no	
7	yes	The old flag is cluttered, and obsolete
7	yes	
7	yes	The flag is super rad
		My name is Noel and I think that the new Milwaukee flag should be officially adopted by the City of Milwaukee because it would be a testament of the growth that our city has gone through. Over the past few years Milwaukee has gotten a facelift, and with that a new flag had been adopted by the residents of Milwaukee to show that we have seen the changes in our city, and this flag represents that change. The current flag is representative of the previous industrious and hardworking generation which is great in itself. However I feel that Milwaukee is becoming more than just their industry plants and "rust belt" stereotypes, and the new "Peoples Flag of Milwaukee" represents those aspirations that lay ahead.
8	Yes	
8	yes	
8	no	The "Peoples Flag" looks like a generic corporate logo
8	yes	Can appreciate the new flag, needs a little more imagery
8	yes	
8	yes	
		Sent: Friday, August 16, 2024 4:50 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: People's flag I like the "people's flag" design but it should have the name of the city "Milwaukee" somewhere included in the design in a curved line in the gold section with blue lettering or in the blue section with gold lettering. If the name is not on the flag, and you were not from this area, someone might think it is from San Diego and Tampa.
9	Yes	
9	yes	"flagcomments" <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> I support adopting the people's flag as the new flag for the City of Milwaukee.
9	yes	

9	yes	
9	yes	
9	yes	
9	no	Likes the current flag
10	Yes	I support the people's flag - Dear Sirs and Madams, I support the people's flag of Milwaukee (the new one with the sun and lake and rivers by Robert Lenz, NOT the old one from 1954). I think it should be the official flag of Milwaukee.
10	no	Hi, I live in Milwaukee and am also employed by the city. While I do think the proposed new city flag is a drastic improvement from the existing one, I do have some concerns about the manner in which it was selected. Since only around 6,000 people voted, and voting was handled online it is hard to view it as representative of the entire city, when the current population is around 563 thousand and not all of those people have access to the internet. My ideal situation would be if a new submission and selection process were to be put forth and handled in a way that's more accessible to the entire city. Thank you,
10	Yes	Sent: Wednesday, August 14, 2024 10:06 AM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Official Flag Adoption Supported by Ryan and Jessica Day of Dandy.
10	Yes	Good morning! As a longtime and proud resident of the city of Milwaukee I am writing to you to formally request that the City of Milwaukee adopt the People's Flag of Milwaukee as this city's official flag. In all of history, the purpose of a flag is to offer a symbol of a community of people. This flag as been more than a symbol. Since it's creation a few years ago, the People's flag has been a rallying point. It brings people of pocket communities together to believe that we are one Milwaukee. It doesn't just symbolize our unity, it creates it. A vote to approve or reject the People's flag as Milwaukee's official flag is an inflection point in what will be the history of our city. Approving the flag sends an irrevocable message that the city's government is part of the same community as it's people. Denying the adoption of People's flag sends an equally permanent message - but one of division, and hierarchy over community. Please adopt the People's flag as the official flag, and please do it in celebration of the unity of all Milwaukeeans. Thank you.
10	no	That's it. Registering against wasting time and money changing the flag. Carly Wilson 4213 W. Highland Blvd Milwaukee, WI 53208 (414) 940-7946 wilson.carlym@gmail.com
10	Yes	I'd like to see the people's flag adopted as the new official flag of Milwaukee Ellen Frederick 1542 N 51st St, Milwaukee, WI 53208
10		Date: Fri, Aug 16, 2024 at 8:45 AM Subject: People's Flag To: <flagcimmments@milwaukee.gov> Thanks, Peter, for having this conversation. Sharing my 2 cents, I think the vast majority of city residents have embraced the flag, while I don't think I've ever seen the old one on a house or business. Not sure who is pushing for the old one. And if they are upset about process, what community input was gathered when the old one was developed. I'm curious about that. Again, that's for taking this on. See you at Washington Park Wednesdays.
10	yes	I support official adoption Hello! > I am writing as a Milwaukee home owner who would love to see the People's Flag adopted as our official city flag. It is a beautifully designed flag and represents our city and the people. We, the people, have embraced it and we'd love for you to make it official! Thank you
10	Yes	I support official adoption of the People's Flag! Make it happen!
10	Yes	I support official adoption
10	yes	
10	yes	The old flag is outdated. The new flag is introducing new opprotunities
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	Absolutely support the People's Flag.
10	no	Milwaukee current Flag.
10	yes	
10	yes	Simple but iconic
10	yes	

10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	Had no idea that the current flag was the flag
10	yes	New to the area, the flag looks smart
10	yes	Supports the new flag
10	yes	
10	yes	Love the aesthetic of the new flag. Is going to get it tatoood
10	yes	The idea of a new flag symbolizes growth, our city is constantly growing
10	no	The design is nice but it needs a landmark that would show Milwaukee, like the Hoan Bridge
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	no	Would prefer a flag design that draws on visiting symbols of current flag. People's flag is generic
10	yes	
10	yes	The current flag is beautiful
10	yes	Loves the flag
10	yes	Love the flag should say when it was established
10	yes	The new flag is a timely icon
10	yes	Love the new flag
10	yes	Simple is better
10	yes	The old flag does not represent the current Milwaukee
10	no	Dislikes the new flag because it looks like a corporate logo
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	Likes the simple flag
10	yes	
10	yes	New flag is simple and packs a punch
10	yes	
10	yes	Love the People's Flag
10	no	Old flag needs to be replaced but feels the new flag represents people of privilege. It needs to be more inclusive
10	yes	
10	yes	Loves the new flag
10	yes	Love it
10	yes	Add an element of the Indigenous history would complete the flag
10	yes	Really likes the new flag
10	yes	
10	yes	New flag is great
10	yes	
10	yes	Loved it since day 1
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	Love it
10	yes	
10	yes	Likes either one
10	yes	The new flag is great
10	yes	
10	no	Likes the 3 river flag
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	The old flag is awful
10	yes	Love the People's Flag
10	no	The new flag does not sufficiently represent the history of the city
10	yes	Simple, and attractive
10	yes	Love the People's Flag
10	yes	The flag is beautiful
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	
10	yes	Awesome
10	yes	Thought it was already the flag
10	yes	yes, yes, and yes
10	yes	The flag is beautiful and timeless! The old one is just that old and must be retired

10	yes	Forward Wisconsin!
10	yes	
11	no	<p>Sent: Wednesday, August 14, 2024 3:51 PM To: flagcomments flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Waste of time!</p> <p>Peter, Why are you wasting so much time on this issue? When our neighborhood asked for a speed bump, you got us a lousy, pointless stop sign. Instead of wasting your time- all those listening sessions- on needless things please focus on things that people are actually asking for in the community you represent. Existing situation of the people's flag being unofficial is working just fine. Thanks,</p>
11	no	<p>Sent: Tuesday, August 13, 2024 1:33 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: What I'd prefer...</p> <p>.... would be for my alderman to work on something IMPORTANT! Taxes are up everywhere (the cities fault), crime is up everywhere (the cities fault), cost of living is up everywhere (City contributed).... And you're worried about a flag that affects absolutely nobody?! Get your priorities straight!</p>
11	No	<p>Sent: Tuesday, August 13, 2024 6:41 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: New flag</p> <p>Please stop the new flag. There is nothing wrong with the old one. Then the cost to make how many new flags when it could be used to fill a pot hole, put in a speed bump, funding a speed program, even back to school supplies but not for something that isn't offensive or has been broken. Then there is the cost of my Alderman going around the city seeing if people want this instead of taking care of things going on in his district. Then the cost of having a person review all these emails and maybe respond to them. If you are looking for something to do fix my broken garbage or recycling carts, fill the pot holes. Do neighborhood walks in each neighborhood you represent. Patrol at night to prevent cars broken into or windows smashed but please don't waste my tax dollars on this.</p>
11	no	The proposed new flag does not include any historical symbols or Native American history representation. I would vote against it.
11	no	<p>To be honest, I find nothing in this imagery of this flag that speaks specifically of Milwaukee. It could be a flag of any lakeshore or seashore community. My brother moved here recently, saw the flag and had to ask people what this flag is all about. Let's go back to the drawing board, and incorporate recognizable images of Milwaukee's past.</p>
11	Yes	<p>Hello, I enthusiastically support the People's Flag becoming the new official City of Milwaukee flag. As a city resident and as a graphic designer, I feel that it is a strong representation of our city. The fact that it has already been adopted for use by so many local institutions is evidence of its appeal. The grassroots momentum that it has sustained is something that branding specialists dream of. It would be a shame to put more city resources into reimagining something different, which almost certainly would not catch on the way that the People's Flag already has. Thank you,</p>
11	no	<p>How about you focus your efforts and time and out tax dollars on something thats important than a flag. We arent paying you to cater to some progressive agenda by changing out a flag thats got more character and history of our city than some art majors' project. Its a circle with lines going through it, no one outside of Milwaukee would even come close to the fact that its Milwaukee, looks like Obama is running a failed campaign again.</p> <p>How about you put some speed bumps along s 55th st between Euclid and Ohio streets, to prevent our kids from getting run over by countless reckless drivers that treat it as a highway.</p>
11	no	<p>Please stop the new flag. There is nothing wrong with the old one. Then the cost to make how many new flags when it could be used to fill a pot hole, put in a speed bump, funding a speed program, even back to school supplies but not for something that isn't offensive or has been broken. Then there is the cost of my Alderman going around the city seeing if people want this instead of taking care of things going on in his district. Then the cost of having a person review all these emails and maybe respond to them. If you are looking for something to do fix my broken garbage or recycling carts, fill the pot holes. Do neighborhood walks in each neighborhood you represent. Patrol at night to prevent cars broken into or windows smashed but please don't waste my tax dollars on this.</p>
11	no	<p>Peter, Why are you wasting so much time on this issue? When our neighborhood asked for a speed bump, you got us a lousy, pointless stop sign. Instead of wasting your time- all those listening sessions- on needless things please focus on things that people are actually asking for in the community you represent. Existing situation of the people's flag being unofficial is working just fine. Thanks,</p>

11	no	<p>It note the People's Flag website points up ".... over 7,000" people voted for the change. That's 7,000 out of a city with a population of over 550,000 .</p> <p>There doesn't seem to be much interest in changing the flag. I'll add how would new flags in, on and around public buildings be paid for ?</p> <p>Forget the flag; you need to focus on things that need to be addressed, including: Streets - They're a disaster. I live on the border between Milwaukee and Greenfield and it's clear to me when I go from one community to the other simply by how the streets are maintained - Greenfield's streets are; Milwaukee's aren't Basement Flooding - I walk thru the neighborhood and see a large number of homes are still connected to the storm sewers. Whenever there's a flood warning I cringe at the thought that water might back-up in my basement. Why doesn't the city mandate that all residential downspouts be disconnected from the sewers ? Property Taxes - How is it that a developer (?) can buy a condo / apartment building for \$6 Million and have the city assess the same property at only \$4 Million . That's 200 of your constituents that saw their property taxes, bumped up by \$10,000 to cover for this 1 owner. Why aren't property taxes commensurate with what a buyer actually pays for a property instead of jacking up my assessment on what an essor thinks it might be worth ?</p>
11	no	<p>Sent: Tuesday, August 13, 2024 2:12 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Flag Keep the flag we have. This new proposal flag does not represent Milwaukee. Means nothing about our deep roots as a city.</p>
11	yes	<p>Sent: Wednesday, August 14, 2024 7:08 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Support for The People's Flag Hello, I am writing in support of the adoption of the People's Flag of Milwaukee. As far as I'm concerned- it's been our cities flag since the public voting process in 2016. Let's please make it official!</p>
11	yes	<p>good design but should include text "Milwaukee Wisconsin". For benefit of those not from around these parts. 😊</p>
11	no	<p>Given the tight City of Milwaukee budget, priority of maintenance of vital infrastructure that sustains the city should be paramount. A trivial item like the city flag shouldn't even be considered. The energy and funds for the city flag should be diverted to filling potholes, maintaining street lights, etc. The existing city flag is elegant and informative while the proposed flag is not. What could possibly be the incentive to even consider changing the flag with so many other major issues facing the city? Thank you for allowing my feedback.</p>
11	no	<p>I say leave it as is - Don't like the new proposal Thanks</p>
11	no	<p>My opinion is this-why spend the money to change the flag--there is nothing wrong with the old one. To me this is a waste of money. thank you</p>
11	Yes	<p>Yes, this flag is great!</p>
11	Yes	<p>We need a flag that truly represents Milwaukee. One adorned with images of alcoholism, reckless driving, shootings, and potholes.</p>
11	yes	<p>it's a great flag - say something and helps with city's identity</p>
11	yes	
11	yes	
11	no	
11	yes	<p>People already think it is our flag :) it is easily recognizable and marketable to promote Milwaukee</p>
11	yes	
11	yes	<p>My school uses it, so I adopted it young</p>
11	yes	
11	yes	
11	no	
11	yes	<p>my husband and I loved the new flag since it was unveiled :) Good luck!</p>
11	no	
11	yes	
11	yes	
11	yes	
11	yes	<p>time to move ahead and ditch the old bersion. The People's Flag is clean and memorable</p>
11	yes	<p>The people's flag has a nice clean look. The simplicity will make this a forever flag!</p>
11	yes	<p>Excellent Design</p>

11	no	
11	yes	
11	yes	
11	no	I looked at the People's Flag and I have no idea, it is for Milwaukee or What is stands for. To me there is nothing on it that says Milwaukee
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	
11	no	
11	Yes!	sidewalk slabs and tree trimming
11	No	
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	happy that roads are scheduled to be repaved
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Ban open conceal carry
11	Yes!	Wants a tree on 68th & Howard to be removed it is bending into the road.
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Maintenance of the park, and the park is not safe after dark.
11	No	
11	Yes!	Reckless driving, does not like the orange, and blue on the flag
11	Yes!	Likes the flag
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Continue the outreach to the community
11	Yes!	Dangerous driving
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Likes the peoples flag
11	Yes!	Likes the simplicity of the flag
11		
11	No	The peoples flag looks boring
11	No	Likes the old flag, the new one doesn't have Milwaukee on it.
11	Yes!	
11	No	More police, and more police hired
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Reckless driving, wants all city workers to live in the city of Milwaukee
11	Yes!	Crime, reckless driving, trash
11	Yes!	Reckless driving, MPS is out of control, illegal fireworks
11	No	
11	No	The speed needs to lowered on Morgan Avenue
11	No	More police on Cleveland & Jackson. No off leash dogs in the park
11	No	flagrant disregard for traffic signs, more police
11	Yes!	reckless driving, car break-in's
11	Yes!	The whole block of 3900 S. 56th needs the trees trimmed
11	No	Terror on the streets, taxes, streets
11	No	Body shop being run out of house on 68th st. across from Wick Field, and they are parking the cars in front of their house.
11	Yes!	More police patrol
11	No	The whole street needs to be redone
11	No	Stack Drive needs repairing
11	No	Resurface 84th Street
11	Yes!	Sidewalks
11	No	Gun control, speeding
11	No	Peoples flag is ugly, and stupid
11	Yes!	More police patrol
11	Yes!	Parking enforcement around the Art building
11	No	84th from Howard Ave. to Oklahoma has never been paved
11	No	Cut down large trees on the block
11	No	Street is always wet on 60th & Oklahoma
11	Yes!	MPS system is overwhelming
11	Yes!	would like to see retired personnel brought back to the City to help out with shortages
11	Yes!	Cold Spring to Morgan fix the street, 51st & Howard needs sidewalks done redo alley
11	No	Howard Ave. needs to be repaired. The flag shows nothing about Milwaukee
11	No	Street Sweeper needs to come down the block
11	No	Wheel tax, property tax
11	Yes!	Police presence, love the flag
11	No	Potholes in the alley
11	No	Reckless driving
11	Yes!	Streets
11	Yes!	Sidewalks need repairing
11	No	Potholes
11	No	Streets
11	Yes!	Wants to create a Forest Home Ave. beautification Assn.
11	No	Wants trucks 3 tons or more to not use the street, speeding

11	Yes!	The trees that are being cut-down need to be replaced. Potholes
11	Yes!	Increase police presence
11	Yes	Reckless driving, speeding
11	No	Scared to go out in the evening and would like to attend the safety meetings
11	Yes!	Speeding
11	Yes!	
11	No	Speeding
11	Yes!	speeding
11	Yes!	Potholes
11	No	Concerned about the quality of education
11	Yes!	Sidewalks need repairing, street lights
11	No	More foot patrol, speeding
11	Yes!	Speeding, needs signs that children are present, in other languages
11	No	Speeding, potholes, and reckless driving
11	Yes!	Wants to buy plants, and shrubs (excess) from the City of Milwaukee
11	Yes!	Streets, and forestry
11	Yes!	Overlooked during snowplowing because 1/2 the street is Milwaukee, the other 1/2 is Greenfield.
11	No	Speeding
11	No	Flag needs to say Milwaukee, sidewalks need repairing, mayor doesn't need a raise, consolidate elementary schools
11	Yes!	Speeding, potholes, and reckless driving
11	No	potholes, wants no more vape shops, dollar stores, or liquor stores
11	No	Speeding
11	Yes!	Please share mpdtsu.org w/constituents to report reckless driving
11	Yes!	Speeding, disagrees with no charges being pressed against the school superintendant
11	Yes!	The Street light across the street from his property has been broken for 3 years
11	No	Does not like the flag. Alley needs to be repaired
11	Yes!	School bus safety
11	No	Front sidewalk @6915 W. KK Pkwy was dug up 7/8 mnths ago, and is still in disrepair
11	No	Wants to speak w/the Alderman, and wants better snowplowing
11	Yes!	Light pole in front of house is cracked, and missing pieces
11	No	Potholes . Hamilton High School causes chaos
11	No	Wants a 4 way stop placed at Euclid & 39th St.
11	Yes!	Wants to food trucks moved, people parking in the no parking zone
11	No	Wants a soccer field at Lyons Park
11	Yes!	Needs a stop sign installed at Sunbury & Princeton
11	Yes!	
11	No	Speeding cars, loud music, shootings
11	No	Crime
11	No	Check expired plates, and speeding cars, and night parking
11	Yes!	Increased police presence, fix the street lights
11	No	Keep criminals in jail, fix sewer drain, a partnership between MPS, and MPD
11	No	Wilbur Ave. needs to be repaired, also wants a sidewalk put in by the City
11	No	57th Street needs to be fixed not patched
11	Yes!	Morgan Ave. is a speedway, and is there a way to reduce the noise?
11	Yes!	Potholes in the alley
11	No	More police presence, and the sidewalks repaired
11	Yes!	Keep up the great work!
11	Yes!	Alley behind the constiuent's property needs to be repaired
11	No	Holt street needs to be paved
11	No	Add Milwaukee 1846 to the flag. Other states don't know it's our flag
11	No	Likes the current flag, the new flag doesn't have Milwaukee on it.
11	Yes!	streets
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	The flag is not a priority. Believes we need to adopt other ideas for decreasing reckless driving, not more law enforcement
11	Yes!	
11	No	
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Would like to see Milwaukee on the flag
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	snowplowing
11	No	Reckless driving, and property crimes
11	No	
11	No	More police presence, more parking enforcement
11	Yes!	
11	No	
11	Yes!	
11	No	
11	No	

11	No	Does not like any of the flags
11	Yes!	Potholes, hard to ride bikes
11	Yes!	Potholes need to be fixed not a bandaid
11	Yes!	
11	No	
11	Yes!	Speeders, home taxes
11	Yes!	
11	No	Spend the flag money to repair roads
11	Yes!	Basketball courts@Wedgwood Park. They love the original Milwaukee
11	Yes!	Education, and the improvement of the schools
11	Yes!	Fix W. Howard
11	No	Alley, likes old flag
11	No	More police officers, improve the streets, new flag shows nothing about Milwaukee
11	No	Does not like any of the flags
11	No	Montana Ave. potholes, don't patch fix
11	No	
11	Yes!	
11	No	More police, and traffic enforcement
11	No	The flag says nothing about Milwaukee
11	No	
11	No	
11	Yes!	Rat infestation, tall grass, trash in the alley, fireworks
11	No	Assistant Sherry is the Best!!
11	No	Howard Ave. road is bad, Red Oak Heights Neighborhood has a rat infestation.
11	No	Would'nt know it was our flag it does not represent Milwaukee
11	Yes!	Reckless driving, scooters, & bikes on the sidewalks
11	No	The new flag is too plain
11	Yes!	Street lights, and lights surrounding Wedgwood Park
11	Yes	Keep fees, and taxes down
11	Yes!	
11	Yes	Does not like the single family homes becoming rentals.
11	No	
11	No	
11	Yes!	Car thefts, break-in's, reckless driving, roads
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Gun violence, Dollar Tree, and Walmart needs to keep their property clean, more prompt snow plowing
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	
11	No	
11	No	
11	No	Wants the police to enforce traffic, and parking violations
11	No	The new flag should have milwaukee on it. It's to abstract
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	roads, reckless drivers, no high powered rifles
11	Yes!	
11	No	
11	Yes!	Potholes
11	No	
11	Yes!	
11	No	The
11	No	Convert Jackson Prk Dr. to a bike path/trail
11	Yes!	
11	Yes	No fireworks, no reckless driving, potholes, speed enforcement
11	Yes!	Grateful for the police patrols
11	No	
11	Yes!	
11	No	
11	Yes!	Potholes
11	Yes!	No speed bumps on main streets
11	No	Housing Authority, city services need to collaborate with the suburbs
11	Yes!	Wants to create a "healing"
11	Yes	Does not like parking on both sides of the street, the street is too narrow
11	Yes!	
11	No	Speeding on Morgan Avenue
11	No	Potholes
11	Yes!	
11	Yes!	Speeding on Cleveland Avenue
11	Yes	The potholes being filled with asphalt makes the roads into the Appalachian Mountains
11	No	Overgrown weeds, & grass
11	Yes!	Expand public transit, more bike lanes, reduce auto theft, and reckless driving
11	No	Roads

11	Yes!	51st to 60th needs repaving
11	No	Flag is ugly
11	Yes!	
11	No	Street repair
11		Streets
11	No	Alley N. of Howard has potholes
11	Yes!	Update the City Flag
11	Yes!	Don't expand The Hop
11	Yes!	
11	no	speeding, fireworks, smoke vape shop
11	no	Please email me and I will tell you what the issue i have, thank you
11	Yes!	
11	no	
11	no	trees, potholes, drug dealings at apt
11	no	Put Milwaukee on it
11	no	reckless driving
11	yes	car thefts, intersection 68th and Howard Ave
11	yes	traffic lights, roads
11	Yes!	
11	no	streetlights, water bills
11	0	
11		side of house road is bad
11	no	no info on the symbolism, colors, etc, infor would be good
11	Yes	
11	Yes	support Milwaukee Public Schools!
11	no	
11	no	
11		Our alley S 85th to S 86th is in need of repair, do drainage. We have talked about this
11	no	Looks like a 3rd grader made it
11	no	Panhandling on S 76th, fix dip in road on S 68th and W Oklahoma Ave, going south of the traffic light, fix ugly crumbling medians on S 68th
11	Yes!	Sidewalk uplifted due to tree roots
11	no	Wheel tax and Waukesha water payments
11	yes	road/trees/sidewalk
11	no	vacant property
11	no	streetlights, speeding, and smelly fire pits
11	no	more regulations on neighborhood fences
11	no	Flag
11	yes	potholes, future list for repaving
11	yes	Peter called her regarding traffic on S 43rd and W Oklahoma Ave, accidents happen a lot, she want to see if this would be restructure.
11	no	speeding
11	Yes	Street is in extremely poor condition, plenty of potholes
11	Yes	alley is terrible
11	no	turn signal, flag, would go back to older version then then the current flag
11	Yes	Our alley is in bad shape. Wondering if in the near future will it be replaced
11	No	
11		
11	No	
11	No	
11	Yes	Would like better communication between Jackson Park Safety Patrols, MPD and Sherrif's dept
11	No	
11	No	Need more police patrols after 6pm. Fireworks out of control
11	Yes	Flag Good Work
11		The noisy cars and motorcycles are very bad along with speeder
11	No	
11	Yes	Police enforcement and rounds are need more regularly
11	No	New flag is terrible. Thank you for mailing out newsletter.
11	Yes	Doesn't like halfway house across the alley. Looking for Caps on Property taxes.
11	Yes	You are doing a great job. Loves the neighborhood walks. Loves the free trees program and would like to see fruit trees included. Would like to see high speed chases banned
11	No	
11	No	Need more patrol officers on Oklahoma for reckless driving and excessive speeding
11	No	
11	No	Feels the People's flag resembles the logo of Minolta
11	Yes	Safty concerns are about unsafe driving in neighborhood. Loves the People's Flag, have a framed print of it hung
11		Sumac has not be redone since the 90's a lot of pot holes, terrible choppy strett. Would fell safer if street lights weren't going out on a weekly/monthly basis.
11	No	Howard work done last year very patchwork.
11	No	Has lived in same house for 61 years. Quality of life is still good
11	Yes	

11	Yes!	Glad Howard is being fixed. Would like 84th Oklahoma to Howard would be fixed
11	No	More police patrols Howard between 68th-76th is a race track
11	Yes	
11	Yes	Rents are too high wages too low
11	Yes	Road and power grid, Sale tax too high
11	No	
11	Yes	
11	Yes	Please support strengthening whistleblower protections for city employees
11	No	
11	No	Not enforcing speed and traffic laws
11	Yes	Thank you for informative newsletter. Thank you for assistance from your office
11	No	
11	Yes	Speeding on Oklahoma Ave.
11	No	speeding, plowing, road issues, city residency. etc
11	No	
11	Yes	Environmental protection / sustainability. Good libraries. District could use more restaurants and vibrant commercial corridor
11	Yes	
11	Yes	
11	Yes	
11	Yes	Feels unsafe crossing the street. Almost been hit by cars getting too close.
11	Yes	Rodent problem is out of hand. Neighborhood needs to clean-up too much garbage in roads
11	Yes	
11	Yes	Really appreciate your newsletter. Love that you are championing making the people's flag official
11	Yes	The number of potholes on our streets need to be addressed
11	No	
11	No	Flag is boring.
11	No	Leave the flag alone.
11		Illegal fireworks noise and safety concern
11	Yes	Nice newsletter
11	No	More cops please
11	Yes	Crackdown on reckless driving. Comptroller is doing a great job.
11	No	
11	Yes	Daily bike riders. Surrounding roads in neighborhood are horrible, patch jobs leave uneven lumps. Wreckless driving
11	No	1. No enforcement for illegal fireworks damaging roofs and gutter 2. Gerrymandering 2. Drag racing/noise of traffic on 60th St between Cleveland & Oklahoma 3. Fiscal irresponsibility 4. Illegal firearm usage
11	Yes	Alley is full of potholes -PROBLEM FIREWORKS All day and night for days
11	Yes	Reckless driving on Oklahoma, noise pollution from motorcycles - loud exhaust. Does not support restructuring of Jackson Park Dr.
11	Yes	Take care of rat problem, people driving by with base in their cars so loud it vibrates and shakes windows
11	No	
11	No	
11	both	Flag needs text reference Milwaukee overall good design
11	Yes	
11	Yes	Street was recently fixed and lovely. Feels generally safe but has concerns as a woman. Current flag look ancient -let it go
11	No	Flag is too generic Needs to say Milwaukee 1846
11	No	
11	Yes	Please keep adding bike lanes, please address noise pollution, and CO2 from trucks. Add more meet and greet breakfasts.
11	No	Need more police and radar
11	No	Thank you for awesome and informative brochure. Been at current address for 38 years
11	No	
11	No	
11		
11	Yes	Safety is always important
11	Yes	
11	No	
11	No	Concerned about Shopping cart placement and litter in the streets
11		Likes neighborhood meetings
11	Yes	Alley need repaving
11	No	Glad Sherry was kept on staff Overnight parking fees
11	No	Flag looks like sinking sun, Increase police patrol near Hamilton high, Additional signage of speed limits
11	no	
11	yes	
11	yes	Too much reckless driving and speeding on S 35th St between W Morgan Ave and W Howard Ave, between the hours of 2 pm and 6 pm daily, requesting patrols.
11	Yes	
11	Yes	Would like to see more discussions on how to make our city more walkable and bikeable
11	no	Constituent comment card, so many broken streets, need entire street repaired, the path at Alcott Park is in need of repair, banked sides are unsafe, street cleaning would be nice. Also, Street cleaning would be nice.
11	yes	

11	yes	
11	no	
11	no	Compliment to the DPW
11	Yes	I do support the People's Flag becoming the official city flag of Milwaukee. Thank you again for asking for our opinion and considering what we think in the district. LaShonda
11	No	3 There were gunshots in the next block last week. Do you support the People's Flag (referenced in this newsletter) becoming the official City of Milwaukee flag? NO, absolutely NO. There are more important things to concern yourself with than a freaking flag.
11	NA	3. Official City Flag: Why use the terminology, People's Flag? Sounds socialistic.
11	Yes	
11	yes	People's Flag: yes
11	yes	3) Yes, please promote the People's Flag ! When I think of my city, I think of Chevy Johnson smiling with the People's flag flying behind him. +2 votes for People's flag (my wife & I).
11	yes	3. I'm okay with the People's Flag. It would be nice to move into the 21st Century.
11	yes	Priorities and Issues survey Sat 7/20/2024 4:43 PM Hi Question 3: City flag, I guess yes. I do not have strong feelings either way.
11	yes	7/20/2024 10:33 PM Hi Peter, I like your newsletter-it's very informative. 3.) We support the People's Flag to become the official City of Milwaukee flag. Thanks, enjoy the summer!
11	yes	3. Peoples flag YES
11	yes	3. Yes
11	yes	3. Love the "People's Flag" and I hope that it does become the city flag soon!
11	no	I received your flyer and I was not happy to see that they want to change our state flag. Why? Do we need to chloroform the past to make a better future? No we do not. I am not going to support this and I feel that there should be a referendum on this at least. I vote NO to this change and I will not vote for anyone who wants to make this kind of change.
11	no	3) I DO NOT like the new flag - our flag should not be tampered with at all whatsoever. The design that is considered does not even have the name of our city on it, are the Aldermen ashamed of our city so much that they want a new flag without our name on it representing us?
11	Yes	Hello Peter, Please find my responses to your priority questions from the recent newsletter below. Honesty, the streets surrounding our entire subdivision are atrocious. It's just never-ending patch jobs and potholes requests. I'm not sure how they select which streets need repaving, but we've been here 10 years and it hasn't been addressed. thake a drive down Stack and you can see for yourself.
11		Subject: Community issues I got your email from a mailer sent to my house. I filled out the prepaid mailer to send back to you.
11	yes	#3 Yes
11	no	Subject: Survey Card Hello Alderman Burgelis, Attached is the survey. Please email us if you have any questions regarding our responses.
11	yes	Thank you Peter Burgelis for taking the lead on this, Enough already! Get it done!
11	yes	
12	Yes	I am writing to express my support in adopting the People's Flag as the official Milwaukee city flag. The current city flag is an archaic and racist representation of Milwaukee. It has aged horrendously. The People's Flag has been widely adopted by the people of our beautiful city. It's time to make it official and end this ridiculous back and forth. It's time for Milwaukee to have an OFFICIAL symbol such as the People's Flag to guide us visually. It's a symbol of unity and pride, and a perfect representation of who we are as a city today.
12	yes	Council, I support the official adoption of the Peoples Flag. There's several houses on my street on the west side that fly it. The symbol combines really well such as the new MCTS stickers. It's a good flag, people like it and put it on merch. Please make it our official city flag.
12	yes	
12	yes	
12	yes	
12	yes	It's flying everywhere just make it official

12	yes	The old flag is to busy,
12	yes	It's clear, graphic, and represents MKE perfectly
12	yes	The flag brings pride to the city. Make it official
12	yes	
12	yes	
12	yes	If other states can give up their ugly flags we can give up ours
12	yes	We love the People's Flag
12	no	Likes the current flag. Please don't replace it
12	yes	
12	yes	The old flag is out of it's time, cluttered and visually unappealing
12	yes	
12	yes	Likes it
12	yes	
12	yes	
12	no	Likes the old flag
12	yes	
12	no	Like what the old flag shows
12	no	Doesn't understand why the city's resources are being devoted to a purely symbolic gesture when there are real material, concrete problems to solve. We should be worried about homelessness
12	yes	love the new design
13	Yes	To whom it may concern, I am sending this letter for approval for the new Milwaukee flag adaptation. My background is in graphic design/illustration, and I've been involved in the art my entire life. Until the recent design update, I was sort of clueless about a Milwaukee flag. I didn't realize it was something we could show pride in and showcase to show respect for our beautiful city. I assumed it was just other cities that had one. I understand that the old flag design holds a lot of historical significance, and we want to respect that. However, as a professional, I feel it's important to point out that the old flag has several design flaws and lacks clear symbolism. On the other hand, the new design is simple, clean, and has been widely embraced by the city, even appearing at sporting events as a symbol of Milwaukee. In closing, I would like to endorse the new flag as Milwaukee's official flag. We will never forget the old, but it's time to bring in the new. Evolution is hard, but if it's working, go with it.
13	Yes	I just wanted to share my opinion, that I would like The People's Flag to be Milwaukee's official flag.
13	Yes	Thank you for your time.
13	Yes	I love it and would like to see it become official
13	no	There is nothing wrong with our current flag, But I'm sure the politicians have already decided to make the change and is just going through the motion acting like people have a say.
13	yes	
13	yes	
13	yes	
13	no	Keep the original, it says a lot mor than a sunrise option
13	no	Likes the current flag. The proposed flag is too generic doesn't signify Milwaukee
13		
13	yes	It was an organic process, let's keep it
13	yes	
13	yes	
13	yes	love the new flag
13	yes	Likes the simplicity of the new flag
13	yes	
13	yes	
13	yes	Very vibrant and up to date
13	yes	
13	yes	Love the simplicity
14	yes	Hey all I wanted to voice my support -and let you know that I already commented on Marina Demitrijevic's survey in support of the new flag. Please feel free to pass this support along to her as well! :)
14	Yes	I support official adoption This flag is very attractive and represents Milwaukee perfectly.
14	yes	I support the new flag Filipe Alberto 53207
14	Yes	Fri 8/16/2024 1:14 PM support of the people's flag We strongly support replacing the old Milwaukee official flag with the People's flag, which we fly at our Bay View home.

14		<p>Hello,</p> <p>I'm a city of Milwaukee resident, as well as an accomplished artist with works in the Whitney and NYC MOMA. I've spent my life in the graphic / marketing industry. I'm 55 years old and very aware of pop culture and trends.</p> <p>If we go to the new flag design, it would be like bulldozing a strong, beautiful classic building and putting in a strip mall and a parking lot. The design is a lego assembly of graphic cut and paste computer graphics. Anyone in the design industry can verify this.</p> <p>Say what you will about our current flag, but it does say 'Milwaukee' and there is no mistaking this. With the newer design proposed, nobody will have the slightest idea what or where the flag represents. Again, this is basic design / awareness stuff. The wool is being pulled over the eyes of the city by some who are unaware, possibly, of just what negative representation this new would give to the city nationally.</p> <p>The 'Sunrise Over the Lake' flag is one of those things that will hinder Milwaukee's ascent. Currently, the flag is at worst doing nothing. This new design will not age well. Indeed, it is already demonstrably out of its design moment, the year 2008.</p> <p>Sincerely</p>
14	Yes	I support the official adoption of the new MKE flag. The simple design is engaging! Attached is a photo of the MKE "flag" neon sign my husband made.
14	Yes	I support the official adoption of the proposed Milwaukee flag.
14	Yes	<p>I am a Milwaukee resident and believe that the new flag is important to many who reside in the city and should be adopted.</p> <p>The previous flag comes from an era that doesn't represent the values of the city. It is unacceptable to have a racist caricature of a Native American on the flag as well.</p>
14	Yes	<p>THIS is the flag of the people. It needs to be official.</p> <p>Love,</p> <p>That MKE Lady</p>
14	yes	it's long overdue
14	yes	I strongly support this proposal, thank you to Ald Burgeliss in advancing this idea!
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	More updates. Love it!
14	yes	
14	yes	Thought it was already official
14	yes	Loves the new flag and owns multiple items with the design
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	Likes the new flag, love the simplicity
14	yes	The new flag looks a lot nicer
14	yes	The old flag appears outdated, and cluttered. Likes the simple look
14	yes	It's refreshing on the city's image
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	Likes the contemporary look
14	yes	Do not limit the current flag use for other products
14	yes	
14	yes	Love it
14	yes	Please make this the flag. So much better, love the new design
14	yes	The new flag symbolizes the new version of Milwaukee along w/all it's growth, and potential
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	Put something indicating it's Milwaukee, like MKE, or the year of MKE's establishment.
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	Love it
14	yes	Will miss the flying saucer
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	no	Explain why we are spending \$\$\$ on this
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	It shows that Milwaukee is growing
14	yes	It's less busy, but says more
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	yes	
14	No	
14	No	

15	yes	Nobody wants that dusty old flag. New one is inviting
15	no	The old flag is unmistakable
15	yes	Would like 2 flags
15	yes	We need the new flag
15	yes	I think it is nice, not to much on it like the other one, things that we do not understand. Time for a new Flag.
15		Add the Hoan Bridge? It is lovely and contemporary
		Subject: Official Flag Adoption Hello! I would be elated to see this flag be adopted as the official city flag of Milwaukee!! I visited Milwaukee a year ago with my boyfriend and we bought two of these flags because they are so cute! The colors and symbolism reflect the city beautifully in a simple yet effective way! Please incorporate this great flag! ♡
Omaha, NE	yes	Cody Schnebel 415 Leavenworth St. Omaha, NE 68102
		Hello,
Appleton, WI	Yes	Please adopt the flag!
Bayside	yes	
Bayside	yes	The flag is refreshing
Big Bend	yes	Adapt the original flag
Big Bend	yes	Adopt the flag already
Bristol	yes	
Bristol	yes	
Brookfield	yes	New flag needs MKE, or something representing Milwaukee
Brookfield	yes	Make the People's Flag Official
Brookfield	yes	
Brookfield	yes	
Brookfield	yes	full support in making the People's Flag official
Brookfield	yes	
Chicago	Yes	I support people's flag of Milwaukee. support official adoption
		Hello! I was informed about the flag the city of Milwaukee has, and as someone living close by, I believe that this flag can be better. As a native Chicagoan, it has become a proud symbol that displays for my home and birthplace. Traveling throughout Chicago, there is also a similar sentiment, as many display it outside of homes, businesses, government buildings, etc. As someone who visited Milwaukee, I believe there are some great aspects of it, and I believe that it will become even greater in coming years. Adopting a new flag can help show that Milwaukee is entering a new chapter of growth and prosperity, unite the people of Milwaukee regardless of their background or beliefs, and serve as a symbol of motivation for the people to work hard and help improve the city. Even though I am an outsider who has never lived in Milwaukee, I hope that Milwaukee adopts a flag that the people can be proud of. Please consider this advice, and I wish the people and government of Milwaukee all the best!
Chicago		
		> Sent: Friday, August 16, 2024 10:05 AM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> > Subject: Proposed Milwaukee flag I am really against changing the Milwaukee flag to the proposed flag. There is nothing in that flag that says Milwaukee. The proposed flag is so generic it could be for Luddington, Michigan or San Diego. If you were going to change the current flag, I think it should include the Milwaukee Art Museum sunscreen or the tower of Milwaukee City Hall.
Cudahy	no	I encourage you to vote against the proposed flag.
		Hello! Long time Milwaukee resident! I'd love to see the new flag adopted for Milwaukee. It's modern, bold, and is widely accepted. Milwaukee is in such a state of growth right now -- it would be very fitting to celebrate with a new addition to the city's official history! cheers,
Cudahy	Yes	
		Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2024 9:26 AM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: Official Flag Adoption Support As a Milwaukee County homeowner and resident, I support The Proposed New Official City Flag - "Sunrise Over the Lake." I believe in the unity and fellowship it has already fostered!
Cudahy	Yes	
Deforest, WI	Yes	Please consider adopting the new Milwaukee flag as the official city flag. This design has become synonymous with our city.
EauClaire	no	
EauClaire	yes	Love the simplicity of the new flag. Flows well with the branding of Milwaukee

		Hi, I'm writing to share my support of the City of Milwaukee making the People's flag the official city flag.
		It has been the unofficial flag for approximately 8 years now and it's well past the time to make it official. The People's flag unites us & brings a sense of pride & unity to all in the city, county & beyond.
		This seems like a lighthearted, simple way to spread joy in the Milwaukee community. Those who may not like it, won't really care in the long-run & they are likely people who dislike Milwaukee so their opinion shouldn't be taken into consideration.
		Thanks for your work on this matter.
foz Point	yes	Milwaukee County resident
Franklin	yes	Likes the new flag
Germantown	yes	The new flag is way better
		As a business owner in the city of Milwaukee, I would be proud to fly this new flag in the front of our store. Please make it the official flag for the city.
Glendale	Yes	Thank you,
Glendale	yes	The new flag is awesome
Glendale	yes	The old flag sucks ass
Glendale	yes	Update the image of the city
Glendale	yes	
Green Bay	no	
		Alderman Burgelis, All the previous reasons to replace the current MKE flag with the Sunrise Over the Lake flag still hold. Let's add climate change driving people from the southwest and southeast US by way of tornados, hurricane, rising coastal waters, extreme heat and especially decreasing fresh water for drinking, cooking and manufacturing. These climate migrants will be joined by climate migrants from Mexico, Central America, the Caribbean, North Africa, parts of Europe, the Middle East and Asia. The Great Lakes States will be increasingly attractive and Wisconsin more so than others. Milwaukee has a better water, sewer and water treatment system from that huge inland sea that we call Lake Michigan that is reliable now and into the distant future. The "Sunrise Over The Lake" flag represents the future for MKE and a welcoming symbol for why we live here and why so many more will want to live here. It has a calm, positive, inviting feeling to it while at the same time a subtle reminder to be careful with that great, natural resource which easily is taken for granted.
Greendale	Yes	Thanks much,
		Sent: Tuesday, August 13, 2024 4:09 PM To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov> Subject: I support official adoption To whom it may concern, I have found the more simple and modern design of the Milwaukee flag is beautiful and is reflective of the city. I for one have been and will continue to fly the flag proudly, but even more so if selected to become the official flag of Milwaukee.
Greendale	Yes	Thank you, Hello City Officials, I am writing this email to express my excitement, request, and desire to see "the people flag" of Milwaukee become the official flag of Milwaukee. While the current flag was a good representation for its generation, I think there is no argument that a modern sleek design better represents a flag that the people of Milwaukee are proud to show off and share.
Greenfield	Yes	I look forward to seeing this adoption take place.
Greenfield	yes	Current Flag too busy. People's Flag simple & appealing.N
Greenfield	yes	
Kamloops, BC	yes	Add some white foam on the top of the gold to empasize the brewing aspect.
Menomonee Falls	yes	
Mequon	yes	
Mequon	yes	
Mequon	yes	
Mequon	yes	
Mequon	yes	The new flag provides a more modern clean look
Nebraska City, NE		We need the NEW Milwaukee flag! Love it love it love it Sent from my iPhone

		<p>Greetings!</p> <p>My name is Brayden Parato and I am 19 years old. I have lived in Milwaukee County for 18 out of 19 years, specifically Franklin. I hope this email finds you well. I want to share my support for adopting the Peoples flag as the official Milwaukee flag.</p> <p>Ever since I was little my father would take me downtown for days out. Whether it was going to the art museum, Bradford Beach, a local coffee shop, or just a walk about the Third Ward there has always been one thing that sticks out to me, the people. Milwaukee has always been a place where people gather to share the good old times; it's a community where everyone loves to help everyone else. Since my father's passing in 2018, I have found myself more often than not going downtown to enjoy the scenery in parks, paths, and beaches. Although going downtown with my dad was our thing, I know that many other Milwaukee residents love to do the same thing.</p> <p>The People's Flag represents more than just a city, it represents every resident and visitor who walks, runs, or drives through the streets of the city. As a graphic design student at the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, I appreciate the meaning behind the flag. The colors call back to the history of what makes Milwaukee the "Gathering Place" and our love for a city that lies on one of five great lakes. At face value, the flag means exactly what it is called, however, it also stands for equality, inclusion, diversity, and greatness.</p> <p>When I look at the Peoples flag, I see a representation of a city that, at its heart cares for its people.</p>
New Berlin	Yes	Thank you for your time
New Berlin	Yes	I wish to add my voice to those who feel that making the "People's Flag" the official flag of Milwaukee is overdue.
New Berlin	yes	To those who claim it resembles the Obama campaign sign, I say this: as someone who's heart is in Milwaukee, where his family immigrated from Germany in the early 20th century, but whose home is, sadly, in Iowa, Iowa's state flag resembles that of France. But that doesn't make Iowa the land of baguettes and souffles or even good wine.
New Berlin	yes	Make it happen
New Berlin	yes	
New Berlin	yes	Never saw the current flag
No Address	yes	
Norway	Yes	<p>I would like to express my support of the Milwaukee People's Flag.</p> <p>It has it all:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - it is striking at a distance - it has a clear colour palette and simple design elements, it is a source of inspiration to make MKE merch to show MKE pride - it manages to combine MKE references into what now looks like one symbol, which in turn becomes a symbol for all of Milwaukee <p>All the best from a flag enthusiast from Norway</p>
Oak Creek	yes	The People's flag of Milwaukee has been adopted by the Brewers and Bucks. Has been adopted by many businesses and clothing companies. It's time for Milwaukee to rid itself of the busy flag and rebrand and modernize with the People of Milwaukee flag. I support the adoption of the People of Milwaukee flag.
Oak Creek	yes	Already thought it was flag
Oak Creek	yes	Thought it was already the flag
Oak Creek	yes	
Omaha, NE	Yes	My partner and I are considering moving to Milwaukee from Omaha, Nebraska. We are both flag lovers and Vexillology nerds. We BOTH support the adoption of beautiful new flag. Great colors, beautiful, recognizable, simple and effective! ❤️❤️❤️❤️
Pewaukee	yes	
Port Washington	yes	
Racine	no	Believes there is more personality in the original flag
Racine	no	There is more personality in the old flag
Rhineland, WI		Please adopt the new Milwaukee flag as the official flag for Milwaukee. Thank you.
Sheboygan	yes	
Shorewood	Yes	Please adopt the People's Flag as Milwaukee's official flag. Thank you!!
Shorewood	Yes	Just wanted to say I LOVE the People's Flag of Milwaukee. It's the perfect blend of simplicity and symbolism. I hope it is officially chosen as Milwaukee's flag.
Shorewood	yes	The People's Flag is a gem, just like MKE!
Shorewood	yes	
Shorewood	yes	
St Francis	Yes	This flag should become the official city flag!
St Francis	Yes	Love this flag!
St. Francis	yes	Old flag is chaotic
St. Francis	yes	
St. Francis	yes	Antiquated
St. Francis	yes	
St. Francis	yes	
St. Francis	yes	
St. Francis	yes	New era, new generation
St. Francis	yes	Good day,
unknown	no	<p>I wanted to share my opinion on the flag switch. I am against it. I feel the current flag is a better representation of the city of Milwaukee and what it has to offer.</p> <p>The flag that has been adopted as "the people's flag" is plain, ugly and does not accurately nor clearly represent my city.</p> <p>If the flag is changed I will no longer fly it.</p>

		I support the official adoption of the people's flag of Milwaukee as our official city flag. With the city's plan to revamp and connect all parts of Milwaukee, official adoption of the flag gives us residents a symbol that we're passionate about and brands the city properly going forward.
Unknown	Yes	Thanks,
unknown	Yes	I support official adoption Hello!
unknown	Yes	I support the adoption of the People's flag of Milwaukee as the official city flag! It's an outstanding flag and would be a huge missed opportunity for the city if this flag is not adopted. Do the right thing! Do it today 🙌 🙌
		To whom it may concern, I'd like to add my voice of support to adopting "Sunrise Over the Lake" as Milwaukee's official flag. The community of Watertown greatly benefits from having a large City with a positive identity within easy driving and commuting range. Our residents, my family and I spend a significant amount of time doing business with, enjoying recreation in, and using the regional mass transportation options available through the the City of Milwaukee. The City of Watertown recently went through its own brand development exercise and paid a significant sum to arrive at a simple but attractive symbol (below) to capture the essence of our community. Meanwhile, the "Peoples Flag" initiative offers the City of Milwaukee a great way to get the same thing for no charge from an even larger pool of talent. The competitive process of the flag contest and the passage of time have also served to vet the popularity and ease-of-use of Robert Lenz's winning "Sunrise Over the Lake" entry. I believe the artist has even released the design to the public domain to reduce any barriers of use and encourage people to use it in a wide variety of formats and settings. Thank you for considering my take in support of Ald. Peter Burgelis's efforts to approve Robert Lenz's "Sunrise Over the Lake" as the official City of Milwaukee flag.
Watertown	Yes	
Waukesha	Yes	Adopt the People's Flag!
Waukesha	Yes	I support adoption of the People's Flag of Milwaukee. It is a beautiful design that helps unify the city.
Waukesha	yes	
		I am excited to learn that the Steering and Rules Committee will be considering Alderman Burgelis' proposal to make the "People's Flag of Milwaukee" our new official city flag. I strongly support this effort – it is long overdue. Flags can have the power to unify, energize, and motivate. I would encourage the Committee to think about how the (excellent) flag of the City of Chicago has been adopted and adapted across that city, and is incorporated into art and branding in thousands of different ways. We are already seeing this happening in Milwaukee, where the People's Flag logo has been integrated into Brewers hats, Bucks jerseys, political signs, beer cans, etc. Our city has already embraced the new design, and it is time to make it official. My law firm has more than 1,000 lawyers and 20 offices across the country. Each office has its own "badge" which we use for marketing and branding purposes. Below you will find the badge for our Milwaukee office (which is home to more than 100 lawyers). When even risk-averse law firms are embracing the new design, it is time for the Committee and Common Council to lend their support.
Wauwatosa	Yes	
Wauwatosa	Yes	We need to adopt the new flag for milwaukee. It is a great symbol of our city and one that simply and beautifully expresses our city. The old flag is outdated and doesn't have meaning any more.
Wauwatosa	Yes	I am in support of adopting the People's Flag of Milwaukee as the official city flag. With all the recent construction projects and revitalization of Milwaukee, now is the perfect time for the flag to officially symbolize our great city. It has already become a symbol of city pride and unity since its release.
Wauwatosa	no	With any due respect and I'm nit certain these is much, did we not just have a competition for a beautiful city flag? Where I lack complete respect for this current abomination and graphic hot mess is the fact anyone in modern time would publish or want feedback on a flag with a RED native American's face. Is this committee tone Def? Don't answer that, we know it is. As a half native who has seen logos and mascots come and go and be bastardized along the way living in a time of the social justice warrior and acceptance of all it goes to show us as a native community you don't give a flying fuck unless it's an agenda that gains votes, clout or a show. Openly supporting racial justice a d social justice IS INCLUSIVE of supporting your native community in the "People's Flag." We will nit be mocked. We will not shut up and deal with what you clearly are which is tone Def and blind to the real duties this office should be fulfilling to its people.
		Please adopt the people's flag of MKE. It's a great design. Everyone already uses it.
Wauwatosa	Yes	Give the people what they want!!!!
Wauwatosa	yes	
Wauwatosa	yes	I support the new flag!
Wauwatosa	yes	Stands out nicely.Doesn't resemble other Flags.
Wauwatosa	yes	
Wauwatosa	yes	
Wauwatosa	yes	
Wauwatosa	yes	
Wauwatosa	yes	Duh
Wauwatosa	yes	
Wauwatosa	yes	The flag is awesome
Wauwatosa	yes	Love the People's Flag
Wauwatosa	yes	

Wauwatosa yes

Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2024 10:35 PM
To: flagcomments <flagcomments@milwaukee.gov>
Subject: Flag- official adoption
Hello!

Just to show our support and vote for the official adoption of the flag of Milwaukee. I believe it's a great design!
I hope it does become the people's flag of Milwaukee.

West Aliis

Thanks!

Make it official, please!

As someone who loves Milwaukee, there needs to be a change. The old flag is outdated and doesn't represent Mayor Johnson's goal of hitting 1 million Milwaukeeans.

West Aliis Yes

Have a good one,

West Allis yes

Add the year, or 414

West Allis yes

Add the year or 414

West Allis yes

West Allis yes

West Allis yes

Why hasn't the People's Flag become the official flag of Milwaukee yet?

I support official adoption!

Please and thank you,

Whitefish Bay Yes

Milwaukee County Resident

Sat 8/17/2024 1:43 PM SUPPORT FOR: Proposed new City of Milwaukee flag (People's Flag) To: Ald. Peter Burgelis; Steering and Rules Committee; Common Council

I support the adoption of the proposed new City of Milwaukee flag (People's Flag).

The City of Milwaukee is a vibrant, walkable, delicious, and fun place to visit (not having a residence in the city, I can't claim to live in the city).

However, Milwaukee is near and dear to my heart:

I was engaged at The Pfister in 1980 and we moved to Whitefish Bay in 1990.

The proposed flag is memorable because of its simplicity yet representative of Milwaukee's history and environment.

Without extensive lake parks and views, river parks and activities, and with clear air and sun: Who would live here or visit?

From personal experience living in the city of Detroit, there was no river access or safe parks: very, very few people lived or visited "downtown" by the river.

One concern that is raised about the proposed new flag: is it inclusive or diverse enough? If one tries to include everything, something will get left out because of finite space.

Please adopt the proposed new City of Milwaukee flag and embrace what is already a ubiquitous symbol of Milwaukee!

Whitefish Bay Yes

Thank you for your consideration,

To whom it may concern,

As a fan of the great city of Milwaukee, and its wonderful people, I believe Cream City should have a great flag design to represent it. The People's Flag design is one that perfectly captures the city and is a symbol of hope as the sun rises over Lake Michigan.

Whitefish Bay Yes

I hope that is adopted as the official flag of the city that I love so dearly.

To Whom it May Concern:

I heartily support making the People's Flag our official city flag of Milwaukee! The design is both appealing and eye-catching and the symbolism is deeply meaningful. I sincerely hope this flag will be widely embraced in the upcoming September vote.

Whitefish Bay Yes

Thank you for this opportunity to express my opinion.

It's time to adopt this flag now.

Whitefish Bay Yes

-Lydia

Whitefish Bay yes

Whitefish Bay yes

Great design. Most visible symbol representing Milwaukee.

Whitefish Bay yes

the current flag is tasteless, out of focus with reality and does not represent the current philosophy of the People

Whitefish Bay yes

Whitefish Bay yes

The times have changed and so should our flag

Whitefish Bay yes

Whitefish Bay yes

The new flag is clearer, and more attractive

Whitefish Bay yes

From: Dave <da180mpd@gmail.com>

Date: August 14, 2024 at 5:08:37 PM CDT

To: "Burgelis, Peter" <Peter.Burgelis@milwaukee.gov>

Subject: Flag

no

Milwaukee is so fucking gay, why don't you just make the fag flag the flag of gaywaukee.