



1. Describe the proposed ordinance or resolution. File number: _____

File is for grant funding from WI DNR to deliver services to monitor public beaches in the city and provide timely public messaging on waterborne pathogens, dangerous currents, and riptides. The grant/contract is administered by DNR under the Wisconsin Beach Monitoring Program.

2. Identify the anticipated equity impacts, if any, of this proposal.

These activities will not have specific initiatives to enhance/ensure equity but are part of the over-arching mission of MHD to strengthen the health and safety of our diverse community by ensuring that natural resources such as our local beaches can be enjoyed by all citizens.

3. Identify which minority groups, if any, may be negatively or positively impacted by the proposal.

The quality of our local parks and beaches are remarkable, and being easily accessible and free of charge, they provide enjoyment and healthy activity options that are independent of income or minority status.



4. Describe any engagement efforts with minority communities potentially impacted by the proposal.

None

5. Describe how any anticipated equity impacts of the proposal will be documented or evaluated.

The beaches are under Milwaukee County jurisdiction, and as part of their robust efforts under the Office of Equity, County Parks uses four data sources, CDC Social Vulnerability Index, Personal Crime Index (federal census and AGS data), Tree Canopy Data (LiDAR/Milwaukee County Land Information Office), and a "10-Minute Walk Analysis" (Trust for Public Lands) to create an Equity Index Score.

6. Describe strategies that will be used, if any, to mitigate any anticipated equity impacts.

The Equity Index score from 5) above is used to evaluate needs for services, prospective projects, budget allocations, etc.

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