

### **Department of Employee Relations**

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June 9, 2022

The Honorable Finance and Personnel Committee Common Council City of Milwaukee

Subject: Common Council File No. 220244 - Communication from the Department of Employee

Relations to add recruitment flexibility to various positions in various pay ranges.

#### Dear Committee Members:

To assist with recruitment and retention for high-level classifications across city government, we are requesting to add recruitment flexibility for various titles. Based upon past difficulty in recruiting, some higher-level titles already have a recruitment flexibility footnote.

#### This communication requests:

- The provision of recruitment at any point in the range with approval of the Department of Employee Relations and the Chair of Finance and Personnel for titles that are currently without any recruitment flexibility in Pay Ranges 1HX-1PX, 2LX, 2MX, and 4QX.
- The provision of recruitment at any point in the range with approval of the Labor Negotiator and the Chair of Finance and Personnel for the titles of Deputy Chief, Fire in Pay Range 4OX and Assistant Fire Chief in Pay Range 4RX. This provision is consistent with the current footnote for the title of Battalion Chief, Fire in Pay Range 4MX.

The high-level classifications we reviewed are listed in Part II, Section 5 (A) of the Salary Ordinance, Pay Ranges 1HX - 1PX, 2LX - 2QX, 4OX, 4QX, 4RX, and 4SX. Employees promoted into titles within these pay ranges receive a 10% increase, the minimum of the new range, or the footnoted minimum recruitment rate, whichever is greater, in accordance with applicable provisions with the pay range. Please note that some higher-level titles already have a recruitment flexibility footnote due to past difficulty in recruiting.

The following ordinance changes below are recommended to implement this recommendation.

In the Salary Ordinance (Effective Pay Period 14, 2022 (June 26, 2022)

#### Under Pay Range 1HX:

Add footnotes (1) and (10) to the following titles:

- "Administrative Services Manager"
- "Associate Director"
- "Budget and Management Reporting Manager"
- "Business Systems Manager"
- "Database Administrator"
- "Election Commission-Deputy Director"
- "Fire and Police Commission Chief of Staff"

- "Fleet Operations Manager"
- "Fleet Repairs Manager"
- "GIS Developer Project Leader"
- "Human Resources Administrator"
- "IT Project Manager"
- "Legislative Reference Bureau Manager"
- "License Division Manager"
- "Real Estate Development Services Manager"
- "Sanitation Area Manager"
- "Tax Billing and Collection Manager"
- "Water Plant Automation Manager"

#### Under Pay Range 1IX:

Add footnotes (1) and (10) to the following titles:

- "Accounting Manager"
- "Development Projects Manager"
- "Enterprise Resource Planning Manager"
- "Finance and Administration Manager"
- "Grants Fiscal Manager"
- "Homeland Security Director"
- "Human Resources Manager"
- "Information Services Manager"
- "Neighborhood Business Development Manager"
- "Port Operations Manager"
- "Public Health Nursing Director"
- "Revenue and Financial Services Manager"
- "Traffic Control Engineer IV"
- "Water Distribution Manager"
- "Water Information Technology Manager"
- "Worker's Compensation and Safety Manager"

#### Under Pay Range 1JX:

Add footnotes (2) and (8) to the following titles:

- "Assessment Appeals Director"
- "Chief of Staff Health"
- "Chief of Staff Police"
- "Deputy City Clerk"
- "Director of Communications and Public Engagement"
- "Disease Control and Environmental Health Services Director"
- "Fleet Services Manager"
- "Parking Services Manager"
- "Police Planning and Policy Director"
- "Sanitation Services Manager"

#### Under Pay Range 1KX:

Add footnotes (1) and (6) to the following titles:

- "Accounts Director"
- "Chief Court Administrator"
- "Election Commission Executive Director"
- "Employee Benefits Director"
- "Financial Services Director"
- "Investments and Financial Services Director"

#### Under Pay Range 1LX:

Add footnotes (3) and (6) to the following titles:

"Assistant Director – Redevelopment Authority"

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"Block Grant Director"
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"Chief Assessor"

"City Purchasing Director"

"Deputy Chief Investment Officer"

"Deputy City Treasurer"

"Deputy Comptroller"

"Employee Retirement System - Deputy Director"

"Neighborhood Services Operations Director"

"Public Health Laboratories Director"

#### Under Pay Range 1MX:

Add footnotes (2) and (6) to the following titles:

"Administrative Services Director"

"Chief of Staff"

#### Under Pay Range 1NX:

Add footnotes (2) and (6) to the following titles:

"Chief Information Officer"

"Deputy Commissioner – City Development"

"Legislative Liaison Director"

"Municipal Port Director"

### Under Pay Range 1OX:

Add footnotes (1) and (2) to the following titles:

"Administration Director"

"Commissioner of Assessments"

"Commissioner - Building Inspection"

"Commissioner - City Development"

"Deputy City Attorney"

"Employee Relations Director"

"Operations Division Director"

#### Under Pay Range 1PX:

Add footnotes (1) and (2) to the following title:

"Commissioner - Health"

#### Under Pay Range 2LX:

Add footnotes (3) and (7) to the following titles:

"Development Projects Coordinator"

"Environmental Sustainability Program Manager"

"FMIS Project Manager"

"Legislative Fiscal Manager"

"Policy and Administration Manager"

"Port Finance and Administration Officer"

"Systems Analyst - Project Leader"

#### Under Pay Range 2MX:

Add footnotes (3) and (8) to the following titles:

"Intergovernmental Policy Manager - Senior"

"Legislative Fiscal Manager - Senior"

#### Under Pay Range 4OX,

Delete current Footnote "(3)" and "(6)"

Add Footnotes "(3)" and "(6)" to read as follows:

"An employee promoted to this title will be paid at the step that is higher than the employee's previous rate of pay. An employee promoted into this title may be placed at any rate in the pay range with the approval of the Labor Negotiator and the Chair of the Finance and Personnel Committee."

#### Under Pay Range 4QX,

Add Footnote designations "(1)" and "(2)" to the title "Inspector of Police" Add Footnotes "(1)" and "(2)" to read as follows:

"Recruitment may be at any point in the range with the approval of the Department of Employee Relations and the Chair of Finance and Personnel."

#### Under Pay Range 4RX,

Add Footnote designations "(5)" and "(10)" to the title "Assistant Fire Chief" Add Footnotes "(5)" and "(10)" to read as follows:

"An employee promoted into this title may be placed at any rate in the pay range with the approval of the Labor Negotiator and the Chair of Finance and Personnel Committee."

Respectfully submitted,

Renee Joos

Interim Employee Relations Director





# **City of Milwaukee Fiscal Impact Statement**

	Date	6/10/2022	File Number	220244	$\boxtimes$	Original	Substitute		
Α	Subject	Communication from the Depa various pay ranges.	rtment of Employ	ee Relations to add	d recruitment fle	exibility to va	arious positions in		
В	Submitted	itted By (Name/Title/Dept./Ext.) Sarah Trotter / Human Resources Representative / Employee Relations / x2398							
	This File		es previously au	thorized expendit	ures.				
		Suspends expenditur	e authority.						
		☐ Increases or decreases city services.							
		Authorizes a department to administer a program affecting the city's fiscal liability.							
С		☐ Increases or decreases revenue.							
		□ Requests an amendment to the salary or positions ordinance.							
		Authorizes borrowing and related debt service.							
		Authorizes contingent borrowing (authority only).							
		Authorizes the expenditure of funds not authorized in adopted City Budget.							
	Charge To	Department Account			Contingent Fu	ınd			
		☐ Capital Projects Fund	I		Special Purpo	se Accoun	ts		
D		☐ Debt Service			Grant & Aid A	ccounts			
		Other (Specify)							

	Purpose	Specify Type/Use	Expenditure	Revenue
	Salaries/Wages		\$0.00	\$0.00
			\$0.00	\$0.00
	Supplies/Materials		\$0.00	\$0.00
			\$0.00	\$0.00
E	Equipment		\$0.00	\$0.00
			\$0.00	\$0.00
	Services		\$0.00	\$0.00
			\$0.00	\$0.00
	Other		\$0.00	\$0.00
			\$0.00	\$0.00
	TOTALS		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

F	Assumptions used in arriving at fiscal estimate.	Please see attached spreadsheet.
G	For expenditures and revenues which will occur below and then list each item and dollar amount  1-3 Years 3-5 Years	on an annual basis over several years check the appropriate box separately.
	□ 1-3 Years       □ 3-5 Years         □ 1-3 Years       □ 3-5 Years	
Н	List any costs not included in Sections D and E a	above.
1	Additional information.	
J	This Note	chair.

## Department of Employee Relations Fiscal Note Spreadsheet

Finance and Personnel Committee Meeting of June 15, 2022

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Pos.	Dept	From	PR	То	PR	Annual	Annual	Costs	Rollup	Rollup+ Sal	
100	All Departments	Several Positions	N/A	Add Recruitment Flexibility	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A Recrui	tment Flex	ribility Only	

Assume effective date is Pay Period 14, 2022 (June 26, 2022).

#### **NEW COSTS FOR FULL YEAR**

Pos.	Dept	From	PR	То	PR	Annual	Annual	Costs	Rollup	Rollup+ Sal
100	All Departments	Several Positions	1EX	Add Recruitment Flexibility	1EX	N/A	N/A	N/A Recruitment Flexibility O		ibility Only

Sarah Trotter June 26, 2022