



MEMORANDUM

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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To: Common Council Members
From: Keith Broadnax, Manager
Date: November 16, 2021
Subject: Summary of Mayoral Vetoes to the 2022 Adopted Budget

In a letter to the Honorable Members of the Common Council dated November 15, 2021, the Mayor vetoed the following item in the 2022 Adopted Budget and offered a proposed substitute action for the vetoed item.

The following chart is a summary of the vote count, and names of the sponsors of the amendments the Common Council approved on November 5, 2021, for which the Mayor has submitted a veto and proposed substitute action.

Amendment	Vote Count (Aye/No)	Sponsor(s)	Votes Opposed	Excused	Abstained
6	9-4-1-1	Johnson, Kovac, Bauman, Zamarripa, Murphy, Borkowski, Perez ,Spiker, Dimitrijevic	Hamilton, Dodd, Lewis, Stamper	Rainey	Coggs

Overriding the Veto

The Council may override a Mayoral veto with a 2/3 concurrence of all members of the Council (10 votes), unless the legislation required more than a two-thirds majority of the Common Council for approval. Overriding a Mayoral veto has the effect of adopting the amendment as approved by the Common Council on November 5, 2021.

Sustaining the Veto

If you wish to sustain the Mayor's veto, you vote 'No'.

Substitute Action

For the vetoed amendment the Mayor has proposed a substitute action. The Mayor's vetoes can have the effect of eliminating programs or position authority and amending or eliminating entire funding amounts for the affected budget lines. The Mayor's substitute

action may be put before the Common Council for consideration, upon the motion of a member of the Council.

Common Council members may offer alternatives to the Mayor's proposed substitute action. Please contact the Legislative Reference Bureau at your earliest convenience if you wish to propose a substitute amendment that is different from the Mayor's proposed substitute.

The following chart is a summary of the intent of the amendment approved by the Common Council, the effect of sustaining the Mayor's veto and the effect of the Mayor's proposed substitute amendment.

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Common Council Amendment #	Effect of Amendment As Approved by the Common Council on November 5, 2021	Effect of Overriding Mayor's Veto	Effect of Sustaining Mayor's Veto	Effect of Mayor's Proposed Substitute Action
<p style="text-align: center;">6</p> <p>Sponsor(s):</p> <p>Johnson, Kovac, Bauman, Zamarripa, Murphy, Borkowski, Perez, Spiker, Dimitrijevic</p>	<p>Adds position authority and funding for one Assistant Attorney in the Office of the Common Council – City Clerk.</p> <p>Offset by reducing position authority and funding for one Assistant City Attorney in the City Attorney's Office.</p>	<p>Upholds the effect of the amendment as Approved by the Common Council on November 5, 2021.</p>	<p>Eliminates the position authority and funding for one Assistant City Attorney in the Office of the Common Council – City Clerk and eliminates 34 Assistant City Attorney positions in the Office of the City Attorney.</p>	<p>Restores position authority and funding for 35 Assistant City Attorney positions in the Office of the City Attorney.</p>