



# City of Milwaukee

## Meeting Minutes

### PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

City Hall  
200 East Wells Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53202

**ALD. ROBERT DONOVAN, CHAIR**  
**Ald. Robert Puente, Vice-Chair**  
**Ald. Michael McGee, Jr., Ald. Terry Witkowski, Ald. T. Anthony Zielinski**

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Thursday, January 4, 2007

9:00 AM

Room 301-B, City Hall

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#### Supplemental

#### Meeting Convened: 9:07 A.M.

**Present** 4 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Zielinski

**Excused** 1 - Witkowski

1. [061122](#) Resolution relating to the application, acceptance and expenditure of the 2006 Metropolitan Medical Response System grant.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**Appearance:**

*Sandy Rotar, Fire Department.*

**A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED TO the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE . The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 4 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr. and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Excused** 1 - Witkowski

- 1b. [060984](#) Substitute resolution to execute a 2007-2008 Emergency Medical Services Agreement for paramedic services with Milwaukee County.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**Appearances:**

*Chief William Wentlandt, Fire Department.*

*Sandy Rotar, Fire Department.*

**A motion was made by ALD. MCGEE JR. that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 4 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr. and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Excused** 1 - Witkowski

**Ald. Witkowski arrived 9:11 A.M.**

**Present** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski, Zielinski

2. [060950](#) A substitute ordinance relating to parking controls in various Aldermanic Districts.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

3. [060951](#) A substitute ordinance relating to traffic controls in various Aldermanic Districts.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

4. [061147](#) An ordinance relating to fees for temporary traffic signs, temporary hooding of parking meters and special events - city services.

**Sponsors:** Ald. Bauman

**A motion was made by ALD. MCGEE JR. that this Ordinance be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Sponsors:** Ald. Bauman

*Appearance:*

*Ald. Bauman, 4th Aldermanic District.*

*Jim Purko, Department of Public Works.*

**A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Ordinance be RECONSIDERED. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Sponsors:** Ald. Bauman

*Motion by Ald. McGee to hold Common Council File #061147 for one cycle.*

**A motion was made by ALD. MCGEE JR. that this Ordinance be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

No 0

5. [061148](#) An ordinance relating to time limits on parking regulations with respect to holidays.

**Sponsors:** Ald. Bauman

**A motion was made by ALD. MCGEE JR. that this Ordinance be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Sponsors:** Ald. Bauman

*Appearance:*

*Ald. Bauman, 4th Aldermanic District.*

*Dorinda Floyd, Department of Public Works.*

**A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Ordinance be RECONSIDERED. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Sponsors:** Ald. Bauman

**A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

6. [061157](#) Communication from the Fire and Police Commission transmitting the 2005 Public Safety Report.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

*Appearances:*

*David Heard, Fire and Police Commission.*

*Joan Dimow, Fire and Police Commission.*

*Deputy Inspector Anna Ruzinski, Milwaukee Police Department.*

*Deputy Chief Brian Okeefe, Milwaukee Police Department.*

**A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Communication-Report be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

7. [061123](#) Resolution relative to the application, acceptance and funding of the U. S. Department of Justice Weed and Seed Grant - Historic Clarke Square for \$200,000.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

*Appearance:*

*Steve Mahan, Community Development Grants Administration.*

**A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

8. [061135](#) An ordinance relating to the definition of nuisance activity with respect to chronic nuisance premises.

**Sponsors:** Ald. Zielinski And Ald. Bohl

*Appearances:*

*Deputy Inspector Anna Ruzinski, Milwaukee Police Department.*

*Commissioner Martin Collins, Department of Neighborhood Services.*

**A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

9. [061119](#) Communication from the Police Department transmitting the 2007 Asset Forfeiture Plan.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

*Appearances:*

*Barbara Butler, Milwaukee Police Department.*

*Deputy Chief Brian Okeefe, Milwaukee Police Department.*

*Deputy Inspector Anna Ruzinski, Milwaukee Police Department.*

**A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Communication-Report be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

10. [061120](#) Resolution authorizing the acceptance and expenditure of contributions received by the Milwaukee Police Department from federally forfeited tangible property or cash for increased or enhanced law enforcement efforts.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED TO the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE . The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 4 - Donovan, Puente, Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 1 - McGee Jr.

11. [060899](#) Communication from the Police Department relative to traffic crashes occurring at various intersections and the 2005 Crashes and Injury Severity Report.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

*Appearance:*

*Florence Dukes, Milwaukee Police Department.*

*Bob Bryson, Department of Public Works.*

*Deputy Inspector Ruzinski, Milwaukee Police Department.*

**A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Communication-Report be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

12. [061105](#) Substitute resolution relative to application, acceptance and funding of the Municipal Health Services Program (MHSP) from the U.S. Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

*Appearance:*

*Yvette Rowe, Health Department.*

**A motion was made by ALD. MCGEE JR. that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED TO the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE . The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

13. [061106](#) Substitute resolution relative to acceptance and funding of the Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant - Round 13A from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED TO the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE . The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 4 - Donovan, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Excused** 1 - Puente

14. [061107](#) Substitute resolution relative to application, acceptance and funding of the Breast Cancer Awareness Grant from the State of Wisconsin - Department of Health and Family Services.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED TO the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE . The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 4 - Donovan, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Excused** 1 - Puente

15. [061108](#) Substitute resolution relative to application, acceptance and funding of the 2007 Hepatitis B Immunization Grant from the State of Wisconsin - Department of Health and Family Services.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AND ASSIGNED TO the FINANCE & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE . The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 4 - Donovan, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Excused** 1 - Puente

16. [061086](#) Motion relating to the recommendations of the Public Safety Committee relative to various licenses.

**Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

**A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Motion be RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

17. [040748](#) An ordinance establishing an ambulance dispatch fee.

**Sponsors:** Ald. Murphy

**A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

18. [050104](#) A substitute ordinance relating to parking regulations for buses.

**Sponsors:** Ald. Murphy

**A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

19. [050253](#) An ordinance relating to issuance of taxicab permits.
- Sponsors:** Ald. Wade
- A motion was made by ALD. WITKOWSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 4 - Donovan, Puente, Witkowski and Zielinski
- No** 0
- Excused** 1 - McGee Jr.
20. [050414](#) A substitute ordinance relating to locations where the sale of food by food peddlers is prohibited.
- Sponsors:** Ald. Bohl
- A motion was made by ALD. ZIELINSKI that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 4 - Donovan, Puente, Witkowski and Zielinski
- No** 0
- Excused** 1 - McGee Jr.
21. [060503](#) Resolution relative to the application of the Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant from Housing and Urban Development.
- Sponsors:** THE CHAIR
- A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 4 - Donovan, Puente, Witkowski and Zielinski
- No** 0
- Excused** 1 - McGee Jr.
22. [060504](#) Resolution relative to the application of the Lead Hazard Control Grant from Housing and Urban Development.
- Sponsors:** THE CHAIR
- A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 4 - Donovan, Puente, Witkowski and Zielinski
- No** 0
- Excused** 1 - McGee Jr.
23. [060857](#) Resolution relative to application, funding and expenditure of the Pandemic Flu Grant from the State of Wisconsin - Department of Health and Family Services.
- Sponsors:** THE CHAIR

A motion was made by ALD. PUENTE that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

**Aye** 5 - Donovan, Puente, McGee Jr., Witkowski and Zielinski

**No** 0

**Meeting Adjourned: 12:41 P.M.**

*Diana Morgan*  
*Staff Assistant*

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